Prep CD’s Subtraction Stories
A collection of stories that help us solve subtraction problems.

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In the ocean there were 5 sharks. 1 swam away. How many are left?

By Jason
I had 10 apples on my apple tree. I ate 2.
How many are left?

By Rachel
On the footy field there were 10 footy players. 4 got subbed off. How many are left?

By Peter
On the footy field there were 10 footy players. 5 got subbed off. How many are left?

By Aiden
On a tree there were 10 apples. I ate 3. How many are left?

By Sienna
I had 3 scoops of ice cream. I ate 1 scoop. How many are left?

By Harry T
I had 5 scoops of ice cream. 4 melted. How many are left?

By Juliette
In the ocean there were 10 sharks. 2 swam away. How many are left?

By Max
I had 10 worms in my apple. I threw back 3. How many are left?

By Xavier
In the ocean there were 10 humpback whales 5 swam away. How many are left?

By Alexander T
On the footy field there were 2 footy players. 1 left. How many are left?

By Alexander S
On the ice there were 5 Emperor Penguins. 4 swam away. How many are left?
I had 4 apples in my tree. I ate 3. How many are left?

By Matilda
I had 6 scoops of ice cream. 4 melted. How many are left?

By Hannah
There were 4 penguins on the ice. 2 swam away. How many are left?

By Lexie
I had 10 scoops of ice cream. I ate 2. How many are left?

By Harry F
In the garden there was a flower with 8 petals. 6 blew away. How many are left?

By Eva