Grade 2 Word Problems Worksheet

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Monday Rush at the Post Office

1 The post office started with 150 sheets of stamps. By the end of the day, 105 sheets were left. How many sheets of stamps were sold on Monday?

2 the post office received 100 parcels. In the morning, 45 parcels were picked up, and in the afternoon, another 30 parcels were taken. How many parcels are still at the post office?

3 The post office received 200 letters throughout the day. In the afternoon, 80 letters were delivered, and in the evening, another 65 letters were sent out. How many letters are left at the post office?

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Thursday Holiday Rush

1 The post office started with 250 boxes of holiday cards. By the end of the day, 195 boxes were sold. How many boxes of holiday cards are left?

2 The post office received 180 letters and 140 parcels. In the morning, 70 letters were sorted and sent out, and in the afternoon, 50 more letters were sent out. How many letters are left to be sorted?

3 Out of 90 parcels received, 25 were delivered in the morning, and 30 were delivered in the afternoon. How many parcels are still waiting to be delivered?

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A Busy Day at the Stationery Store

1 The stationery store had 85 customers today. Of those, 47 were students. How many customers were not students?

2 The store had 120 notebooks in the morning. By the end of the day, 78 notebooks were sold. How many notebooks are left?

3 Mark had $35 to spend. He bought a sketchbook for $18. How much money does Mark have left?

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Preparing for the School Year

1 The bookstore sold 94 items today. Of these, 61 were textbooks. How many items were not textbooks?

2 A total of 65 customers bought pens. If 42 of these customers bought blue pens, how many bought pens in other colors?

3 Lily had $75 for school supplies. She bought a backpack for $40. How much money does Lily have left?

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Shopping at the Bookstore

1 The bookstore sold 120 books today. Of these, 85 were novels. How many of the sold books were not novels?

2 67 people visited the magazine section. If 39 of them bought a magazine, how many people did not buy one?

3 Tom had $60. He spent $28 on notebooks. How much money does Tom have left?

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There was a small café at the corner of two streets and they served coffee and light snacks during the afternoons.

1 There were 80 mugs for hot drinks and 60 glasses for cold drinks. One day, a waiter dropped a tray of dishes and broke 15 mugs and 6 glasses. How many glasses were left?

2 The manager ordered 30 new mugs and 15 new glasses. But 6 mugs were chipped, and 5 mugs came in with the wrong color. So, the manager returned the broken mugs and wrong mugs. How many new mugs were there?

3 There were 39 boxes of tuna fish sandwiches. There were 5 boxes less of the egg salad sandwiches. If 6 boxes of the egg salad sandwiches turned bad, how many boxes of egg salad were left?