




Fraction word problems: Fraction Word Problems (Add/Subtract)


Grade 2

Name: _____

Solve each fraction word problem.


Example: Sarah ate $\frac{1}{5}$ of a pizza. Her friend ate $\frac{2}{5}$ of the same pizza. How much pizza did they eat together?
Answer: $\frac{3}{5}$

(1) Maya had $\frac{5}{6}$ of a chocolate bar. She ate $\frac{2}{6}$ of it. How much is left? _____ 

(2) Tom painted $\frac{2}{5}$ of a wall and then painted $\frac{1}{5}$ more. How much of the wall is painted? _____ 



(3) Sara needs $\frac{7}{12}$ cup of water for her plant. She has already

poured $\frac{4}{12}$ cup. How much more water does she need? _____ 

(4) Jake walked $\frac{3}{7}$ of a trail in the morning and $\frac{2}{7}$ in the

afternoon. How much of the trail did he walk in total? _____ 

(5) Emma had $\frac{7}{9}$ of a ribbon. She used $\frac{4}{9}$ for a craft project.

How much ribbon is left? _____ 