

**Solve each problem.**

- 1) Amy had seventy-nine DS games. If she gave sixty-eight to her friend, how many would she have left?
- 2) A chef used thirty-nine cherries to make a pie. Now he has fifty-eight cherries left. How many cherries did he have before he made the pie?
- 3) A museum had seventy-nine paintings. If they got rid of sixty-six of them, how many pictures would they have left?
- 4) Maria took forty-eight dollars from her piggy bank. Now she has thirty-one dollars in her piggy bank. How much money was originally in there?
- 5) Will had \$96. He spent \$13 on new video games. How much money does he have now?
- 6) While playing a video game Dave lost twenty-three lives. Now he has sixty-nine lives. How many lives did Dave have at the start?
- 7) Paul gave away two of his video games to a friend. Now Paul has thirty games. How many games did Paul have before he gave the games away?
- 8) Gwen had some candy. She gave her friend ten pieces and had eighty-seven left. How many pieces did she have to start with?
- 9) Olivia had ninety-four pencils. After using some she had seventy-eight left. How many did she use?
- 10) Billy had thirty-three books. After selling some in a garage sale he had eleven left. How many books did he sell?
- 11) A baker sold three cakes. Now he has ninety-four cakes. How many cakes did the baker have to start with?
- 12) The book fair sold twenty posters. Now they have sixty-eight posters left. How many posters did they have to begin with?

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- 1) Amy had 79 DS games. If she gave 68 to her friend, how many would she have left?
- 2) A chef used 39 cherries to make a pie. Now he has 58 cherries left. How many cherries did he have before he made the pie?
- 3) A museum had 79 paintings. If they got rid of 66 of them, how many pictures would they have left?
- 4) Maria took 48 dollars from her piggy bank. Now she has 31 dollars in her piggy bank. How much money was originally in there?
- 5) Will had \$96. He spent \$13 on new video games. How much money does he have now?
- 6) While playing a video game Dave lost 23 lives. Now he has 69 lives. How many lives did Dave have at the start?
- 7) Paul gave away 2 of his video games to a friend. Now Paul has 30 games. How many games did Paul have before he gave the games away?
- 8) Gwen had some candy. She gave her friend 10 pieces and had 87 left. How many pieces did she have to start with?
- 9) Olivia had 94 pencils. After using some she had 78 left. How many did she use?
- 10) Billy had 33 books. After selling some in a garage sale he had 11 left. How many books did he sell?