

Word Problems

Identify the correct operation then work out the answer.

1. If I need 850 g of flour to make 12 scones, how much flour will I need to make 24 scones?
2. If I make 47 scones and eat 24, how many have I got left?
3. Devlin buys 89 marbles and loses 23 down the drain, how many does he have left?
4. The chef cooks 55 sausages for a barbecue but 67 people turn up, how many more sausages does she need to feed them if they have 1 each?
5. Harry buys 120 Match Attack cards. If he gives 24 to Joe and gives Erin 34, how many does he have left?
6. Sarah buys 90 cakes and gives 24 to Ellesse and 15 to Amy, how many has she got left?
7. Harvey brings in 42 magazines for Henry, 26 for Sam and 39 magazines for Oliver, how many magazines do they have altogether?
8. Ms Sheppard gives Mrs Kannenkeril 56 bars of chocolate for her class but there are only 32 children in the class, how many bars of chocolate are left?
9. In the juniors there are 45 children in Year 3, 46 in Year 4, 48 in Year 5 and 46 children in Year 6, how many children are there altogether?
10. St Paul's has 327 children attending, 26 more join, how many are there altogether?
11. Pippa eats 32 doggy chocs in the morning and 39 doggy chocs in the afternoon, and 16 in the evening, how many doggy chocs does she eat altogether?
12. Mrs Johnston swims 32 lengths on Monday, 32 lengths on Tuesday, 43 lengths on Wednesday, 15 lengths on Thursday and 31 lengths on Friday. How many lengths has she swum altogether?
13. Sarah buys 90 balloons but 45 of them burst, how many has she got left?
14. If 95 children have school dinners on Monday and there a 25 fewer children having school dinners on Tuesday, how many are having school dinners?
15. If 34 children each brought Mrs Snape 2 chocolate biscuits and she ate 14 of them, how many would she have left?