

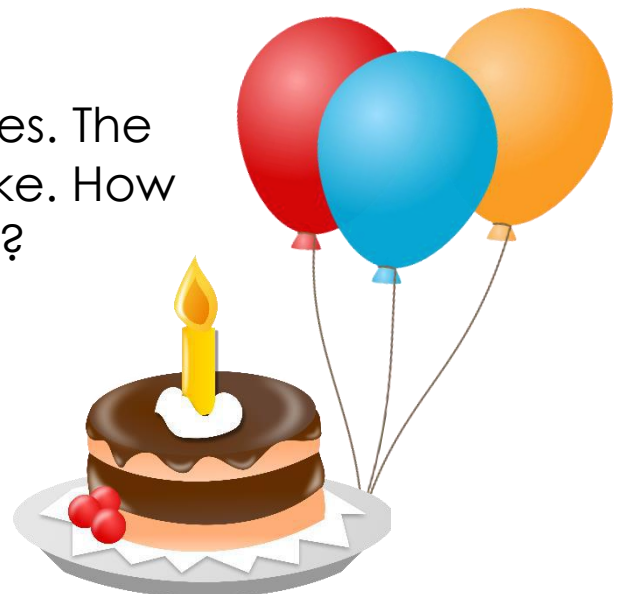


Subtraction (numbers less than 50)

Grade 1 Word Problems Worksheet

Alvin's birthday party was over. He said goodbye to his guests and helped to clean up.

1. There were 21 children at his party. 16 of them were picked up. The rest of them walked home on their own. How many children walked home?
2. His mother baked 37 cookies and 10 muffins. There were 3 cookies left. How many cookies were eaten at the party?
3. The cake weighed 44 ounces. The guests ate 39 ounces of cake. How many ounces of cake is left?





- There were 42 glasses of juice. The guests at the party spilled 4 glasses of juice and drank 31 glasses of juice. How many glasses were left?
- There were 21 children at his party. Alvin's mother prepared 30 loot bags. Each child only took one loot bag. How many loot bags were left?
- Write the subtraction sentence that fits this: "Alvin were writing thank you cards for the 21 guests. He finished writing 7 cards and he still need to write 14 cards."



Answers

1. $21 - 16 = 5$
5 children walked home on their own.
2. $37 - 3 = 34$
34 were eaten at the party.
3. $44 - 39 = 5$
There were 5 ounces of cake left.
4. $42 - 4 - 31 = 7$
There were 7 glasses of juice left.
5. $30 - 21 = 9$
There were 9 loot bags left.
6. $21 - 7 = 14$