## STORY PROBLEMS

## What are Story Problems?

- Story problems are a set of sentences that give you the information to a problem that you need to solve.
- With a story problem, it is your job to figure out whether you will use addition or subtraction to solve the problem.


## How to Solve Story Problems:

- When solving story problems, it is best to look at the words that are being used. These words will give you clues to whether you will need to use addition or subtraction to solve the problem.


Randy has 4 gumballs. He buys 5 more. How many gumballs does Randy have now?

Kate's mom made 12 cookies. Kate ate 6 cookies. How many cookies are left?

