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Borrowing Story Problems

Read the story. Draw a picture, then write the number sentence.

1. A bag holds 44 balloons. 26 of them are red and the rest are blue. How many balloons are blue?



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2. Kai has 80 stickers. Omar has 49 stickers. How many more stickers does Kai have than Omar?



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3. Noah needs 45 stickers for a project and already has 18. How many more stickers does Noah need?



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4. Mia has 72 marbles. Mia gives 49 marbles to a friend. How many marbles does Mia have left?



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5. There are 32 birds on a fence. 19 birds fly away. How many birds are still on the fence?



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6. There are 60 children on the playground. 29 of them go inside. How many children are still on the playground?



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Borrowing Story Problems (Answer Key)

Read the story. Draw a picture, then write the number sentence.

1. A bag holds 44 balloons. 26 of them are red and the rest are blue. How many balloons are blue?



$$44 - 26 = 18$$

2. Kai has 80 stickers. Omar has 49 stickers. How many more stickers does Kai have than Omar?



$$80 - 49 = 31$$

3. Noah needs 45 stickers for a project and already has 18. How many more stickers does Noah need?



$$45 - 18 = 27$$

4. Mia has 72 marbles. Mia gives 49 marbles to a friend. How many marbles does Mia have left?



$$72 - 49 = 23$$

5. There are 32 birds on a fence. 19 birds fly away. How many birds are still on the fence?



$$32 - 19 = 13$$

6. There are 60 children on the playground. 29 of them go inside. How many children are still on the playground?



$$60 - 29 = 31$$