Missing Addend Word Problems - ANSWER KEY

Grade 1 | Solving add-to and put-together stories where one part is unknown, within 20 | Version 6 of 10

Read each story. You know the start and the total. Find how many were added: think start + ? = total, then count on. Draw or write an equation in the box.

1. Zoe picks 6 apples. Then she picks some more. Now she has 11 apples. How many more apples did she pick?

Answer: **5 apples**

2. A box has 12 red crayons and some blue crayons. There are 19 crayons in all. How many blue crayons are there?

Answer: **7 blue crayons**

3. A jar has 12 marbles. Mia puts in some more. Now the jar has 18 marbles. How many marbles did Mia put in?

Answer: **6 marbles**

4. Sam reads 10 pages before lunch and some more after lunch. He reads 16 pages in all. How many pages did he read after lunch?

Answer: **6 pages**

5. Leo has 6 stickers. His friend gives him some more. Now he has 12 stickers. How many stickers did he get?

Answer: **6 stickers**

6. Ava has 5 shells. She finds some more. Now she has 13 shells. How many shells did she find?

Answer: **8 shells**

7. There are 6 birds on a fence. Some more birds land. Now there are 8 birds. How many birds landed?

Answer: **2 birds**

8. There are 10 children on a bus. At the next stop, some more get on. Now there are 16 children. How many got on?

Answer: **6 children**