

Word Problems

for K-2 Students



Seven reindeer were playing in the yard.
Two more joined the fun!
How many reindeer
are in the yard?

The kids in Mr. Miller's class wrote letters to Santa. If there were 12 girls and 9 boys in the class, how many letters were sent to Santa?

Mom put 25 candy canes on the Christmas tree. Ben ate four, and Callie ate three. How many candy canes are left on the tree?



4 Santa had 19 gifts in his sleigh. He delivered 7 toys to the Jones' house. How many gifts are left in Santa's sleigh?



5 Santa checked his list.
There were 20 kids on the Nice List, and one child on the Naughty List.
How many more kids were on the Nice List than on the Naughty List?

6 The four stockings were hung by the chimney with care. Each stocking had three gifts in it.

How many gifts were there in all?

7 Mrs. Claus made a dozen chocolate chip cookies and 6 gingerbread cookies for Santa. How many cookies did

Mrs. Claus make for Santa?

The elves hung four strings of Christmas lights. There were 3 lights burned out on one string and 6 on another. How many lights need to be replaced?



Mr. Claus has 2 dolls, 3 teddy bears, 5 trucks, and I nutcracker in his sack. How many toys are in Santa's bag?

Santa is having a Christmas party for all of the elves. He made four cheese pizzas, 3 pepperoni pizzas, and 6 sausage pizzas. How many pizzas did Santa make for the party?

There are four green ornaments, six purple ornaments, and four blue ornaments on the Christmas tree.

How many ornaments are on the tree?

Zane has \$12 to do his
Christmas shopping. He
needs \$17 to buy gifts for
his family. How many more
dollars does Zane
need to do
his shopping?

Caroline made a dozen cookies for Santa. He ate all but 5 of the cookies. How many cookies did Santa eat?



5 Buddy the Elf made 6 dolls yesterday. Then he made 4 dolls before lunch today and another 10 after lunch. How many total dolls did Buddy the Elf make?

Candy canes cost eight cents each. If the littlest elf bought two candy canes, how much money did he spend?

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Santa's sleigh has bells on the right side and on the left side. If each side has 12 bells, how many total bells does Santa's sleigh have?



Answer Key

#1	9	#9	11
#2	21	#10	14
#3	18	#11	13
#4	12	#12	\$5
#5	19	#13	7
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