

WORD PROBLEMS GRADES 2 AND 3

This workbook provides practice in word problems. Emphasis is placed on addition, subtraction, multiplication, division, time, and beginning fractions. It is designed to provide practice for the primary-age child and is compatible with classroom instruction. The pages are presented in a suggested order, but may be used in any order which best meets a child's needs.

Parents who wish their children to have practice in word problems will find the book as helpful as classroom teachers will find it. The exercises are presented so that a child can work with a minimum of supervision.

Answers are included in a four-page leaflet at the end of the book. This leaflet can be easily removed.

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FINDING THE SUM.

Find the sum.



1 $2 \begin{array}{c} \heartsuit \\ \heartsuit \end{array} + 2 \begin{array}{c} \heartsuit \\ \heartsuit \end{array} = \underline{4}$

There are 4 hearts.

Draw the sum.



2 $3 \begin{array}{c} \text{apple} \\ \text{apple} \\ \text{apple} \end{array} + 4 \begin{array}{c} \text{apple} \\ \text{apple} \\ \text{apple} \\ \text{apple} \end{array} = \underline{\quad}$

There are apples.

3 $1 \begin{array}{c} \text{TV} \\ \text{TV} \end{array} + 1 \begin{array}{c} \text{TV} \\ \text{TV} \end{array} = \underline{\quad}$

There are televisions.

4 $4 \begin{array}{c} \text{daisy} \\ \text{daisy} \\ \text{daisy} \\ \text{daisy} \end{array} + 4 \begin{array}{c} \text{daisy} \\ \text{daisy} \\ \text{daisy} \\ \text{daisy} \end{array} = \underline{\quad}$

There are daisies.

5 $2 \begin{array}{c} \text{cat} \\ \text{cat} \end{array} + 1 \begin{array}{c} \text{cat} \\ \text{cat} \end{array} = \underline{\quad}$

There are smiling cats.

6 $3 \begin{array}{c} \text{tree} \\ \text{tree} \\ \text{tree} \end{array} + 2 \begin{array}{c} \text{tree} \\ \text{tree} \end{array} = \underline{\quad}$

There are pine trees.

FINDING THE SUM.

Find the sum. ↓

1

2 dogs running after sticks.



Fill in the blanks. ↓

$$\boxed{2} + \boxed{4} = \boxed{6}$$

4 more joined them and that made _____.

2

1 bug sitting with nothing to do.



$$\boxed{} + \boxed{} = \boxed{}$$

He saw another bug and that made _____.



3

3 turtles walked in the door.

$$\boxed{} + \boxed{} = \boxed{}$$

1 more followed and that made _____.



4

2 kittens playing in a tree.



$$\boxed{} + \boxed{} = \boxed{}$$

1 more joined them and that made _____.



5

2 bees flew out of the hive.



$$\boxed{} + \boxed{} = \boxed{}$$

3 more followed and that made _____.

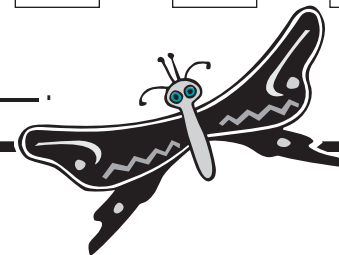


6

1 butterfly stopped to rest on a gate.

$$\boxed{} + \boxed{} = \boxed{}$$

Soon there were 7 more and that made _____.



UNLOCKING PROBLEMS.



IN ALL means **ALL TOGETHER** or **ADD**.

There is a group of keys here. *How many in all?*



Circle (in all). Fill in the answer to each problem.
Write the number sentence for each problem.

6 green keys and 4 red keys.
How many keys in all?

_____ keys $\boxed{\quad + \quad = \quad}$

3 motorbike keys and 4 desk keys.
How many keys in all?

_____ keys $\boxed{\quad + \quad = \quad}$

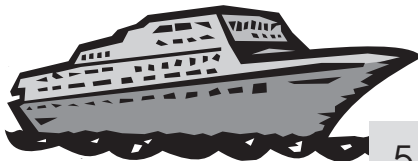


4 broken keys and 4 good keys.
How many keys in all?

$\boxed{\quad + \quad = \quad}$ _____ keys

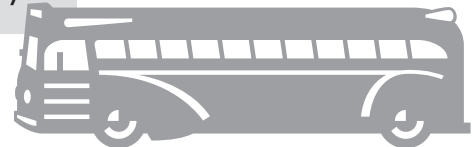
5 long keys and 4 short keys.
How many keys in all?

_____ keys $\boxed{\quad + \quad = \quad}$



5 shiny keys and 1 rusty key.
How many keys in all?

$\boxed{\quad + \quad = \quad}$ _____ keys



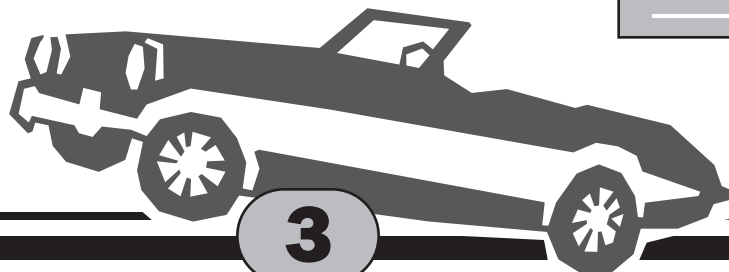
2 house keys and 5 car keys.
How many keys in all?

_____ keys $\boxed{\quad + \quad = \quad}$

5 old keys and 3 new keys.
How many keys in all?

_____ keys $\boxed{\quad + \quad = \quad}$

How many things can you find on this page that need a key?



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