

Solving Subtraction Word Problems

Instructions: Read each question carefully. Show all working in the box provided.

1. Kelsey has 327 balls in a jar. He lost 210 balls.
How many balls does he have left?

2. Elizabeth baked 2, 986 cookies for her school's fair. If she sold 1,433 cookies, how many cookies were left?

3. Robert collects seashells every weekend. He collected 5,490 shells between Friday to Sunday. He used 5,480 for his science project.
How many shells does he have left?

4. Alfonso saw 986 cars in the mall's parking lot. If 423 cars drove away, how many cars were left?