

Addition and subtraction word problems

Grade 2 Word Problems Worksheet

1. Megan had 149 markers. Robert gave her 39 more markers. How many markers does Megan have now?
2. Each CD rack holds 8 CDs. A shelf can hold four racks. How many total CDs can fit on the shelf?
3. Carla has some marbles. She bought 134 marbles. Now she has 187 marbles. How many did she start with?



4. Paco had 35 cookies. He ate 6 of them and his sister ate 3. How many cookies did Paco have left?
5. Kelly has 50 Nintendo games and 6 X-box games. How many Nintendo games does she need to give away so that she will have 35 Nintendo games left?
6. Connie had some marbles. She gave 73 marbles to Juan. Now Connie has 70 marbles left. How many did she have to start with?

Answers

1. $149 + 39 = 188$
Megan has 188 markers in all.
2. $8 + 8 + 8 + 8 = 32$
32 CDs can fit on the shelf.
3. $187 - 134 = 53$
Carla started with 53 marbles.
4. $35 - 6 - 3 = 26$
Paco had 26 cookies left.
5. $50 - 35 = 15$
Kelly needs to give away 15 games.
6. $73 + 70 = 143$
Connie started with 143 marbles.