Two-Step Word Problems

Grades 2-3 | Math reasoning | Advanced

Learner: _____ Date: _____

Underline what you know. Solve one step at a time. Use a picture, equation, objects, or words.

Maya had 8 shells. She found 7 more, then gave 4 away. How many remain?

Equation: _____ Answer: _____

A shelf held 20 books. Six were borrowed, then 3 returned. How many are there now?

Equation: _____ Answer: _____

There were 9 red beads and 6 blue beads. Five beads were used. How many remain?

Equation: _____ Answer: _____

Grown-up check: 8+7-4=11; 20-6+3=17; 9+6-5=10.

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