

## Grade 3 Math Word Problems Worksheet

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*Read and answer each question. Show your work!*

### Addition and Subtraction Word Problems #2

1. Misha has 34 dollars. How many dollars does she have to earn to have 47 dollars to buy a dog?
2. Elisa has 37 dollars. How many more dollars does she have to earn to have 53 dollars?
3. James had 39 stickers. He got some more stickers for his birthday. Then he had 61 stickers. How many stickers did James get for his birthday?
4. There were 51 geese in the farmer's field. 28 of the geese flew away. How many geese were left in the field?
5. The elephant had 407 peanuts. She ate 129 of them. How many peanuts did the elephant have left?

6. There were 27 boys and 35 girls on the playground at recess. How many children were on the playground at recess?
  
7. There were 58 geese and 37 ducks in the marsh. How many birds were in the marsh?
  
8. Paul had 28 strawberries in his basket. He picked 35 more strawberries. How many strawberries did he have then?
  
9. Gary had 73 dollars. He spent 55 dollars on a pet snake. How many dollars did Gary have left?

## Answers

1.  $47 - 34 = 13$   
She has to earn 13 dollars.
2.  $53 - 37 = 16$   
She has to earn 16 dollars.
3.  $61 - 39 = 22$   
He got 22 stickers.
4.  $51 - 28 = 23$   
23 geese were left.
5.  $407 - 129 = 278$   
There were 278 peanuts left.
6.  $27 + 35 = 62$   
There were 62 children.
7.  $58 + 37 = 95$   
There were 95 birds.
8.  $28 + 35 = 63$   
He had 63 strawberries.
9.  $73 - 55 = 18$   
Gary had 18 dollars left.