



Subtraction Word Problems (2-Step) - Set A

Grade 4


Name: _____

Solve in two steps. Write both equations. Final step: subtraction.

Example: $642 + 318$ then $- 175 =$ _____


- (1) A school library had 15,400 books. They received 3,850 new books, then loaned out 7,120 books to students. How many books remain in the library? _____




- (2) A fruit stand started with 2,500 apples. They bought 1,800 more, then sold 3,150 apples. How many apples are left? _____ 

- (3) A concert venue had 12,000 tickets available. An additional 3,500 tickets were released, but then 8,700 tickets were sold. How many tickets are still available?



- (4) A toy store had 8,750 toys in stock. They received a new shipment of 4,200 toys, then sold 6,180 toys during a sale. How many toys remain? _____ 


- (5) A large water tank contained 25,000 liters of water. Another 10,500 liters were added, then 18,300 liters were used for irrigation. How much water is left in the tank? _____ 


- (6) A school bought 5,000 pencils. They received a donation of 2,100 more pencils, then distributed 3,450 pencils to students. How many pencils are left? _____





(7) An animal shelter had 1,800 animals. They rescued 950 more, then 1,230 animals were adopted by families. How many animals remain at the shelter?

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(8) Sarah had \$4,500 in her savings. She earned an additional \$2,750, then spent \$3,100 on a new computer. How much money does she have left? _____ 

(9) A city planned to build a road 10,000 meters long. They added a new section of 5,200 meters, but then 7,800 meters of the old road were closed for repairs. What is the total usable road length now? _____ 

(10) In a video game, a player started with 7,500 points. They gained 3,800 points in the next level, but then lost 4,120 points in a challenge. What is their final score? _____ 

(11) A bakery made 3,200 cookies and 1,500 brownies. If they sold 2,850 items in total, how many baked goods are left? _____ 

(12) A popular museum had 9,800 visitors in the morning and 4,100 visitors in the afternoon. If 6,750 visitors had already left by closing time, how many visitors were still inside? _____ 