

Singapore 1st Grade Math - Worksheet 6
Addition and Subtraction Within 20

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Math Problem 1

It was Alice's birthday. 15 apes came to her birthday party. When 7 apes realized that there were not going to be any bananas served, they left in a huff. However, 5 camels and 2 fewer rabbits than camels arrived a bit later and everyone had a good time. How many animals had a good time at the party?



Math Problem 2

There are 4 more cockroaches than beetles in my pocket. If there are 3 beetles in my pocket, how many cockroaches and beetles are there altogether?

Math Problem 3

A large monster destroyed the homes of the ants. So Aman Ant and Broman Ant set to work building new houses for everyone. Aman Ant built 4 more houses than Broman Ant. If they built 14 houses altogether, how many houses did Broman Ant build?



Math Problem 4

There are 17 hyenas and wild dogs playing netball. If there are 5 more wild dogs than hyenas, how many hyenas are there?

Math Problem 5

Wushu Werewolf recently opened a store that served delicious blood juice. When I went there yesterday, some vampires were lining up to buy the popular blood juice. Count Dracula was 5th from the front and 8th from the back. How many vampires were lining up?



Math Problem 6

Wally the whale lined up with some marine creatures yesterday at the sushi bar to eat some lovely squid. He was 3rd from the right and 7th from the left. How many marine creatures were lining up?

Math Problem 7

The lion tamer at the circus taught his amazing lions how to form a lion pyramid. First he taught them how to form a pyramid with 3 layers - 1 lion at the 1st layer, 2 lions at the 2nd layer and 3 lions at the 3rd layer. If he wanted to form a pyramid with 5 layers, how many lions would he need?



Math Problem 8

Marla the magnificent monkey could solve the following math question. Can you? What is the value of "C"?

$$4 + C + C + C = 19$$

Math Problem 9

Goro, Boro and Moro buried mummies for a living. Goro buried 6 mummies. Boro buried 2 more mummies than Goro. Moro buried 3 fewer mummies than Goro. How many mummies did they bury altogether?



Math Problem 10

Sally, Wally and Kelly, all of whom are vegetarian sharks because they are toothless, collect pearls as a hobby. They have 18 pearls altogether. Wally has 2 fewer pearls than Sally. If Kelly has 10 pearls, how many pearls does Sally have?

Math Problem 11

Gina Giant, Angus Orc and Tumor Troll are mean. They love to squash cute fairies with their thumbs. Last Wednesday, they crashed a fairy party and squashed 17 poor fairies. Tumor Troll gleefully squashed 9 more fairies than Angus Orc. If Angus Orc squashed only 2 fairies, for he is very slow, how many fairies did Gina Giant squash?



Math Problem 12

Three brothers decided to catch some flies. Roger swatted 5 flies with his dictionary. Brad caught 3 fewer flies than Sam. Sam caught, with his sticky tongue, 4 more flies than Roger. How many flies did the 3 brothers catch altogether?

Math Problem 13

Fleming flamingo visited his aunt in Guyana. He brought with him 18 crabs. He gave 6 crabs to his aunt. To his uncle, he gave 3 fewer crabs than what he gave to his aunt. To the baby, which was crying, he gave 5 fewer crabs than the total he gave to his aunt and uncle. How many crabs did Fleming finally have in his possession?



Math Problem 14

16 chipmunks, squirrels and bulls are running around in my room tearing up my lovely rugs. If there are 5 more squirrels than chipmunks, and the number of bulls is 3, how many chipmunks are running riot in my room?

Math Problem 15

The kingdom of Lunacoon was besieged by 13 giant scorpions. Kevin the knight was called to save the kingdom. In January, he killed 2 scorpions. In February, he killed 3 more scorpions than in January. In March, he killed the rest of these pests. How many more scorpions did he kill in March than in January?



Math Problem 16

6 animals are lining up at the ticket counter to watch the latest Kung Fu movie. The 3rd animal from the left is the Elephant. The 2nd animal from the right is the Hamster. The Rhino is between the Pig and the Elephant. The Iguana is the 4th from the left. One more animal is the Jellyfish. Can you draw the animals in the order they are lining up?

Math Problem 17

Polly the piglet was the winner in a swimming competition. So her dad gave her some money. She skipped over to the candy store and bought some tuna chocolates. As she was a generous little piggy, she gave 7 of her tuna chocolates to Martha Meerkat and 5 fewer chocolates to Brian Bulldog for he was a bully and didn't deserve any more than that. If Polly finally had 6 for herself, how many tuna chocolates did she buy at the candy store?



Math Problem 18

6 scary creatures were lining up to audition for a horror movie. The 4th from the left was a vicious vampire. The 5th from the right was a gnashing ghoul. To the right of the vampire was a musical monster. The wary werewolf, for he was a coward at heart, was between the ghoul and the vampire. If the bold bat was next to the monster, where was the fearless fairy standing?

Math Problem 19

Pasha the Pirate loved to use his sword. In January, he stabbed his math teacher and 2 other students for laughing at his blind parrot. In February, he impaled 4 cowboys for refusing to sell him their cows. In March he thrust his sword into 6 barbers for one of them shaved him bald. By the end of April, he had wounded altogether 19 people if you add up all the 4 months. How many people did he attack in April?



Math Problem 20

In the village of Shabu, nobody could answer the riddle which a two-headed monster gave them. In fury, the monster ate 5 villagers on Monday and 2 fewer villagers on Tuesday. On Wednesday, in rage, the monster ate 3 more villagers than the total number of villagers it ate on Monday and Tuesday. How many villagers did the monster eat before it was slain by a valiant warrior on Thursday?

Answers

Q1 - 16, Q2 - 10, Q3 - 5, Q4 - 6, Q5 - 12

Q6 - 9, Q7 - 15, Q8 - 5, Q9 - 17, Q10 - 5

Q11 - 4, Q12 - 20, Q13 - 5, Q14 - 4, Q15 - 4

Q16 - Figure it out!, Q17 - 15, Q18 - 1st from left, Q19 - 6, Q20 - 19