

Lesson 1: Story Problems and Expressions

• Let's make sense of and solve story problems.

Warm-up: Notice and Wonder: A Library

What do you notice? What do you wonder?





1.1: The Library

1. Some kids were at the library.
Then some of the kids went home.
What do you notice?
What do you wonder?



2. There were 9 kids at the library.

Then 2 of the kids went home.

How many kids are at the library now?

Show your thinking using drawings, numbers, or words.



1.2: Story Problems about the Library

1.5 books were on a shelf.

Clare put 2 more books on the shelf.

How many books are on the shelf now?

Show your thinking using drawings, numbers, or words.

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2. 6 books were stacked up on the table.

4 of the books fell on the floor.

How many books are still on the table?

Show your thinking using drawings, numbers, or words.

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| 3. | 6 kids were listening to a story. 4 more kids joined the group. How many kids are listening to the story now? Show your thinking using drawings, numbers, or words. |
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| 4. | There were 5 computers turned on. The librarian turned 2 of the computers off. |
| | How many computers are still on? |
| | Show your thinking using drawings, numbers, or words. |

Expression: