

Single Step Operations



Here are some problems written in words. They look quite long.

You need to read them very carefully to see what you need to do.

Your teacher or parent will show you how to set out your answers.

1. What do I need to subtract from 22 to get 15?
2. I think of a number and double it. The answer is 28. What was my number?
3. How many arms and legs would a class of 30 pupils have altogether?
4. A box holds six eggs. How many eggs do eight boxes hold?
5. Peter has 26 marbles. Simon has half as many. How many does Simon have?
6. A school has 84 pupils. One day 17 are away. How many are left in the school?
7. The Maths Rats had a party. Divvy ate twelve sausages, Multi ate five, Addy ate nine and Subby ate six. How many did they eat altogether?
8. A box holds nine pens. How many pens would eight boxes hold?
9. Eighteen chocolates are shared equally between six children. How many do they have each?
10. A class library has four shelves. Each shelf can hold fifteen books. How many books can all the shelves hold?