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Did you know that addition and subtraction are opposites?

So: if 25 + 17 = 42   then:
42 – 17 will equal 25   and:
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Yes! Subby is right. Try putting the correct number in the box without doing the addition or subtraction sum:

1. If 43 + 29 = 72   then 72 – 43 = ☐

2. If 64 + 59 = 123   then 123 – 64 = ☐

3. If 83 + 26 = 109   then 109 – ☐ = 83

4. If 62 + 49 = 111   then 111 – ☐ = 62

Now try these:

5. If 98 – 25 = 73   then 73 + 25 = ☐

6. If 76 – 59 = 17   then 59 + 17 = ☐

7. If 91 – 43 = 48   then 91 – 48 = ☐

8. If 49 – 37 = 12   then 49 – 12 = ☐

Investigate: try writing your own sums like the ones above. If you want, you can check your results with a calculator.

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