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## Subtraction Word Problems

1. If Sally had 9 apples and she gave 3 away to her friend, how many are left?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
2. Tom had 7 pencils, but he lost 4 at school. How many pencils does he have now?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
3. There were 8 birds on a tree. 5 birds flew away. How many have left the tree?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
4. Jim's toy car collection decreased by 2 when he gave some to his little brother. If he had 6 cars to start with, how many does he have now?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
5. Kelly had 7 cupcakes, and she ate 3. How much fewer cupcakes does she have now?

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1. The original price of a book was 9 dollars, but it was reduced by 6 dollars in a sale. What is the new price?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
2. There were 5 red marbles and 3 blue marbles. What is the difference between the red and blue marbles?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
3. If you had 8 candies and take away 4, how many candies do you have now?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
4. Ben was carrying 9 balloons, but 2 flew away. How many balloons remain?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
5. There are 7 girls and 5 boys in a classroom. How many more girls are there than boys?