


Word Problems

 Directions: Solve the word problems.

1. There were some students in a classroom. 7 students walked out. 6 students were left in the classroom. How many students were in the classroom at the beginning?

Write and solve an equation to show this problem. Use a symbol for the unknown number.

_____ students

2. Faith had 13 pencils. She lost some pencils on her way to school. Now Faith has 5 pencils left. How many pencils did Faith lose on her way to school?

Write and solve an equation to show this problem. Use a symbol for the unknown number.

_____ pencils

3. There were 4 butterflies on a red bush and 3 butterflies on a yellow bush. 2 butterflies flew away. How many butterflies are left.

Write and solve an equation to show this problem. Use a symbol for the unknown number.

_____ butterflies left

____ I double checked my work.