

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 386 to get 299?
2. I think of a number and double it. The answer is 264. What was my number?
3. Three cricketers achieved these scores in two seasons:
Fred 473 and 739; Michael 638 and 366; Mary 563 and 271
What was the total number of runs achieved by each player?
4. A container holds 15 litres of milk. How much milk will twelve containers hold? How many containers will be needed to hold 205 litres of milk?
5. Mr Jones takes his year group on holiday, sleeping in cabins. Each cabin has fourteen beds. How many cabins will be needed for his group of one hundred and fifty five pupils? How many empty beds will there be in these cabins?
6. A school has 463 pupils. One day 89 are away. How many are left in the school?
7. If I divide a number by 17, the answer is 23. What was my number?
8. On average a music CD plays for 56 minutes. How long will 12 CD's play for?
9. One hundred and sixty eight colouring pencils are shared between twelve children. How many do they have each? How many are left over?