

Length (inches)

Grade 1 Word Problems Worksheet

It's arts and craft time for Jacob and his little brother Sean.

1. Jacob's scissors are 7 inches long. Sean's scissors are 2 inches shorter than Jacob's. How long are Sean's scissors?

2. Their mother gives the boys two pieces of strings to use. Sean's string is 8 inches long and Jacob's is 5 inches long. What is the total length of their strings?

3. The yellow crayon is used up more than the grey crayon. The grey crayon is 3 inches longer than the yellow crayon. If the yellow crayon is 1 inch long, how long is the grey crayon?



Answers

- $7 - 2 = 5$
Sean's scissors are 5 inches long.
- $8 + 5 = 13$
The total length is 13 inches.
- $3 + 1 = 4$
The grey crayon is 4 inches long.
- Jacob has a longer ruler.
- $7 - 5 = 2$
The yellow one is 2 inches longer than the blue one.
- $5 - 2 = 3$
The shorter glue stick is 3 inches long.