

Write a Number Sentence

There are **2** boys playing ball.

There are **5** girls jumping rope.

How many children are playing in all?

UNDERSTAND

What do I know?

What do I need to find out?

PLAN

Can I write a number sentence to solve?

SOLVE

What addition sentence will I write? + =

How many children are playing? _____ children

LOOK BACK

Is there another way I could have solved the problem?
Explain.