

Subtracting Whole Numbers Elaborate Activity Sheet

1. Jerome needs to make 18 games. He has already made 9. How many more games does he need to make? Use pictures, words, and numbers to solve this.

2. Ben is painting 18 stars on his bedroom wall. He has painted 6 so far. How many more stars does he have to paint?

3. Jane is counting out 20 pennies to give to her sister. She has counted 16. How many more does she need to count?



4. There were 17 planes at the airport. 13 took off. How many planes are still at the airport?

5. Jared's brother told him there are 15 drawers in their mother's kitchen. He has counted 8 so far. How many more drawers does he have to count? Justify your answer and explain how the problem solving process helped you determine your answer.

Write number sentences for each problem situation.

- 6. Juan had \$6. He bought a snack that cost \$2. How much money does Juan have left?
- 7. Pete had 14 pencils. He gave 6 away. How many does he have left?
- 8. Marissa had 12 bracelets. She gave 7 to her sister. How many does she have left?

