



Subtraction Word Problems (Double-Digit)

Directions: Count how many of each object is in each group.

- 1.) Bethany has to cleanup after a dinner party. She has to wash 28 dishes in total. She has already washed 12 of the dishes. How many dishes does she have left to wash?
- 2.) Cari and Trevor are tracking how many hours they spend watching television every week. After one full week of tracking, Cari watched 21 hours of television and Trevor watched 46 hours of television. How many fewer hours of television did Cari watch?
- 3.) D'Angelo is downsizing to a smaller apartment. Before his move, he has 51 houseplants. He then gave 17 of his houseplants away to his friends. How many houseplants did D'Angelo keep for his new apartment?
- 4.) Deivi is a delivery truck driver. He has to make a delivery to a location that is 86 miles away from his current location. He starts by travelling 25 miles and then he stops for gas. He then drives another 16 miles before stopping for lunch. How many more miles must he travel in order to reach his destination?
- 5.) Roxanne sells cookies at the local market every weekend. She has 98 total boxes of cookies for sale. After the first 3 hours of the market, she has sold 47 boxes of cookies. During the next 3 hours of the market, she sold another 39 boxes of cookies. How many boxes of cookies does she have left?



ANSWER KEY

- 1.) 16 dishes
- 2.) 25 hours
- 3.) 34 houseplants
- 4.) 45 miles
- 5.) 12 boxes of cookies