



## Subtracting Whole Numbers

*Evaluate – Answer Key*

Use pictures, numbers and words to show your answer.

**Pictures will vary.**

- 1 There are 7 balls at the park. Suddenly 2 balls blew away. How many balls are left?

**5**

- 2 Miss Robin has 19 students in her class. 2 students move away. How many students are in her class now?

**17**



- 3 In the month of May there are 15 school days. Lisa is absent 3 days. How many days was she in school?

12

- 4 Write a problem that could be solved using decomposing a number.

Answers may vary. Possible answer:

Jan has 13 cubes. She gives 7 to her friend. How many does she have left?

- 5 Jerome needs to buy 10 gifts. He has already bought 6 gifts. How many more gifts does he need to buy?

$10 - 6 = 4$

