

Solve each problem.

- 1) For Halloween Olivia and her sister combined the candy they received. Olivia had thirty-eight pieces of candy while her sister had twenty-two. If they are twenty-four pieces the first night, how many pieces do they have left?
- 2) While on vacation, Emily took three pictures at the zoo and sixteen at the museum. If she later deleted twelve of the pictures, how many pictures from her vacation did she still have?
- 3) Mike was trying to expand his game collection. He bought twenty-nine games from a friend and bought forty-nine more at a garage sale. If seventy-six of the games didn't work, how many good games did he end up with?
- **4)** George started his own lawn mowing business. In the spring he made forty-six dollars mowing lawns and in the summer he made thirty-five dollars. If he had to spend sixty-three dollars buying supplies, how much money did he end up with?
- 5) A pet store had thirty siamese cats and fifteen house cats. During a sale they sold twenty-three cats. How many cats do they have left?
- **6)** While shopping, Lana bought nine green towels and four white towels. If she gave her mother seven of them, how many towels did Lana end up with?
- 7) Sarah had thirty-one math problems and forty-one science problems for homework. If she finished twenty-one of the problems at school, how many problems did she have to do for homework?
- **8)** For the school bake sale Debby made pastries. She baked thirty-nine cupcakes and thirty cookies. After the sale she had twenty-three to take back home. How many pastries did she sell?
- **9**) Janet picked nine tulips and two roses to make flower bouquets. If she only used nine of the flowers though, how many extra flowers did Janet pick?
- **10**) There were thirty-five girls and fifty boys trying out for the school's basketball team. If only seventy-five of them got called back, how many students didn't make the cut?

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Two Step Problems

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- 4) George started his own lawn mowing business. In the spring he made 46 dollars mowing lawns and in the summer he made 35 dollars. If he had to spend 63 dollars buying supplies, how much money did he end up with?
- 5) A pet store had 30 siamese cats and 15 house cats. During a sale they sold 23 cats. How many cats do they have left?
- 6) While shopping, Lana bought 9 green towels and 4 white towels. If she gave her mother 7 of them, how many towels did Lana end up with?
- 7) Sarah had 31 math problems and 41 science problems for homework. If she finished 21 of the problems at school, how many problems did she have to do for homework?
- **8**) For the school bake sale Debby made pastries. She baked 39 cupcakes and 30 cookies. After the sale she had 23 to take back home. How many pastries did she sell?
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- **10**) There were 35 girls and 50 boys trying out for the school's basketball team. If only 75 of them got called back, how many students didn't make the cut?

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