

# ADDITION & SUBTRACTION WORD PROBLEMS

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**Directions:** Read and solve the subtraction word problem.

## Subtraction Word Problems

There were 10 apples on the tree. 6 apples fell off. How many apples are left on the tree?

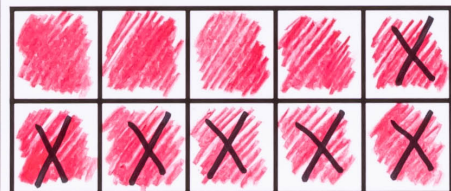
Draw a picture.



Solve using a number line.



Solve using a ten frame.



Show the equation.

$$10 - 6 = 4$$

My answer:

4 apples

The Printable Princess

# ADDITION & SUBTRACTION

This resource includes addition and subtraction word problems. There is one word problem per page. Students read the word problem and follow the prompts on the page to solve. This shows students there is more than one way to solve a math problem.

No prep work is needed, just print. Students will need a pencil and crayons. These are fantastic for math warm-ups or small group instruction. It is important that students have a strong foundation in math vocabulary. This helps them visualize and explain their thinking. When completing these pages focus on words such as in all, more, take away, left, etc.

There are two types of pages included. For the first activity (*pictured top and middle*) students read the word problem. They use the number line to solve. They cut out the counters at the bottom of the page and glue them on the ten frame to show their work. (For subtraction stories, they would glue the total on the ten frame and then cross off pictures to show take away.) Finally, they will write an addition or subtraction sentence to match.

For the second activity (*pictured bottom*) students read the word problem. They draw a picture to illustrate the problem. They use a number line and tens frame to solve the problem. Finally they write an addition or subtraction sentence. Once they have found the sum or difference, they record that number on the line at the bottom.

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**Addition Word Problems**

Dot has 2 green balloons and 7 orange balloons. How many balloons does Dot have in all?

Solve using a number line.

0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

2 + 7 = 9

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**Subtraction Word Problems**

Jane had 7 flowers in the vase. She gave Jill 2 flowers. How many flowers does she have left?

Solve using a number line.

0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

7 - 2 = 5

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**Addition Word Problems**

Ted put 3 bugs in the jar. Meg put 4 more bugs in the jar. How many bugs are in the jar in all?

Draw a picture.

3 + 4 = 7

7 bugs



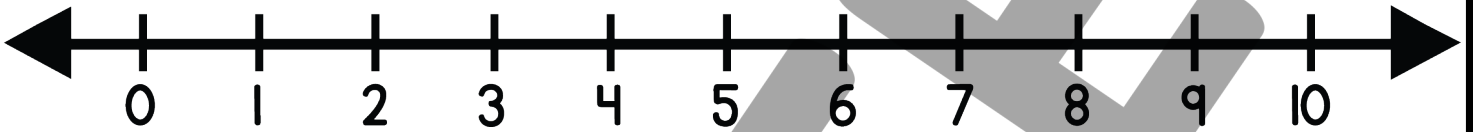
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**Directions:** Read the word problem and solve using the number line. Cut apart and glue the pictures on the ten frame to show another way to solve. Write an equation on the lines below.

# Addition Word Problems

Max got 6 fish in his net. Gus got 3 fish in his net. How many fish did they get in all?

Solve using a number line.




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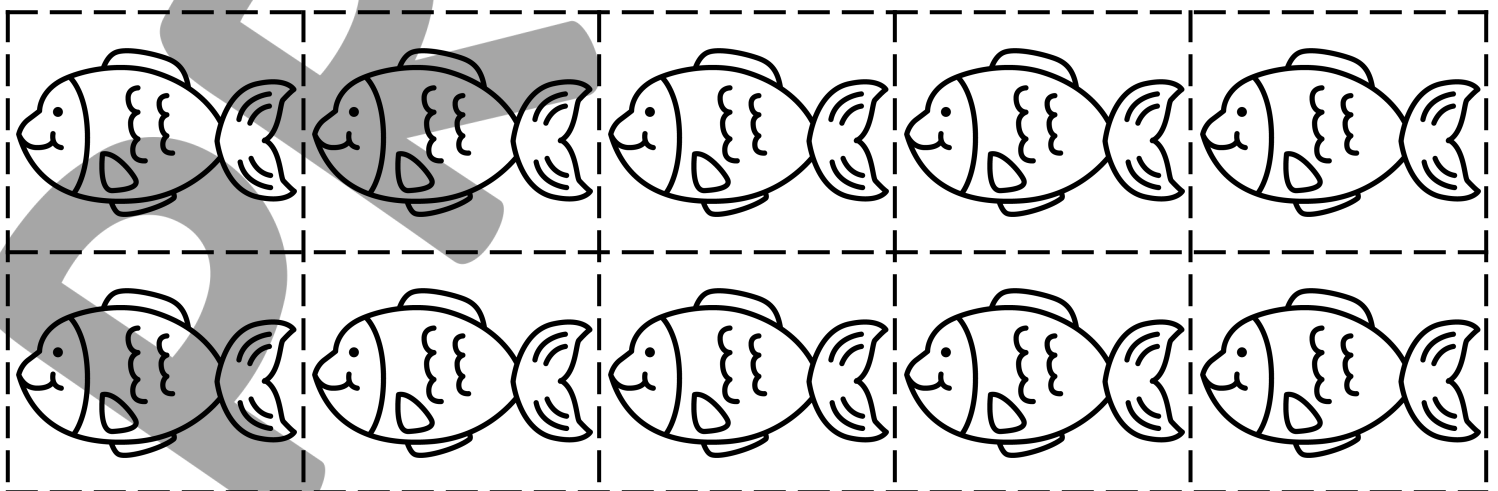
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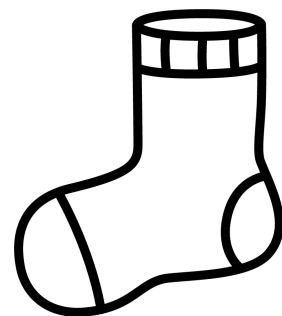
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**Directions:** Read and solve the addition word problem.

# Addition Word Problems

Sam has 6 red socks and 4 blue socks. How many socks does Sam have in all?

Draw a picture.



Solve using a number line.



Solve using a ten frame.


Show the equation.

\_\_\_\_\_ + \_\_\_\_\_ = \_\_\_\_\_

My answer.

\_\_\_\_\_ socks