Mixed addition & subtraction word problems

Grade 1 Word Problems Worksheet

Read carefully!

1. Mrs. Hilt reads 5 books a day. How many books does she read in 3 days?

2. Mrs. Hilt saw 2 dogs and 2 chickens. How many animal legs did she see?

3. Mrs. Hilt saw 3 bugs eat two flowers each. How many flowers total did the bugs eat?

4. Mrs. Hilt has 15 friends. She can only take 8 of her friends to the movies. How many friends can't go to the movies?

5. Mrs. Hilt ran 3 miles on Monday, 2 miles on Wednesday, and 7 miles on Friday. How many total miles did she run that week?

6. Mrs. Hilt picked up a book that has 17 pages in it. She read 11 of the pages. How many pages did she have left to read?

7. Mrs. Hilt had 15 cents. She bought a pencil for 11 cents. How much money did she have left?
Answers

1. \(5 + 5 + 5 = 15\)
   She reads 15 books in 3 days.

2. A dog has 4 legs and a chicken has 2 legs. \(4 + 4 + 2 + 2 = 12\)
   She saw 12 animal legs in all.

3. \(2 + 2 + 2 = 6\)
   The bugs ate 6 flowers in all.

4. \(15 - 8 = 7\)
   7 friends can't go to the movies.

5. \(3 + 2 + 7 = 12\)
   She ran 12 miles that week.

6. \(17 - 11 = 6\)
   She had 6 pages left to read.

7. \(15 - 11 = 4\)
   She had 4 cents left.