

Problem-Solving Decision: Choose the Operation

Problem Each minibus seats 6 passengers. There are 30 third-graders going on the field trip to the petting zoo. How many minibuses are needed to drive all the students?

UNDERSTAND

1. What do you want to know?

PLAN

2. Do you need to combine the groups or separate the groups? What operation will you use?

SOLVE

3. Write your solution in a complete sentence.

LOOK BACK

4. Could you have used a different operation to solve the problem? Explain.
