

Subtraction Word Problems Review

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Let's practice taking away!

Name: _____

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Answer the following questions about subtraction and 'taking away'.

1. In math, 'taking away' means to ___ some items from a group.

2. Wisdom is better than silver according to Proverbs 3:13-14.

True False

3. What do we use to help us solve subtraction problems?

- A. Counters
- B. Pencils
- C. Books

4. Why is it important to understand each step when solving problems?

5. Match the word problem to the action.

5 apples, 2 eaten

3 apples left

10 birds, 3 flew away

7 birds left

6. What does 'taking away' mean in math? Circle the correct answer.

Adding

Subtracting

Counting

7. We can use counters to show 'taking away'.

True False

8. In subtraction, we always start by identifying the ___ and what is being removed.

9. What is better than fine gold according to Proverbs?

- A. Wisdom
- B. Kindness
- C. Strength

10. Can you think of a time when you lost something? What was it?

Answer Key

1. subtract 2. True 3. Counters 4. So we can find the right answer. 5. 3 apples left 6. 7 birds left 7. Subtracting 8. True 9. total 10. Wisdom