Two-Step Word Problems

Each problem has two steps. Work out the first step, then the second.

1. **A team scored 15 points in the first game. In the second game they scored 20 more points than in the first. How many points did they score in both games?**

   working ____ points

2. **There are 36 boys and 15 girls in the school play. 25 of them sing. How many children in the play do not sing?**

   working ____ children

3. **A shop had 98 apples. It sold 21 in the morning and 15 in the afternoon. How many apples are left?**

   working ____ apples

4. **A book has 88 pages. Omar reads 27 pages on Monday and 29 pages on Tuesday. How many pages are left to read?**

   working ____ pages

5. **Ravi has 23 stickers and gets 25 more. Then Ravi gives 23 stickers away. How many stickers does Ravi have now?**

   working ____ stickers

6. **There are 44 people on a bus. At a stop, 20 people get off and 18 people get on. How many people are on the bus now?**

   working ____ people

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Two-Step Word Problems: Answers

Answer key: the answers are filled in.

1. **A team scored 15 points in the first game. In the second game they scored 20 more points than in the first. How many points did they score in both games?**

   working | **50** points

2. **There are 36 boys and 15 girls in the school play. 25 of them sing. How many children in the play do not sing?**

   working | **26** children

3. **A shop had 98 apples. It sold 21 in the morning and 15 in the afternoon. How many apples are left?**

   working | **62** apples

4. **A book has 88 pages. Omar reads 27 pages on Monday and 29 pages on Tuesday. How many pages are left to read?**

   working | **32** pages

5. **Ravi has 23 stickers and gets 25 more. Then Ravi gives 23 stickers away. How many stickers does Ravi have now?**

   working | **25** stickers

6. **There are 44 people on a bus. At a stop, 20 people get off and 18 people get on. How many people are on the bus now?**

   working | **42** people

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