Missing Numbers in Subtraction

Grade 3

Name _____ Date _____

Remember: Blank **first**? Add: ___ − 8 = 25 → 25 + 8 = 33. Blank **second**? Subtract: 40 − 26 = 14.

Check: put your number in and read the sentence.

1. Find the answer

Fill in the blank.

1. _____ − 4 = 28
2. 62 − _____ = 46
3. _____ − 4 = 91
4. _____ − 4 = 79
5. _____ − 18 = 11
6. 23 − _____ = 8
7. 38 − _____ = 25
8. 66 − _____ = 55
9. _____ − 6 = 56
10. 62 − _____ = 55
11. 37 − _____ = 25
12. _____ − 11 = 45
13. 42 − _____ = 29
14. 23 − _____ = 6
15. 71 − _____ = 58
16. _____ − 17 = 18
17. _____ − 6 = 38
18. _____ − 7 = 74
19. _____ − 6 = 85
20. 55 − _____ = 38

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2. More practice

Fill in the blank.

1. _____ − 7 = 49
2. 64 − _____ = 52
3. _____ − 5 = 38
4. 90 − _____ = 83
5. 47 − _____ = 39
6. 88 − _____ = 81

3. Word problems

Solve. Show your work.

1. **Maya had some marbles and gave away 8. Now Maya has 25. How many marbles did Maya have at first?**

2. **Noah had 40 cards. After giving some away, Noah has 26. How many cards did Noah give away?**

Answer Key

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1. Find the answer

1. **32** − 4 = 28
2. 62 − **16** = 46
3. **95** − 4 = 91
4. **83** − 4 = 79
5. **29** − 18 = 11
6. 23 − **15** = 8
7. 38 − **13** = 25
8. 66 − **11** = 55
9. **62** − 6 = 56
10. 62 − **7** = 55
11. 37 − **12** = 25
12. **56** − 11 = 45
13. 42 − **13** = 29
14. 23 − **17** = 6
15. 71 − **13** = 58
16. **35** − 17 = 18
17. **44** − 6 = 38
18. **81** − 7 = 74
19. **91** − 6 = 85
20. 55 − **17** = 38

2. More practice

1. **56** − 7 = 49
2. 64 − **12** = 52
3. **43** − 5 = 38
4. 90 − **7** = 83
5. 47 − **8** = 39
6. 88 − **7** = 81

3. Word problems

Answers.

1. **Maya had some marbles and gave away 8. Now Maya has 25. How many marbles did Maya have at first?**
   ___ − 8 = 25, so 25 + 8 = 33 marbles
2. **Noah had 40 cards. After giving some away, Noah has 26. How many cards did Noah give away?**
   40 − ___ = 26, so 40 − 26 = 14 cards