WONDERLEARNERZ PRIMARY ACADEMY â€" OFFICIAL ANSWER KEY & MARKING SCHEME

Maths Word Problems - Worksheet 8 [ANSWER KEY]

Grade 2 | Mathematics | Ch 19: Maths Word Problems | Total Marks: 19 | Time: 35 Minutes

Q1. In Chapter 'Maths Word Problems', calculate: 23 + 31 = ? [1 Mark]

Correct Answer: 54

Explanation: 23 + 31 = 54.

Q2. Calculate: 54 - 31 = ? [1 Mark]

Correct Answer: 23

Explanation: 54 - 31 = 23.

Q3. Which comparison is correct: 54 [?] 49? [1 Mark]

Correct Answer: >

Explanation: 54 is greater than 49.

Q4. What number is 10 more than 23? [1 Mark]

Correct Answer: 33

Explanation: 23 + 10 = 33.

Q5. A baker packed 23 apple pies in the morning and 31 cherry pies in the afternoon. [1 Mark]
How many pies did the baker pack in all?

Correct Answer: 54 pies

Explanation: 23 + 31 = 54 pies in total.

Q6. A school library received 54 new graphic novels. Students checked out 31 novels on [1 Mark]
Monday. How many new novels are still on the shelf?

Correct Answer: 23 novels

Explanation: 54 - 31 = 23 novels remaining.

Q7. In a school garden, there are 23 yellow marigolds and 31 purple petunias. How many [1 Mark]
flowers are blooming in total?

Correct Answer: 54 flowers

Explanation: 23 + 31 = 54 flowers.

Q8. Find the missing number: 23 + [?] = 54. [1 Mark]

Correct Answer: 31

Explanation: Missing value is 31 because 23 + 31 = 54.

Q9. Complete the pattern: 23, 28, 33, [?]. [1 Mark]

Correct Answer: 38

Explanation: The pattern increases by 5. 33 + 5 = 38.

Q10. A student claimed that 23 + 31 = 64 because 'we must add 10 to every answer'. Why [1 Mark]
is this student wrong?

Correct Answer: Addition means combining only the given numbers without adding extra amounts

Explanation: 23 + 31 equals exactly 54.

Q11. Sam evaluated 54 - 31 and wrote 85. What was Sam's mistake? [1 Mark]

Correct Answer: He added instead of subtracting

Explanation: The minus sign means subtraction (taking away), but Sam performed addition.

Q12. Why is 54 greater than 23? [1 Mark]

Correct Answer: Because 54 includes 23 plus an additional 31 items

Explanation: Adding a positive quantity always increases the total.

Q13. If 23 + 31 = 54, what is 31 + 23? **[1 Mark]**

Correct Answer: 54

Explanation: The order of addends does not affect the sum (commutative property).

Q14. A secret number plus 31 equals 54. If you double the secret number, what is the result? **[1 Mark]**

Correct Answer: 46

Explanation: The secret number is 23. Doubling it gives 23 x 2 = 46.

Q15. What is the difference between (54 + 10) and (23 + 10)? **[1 Mark]**

Correct Answer: 31

Explanation: Adding 10 to both numbers does not change their difference: (54 + 10) - (23 + 10) = 54 - 23 = 31.