



Year 1 Worksheet 23: Simple Word Problems

Activity 1: Addition Word Problems

1. If you have 2 balloons and you get 3 more, how many balloons do you have?

2. There are 5 ducks in the pond. 2 more ducks join them. How many ducks are there now?

3. You see 1 cat and 4 dogs. How many animals do you see in total?

4. If you have 3 crayons and your friend gives you 2 more, how many crayons do you have?

5. There are 4 cookies on a plate. You bake 3 more. How many cookies are there now?

6. You have 6 stickers and you find 2 more. How many stickers do you have?

7. If you have 7 marbles and you get 1 more, how many marbles do you have?



8. There are 3 apples in the basket and you add 5 more. How many apples are in the basket?

9. You read 2 books and then read 3 more. How many books did you read?

10. If you have 5 toy cars and your friend gives you 4 more, how many toy cars do you have?



Activity 2: Subtraction Word Problems

1. You have 10 candies. You eat 2. How many candies do you have left?

2. There are 8 birds on a tree. 3 fly away. How many birds are left?

3. You had 5 balloons, but 2 popped. How many balloons do you have now?

4. If you have 7 apples and you give away 3, how many apples do you have left?

5. There are 6 cupcakes, and you eat 1. How many cupcakes are left?

6. You see 4 fish in the water. 1 swims away. How many fish are left?

7. You start with 9 crayons. You lose 4. How many crayons do you have?

8. There are 10 stars in the sky, and 5 go away. How many stars are left?



9. If you have 6 toy trains and you give 2 to your friend, how many do you have left?

10. You have 12 flowers, but 3 wilt. How many flowers are still nice?



Answer Key

Activity 1

1. 5
2. 7
3. 5
4. 5
5. 7
6. 8
7. 8
8. 8
9. 5
10. 9

Activity 2

1. 8
2. 5
3. 3
4. 4
5. 5
6. 3
7. 5
8. 5
9. 4
10. 9



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