Subtraction Word Problems (G)		
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Subtraction Word Problems (G) Answers

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$$14 - 6 = 8$$

26. Seventeen bears had come into Travis's town this summer. The conservation officer had caught 11 of them and put them back into the forest far away from town. How many more bears did the conservation officer have to catch?

$$17 - 11 = 6$$

27. Tammy's family was having a family reunion. So far, Tammy had found beds for 12 of her relatives, but she was expecting 23 relatives. How many more beds did she need to find?

$$23 - 12 = 11$$

28. Craig drove 22 minutes to get to work. Crystal only had to drive 10 minutes to get to work. How much shorter was Crystal's drive?

$$22 - 10 = 12$$