Seedling Two-Step Garden Problems

Grade 3 | Problem solving | Mixed operations | Color

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Solve each garden story in two steps. Write one equation for each step, then give the final answer with a label.

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Complete all six prompts. You may write, point, explain aloud, or use a scribe.

1 **3 rows of 6 plants; 4 wilt. How many remain?**

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2 **5 baskets hold 4 apples each; 7 are used. Left?**

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3 **24 seeds split in 3 pots; add 2 seeds to each pot. Each?**

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4 **4 trays hold 8 cups each; 5 cups spill. Left?**

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5 **18 flowers in 2 equal vases; add 3 to each. Each?**

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6 **Explain which operations solve 6 bags of 5, then 8 given away.**

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Grown-up check: 14 plants; 13 apples; 10 seeds; 27 cups; 12 flowers; multiply 6 x 5 = 30, then subtract 8 to get 22.