

Grade 1 Addition and Subtraction Word Problems

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Read each problem. Decide whether to add or subtract, then write your answer.

1. Sam has 7 red blocks and 5 blue blocks. How many blocks does he have in all?

2. There are 14 birds in a tree. 6 birds fly away. How many birds are left?

3. Ana has 9 stickers. Her aunt gives her 4 more. How many stickers does she have now?

4. A plate has 12 grapes. Ben eats 5 of them. How many grapes are left?

5. 8 ducks are in the pond. 7 more ducks join them. How many ducks are there now?

6. Mia had 15 crayons. She lost 3 of them. How many crayons does she have left?

7. There are 6 cats and 9 dogs at the park. How many animals are there in all?

8. A basket holds 11 apples. 4 apples are eaten. How many apples are left?

9. Leo has 5 toy cars. His friend gives him 8 more. How many toy cars does Leo have?

10. There are 18 pencils in a cup. 9 are given away. How many pencils are left?

11. 4 boys and 7 girls are on the team. How many children are on the team?

12. A box has 16 markers. 8 markers are used up. How many markers are left?

Answer Key

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1. 12 blocks

5. 15 ducks

9. 13 toy cars

2. 8 birds

6. 12 crayons

10. 9 pencils

3. 13 stickers

7. 15 animals

11. 11 children

4. 7 grapes

8. 7 apples

12. 8 markers