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My Homework

Lesson 7

Check Subtraction

Homework Helper



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You can check the answer to a subtraction problem.

Check $37 - 15 = 22$.

Subtract

$$\begin{array}{r} 37 \\ - 15 \\ \hline 22 \end{array}$$

Add these
numbers to
check.

Check by Adding

$$\begin{array}{r} 22 \\ + 15 \\ \hline 37 \end{array}$$

If this is the
number you
subtracted from,
you are correct.

Practice

Subtract. Check by adding.

1.
$$\begin{array}{r} 67 \\ - 48 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

+ _____

2.
$$\begin{array}{r} 52 \\ - 36 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

+ _____

3.
$$\begin{array}{r} 80 \\ - 68 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

+ _____

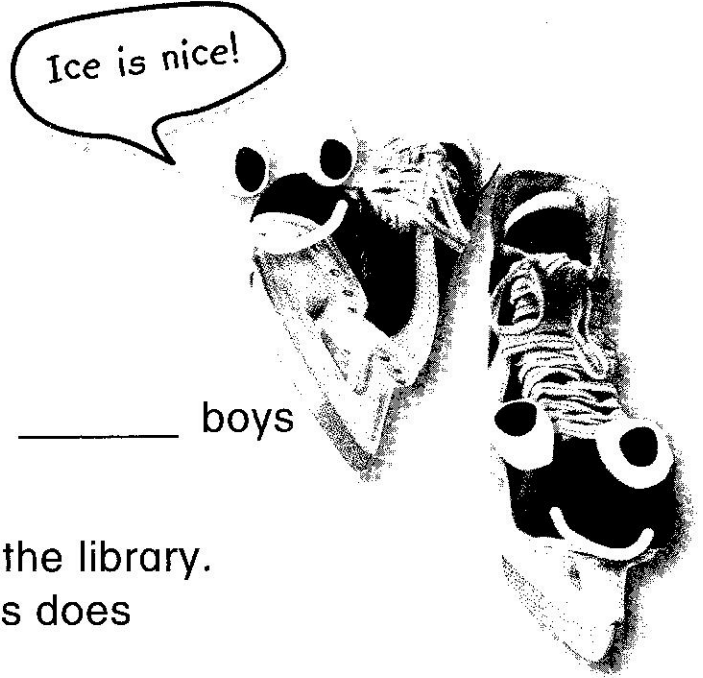
4.
$$\begin{array}{r} 91 \\ - 45 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

+ _____

Solve. Check by adding.

5. There are 46 girls skating.
There are 67 boys skating.
How many more boys than girls are skating?

_____ boys



6. Molly checks out 21 books from the library.
She returns 12. How many books does Molly still have?

_____ books

7. Reid kicked the football 20 times. He missed a field goal 6 times. How many times did he make a field goal?

_____ times

Test Practice

8. Mrs. Levine is 83 years old. Mrs. Smith is 67 years old.
How many years older is Mrs. Levine than Mrs. Smith?

16 years

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20 years

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26 years

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17 years

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Math at Home Ask your child to find $43 - 16$. Then have your child show you how to check the answer.