

Subtraction Puzzles

Learning objective: To practice subtracting two-digit numbers and applying subtraction in real-life contexts.

Match each subtraction problem with its correct answer from the word bank. Write the answer below each problem in the space provided.

Word bank: 27 · 18 · 14 · 45 · 19 · 21 · 56 · 34 · 41 · 32

1. What is $56 - 19$? (2 marks)

2. How much is $45 - 21$? (2 marks)

3. Calculate $34 - 18$. (2 marks)

4. Find the result of $41 - 14$. (2 marks)

5. Subtract 27 from 56. (2 marks)

Draw: Draw a picture of a garden with 56 flowers. If 19 flowers are picked, how many flowers are left? Show your work in the space below.



Extension challenge: Create your own subtraction problems and match them with the correct answers using the numbers in the word bank.