

Subtract Across Zeros

TAKS Objective 1
TEKS 3.3A, 3.3B

Solve each problem.

1. Marisa is packing 650 books to ship. She packed 347 books before lunch. How many books must she pack after lunch to finish?

2. A puzzle has 500 pieces. Sandy has put together 249 pieces. How many more pieces does Sandy have to put together?

3. Marty saved \$5,410 to buy new furniture. He spent \$2,355. How much money does Marty have left?

4. A total of 4,200 people attended the first day of a two-day rock music festival. 2,012 fewer people attended the second day. How many people attended the second day?

5. A small town's public library has 5,240 books in its collection. People donated 550 more books. The library discarded 305 books because they were in poor condition. How many books does the library have now? What two operations did you have to perform to get your answer?

6. A survey found that 6,925 families in a town have a personal computer in their homes. Another 12,700 families do not own a personal computer. How many more families don't have personal computers than those that do?
