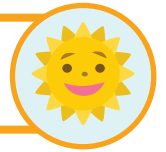# Beachy Word Problems

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Solve the word problems. Be sure to show your work.

ANSWERS

1. Peter and Prunella were collecting seashells on the beach. They found 193 sand dollars, 284 mussel shells, and 367 oyster shells. When they got home, they discovered that 54 sand dollars, 106 mussel shells, and 139 oyster shells were broken. How many of the shells were unbroken?

545 shells were unbroken

2. Prunella gathered 5 baskets of shells. Each basket contained 50 shells. She gave 48 shells to Peter, 19 shells to her mother, and 72 shells to her cousin, Petunia. How many shells did Prunella have left?

111 shells left

3. Last week, Peter found 241 sand dollars, 106 sea snail shells, and 82 mini conch shells. This week, he found 165 sand dollars, 319 sea snail shells, and 24 mini conch shells. During which week did Peter find more shells? How many more?

He found 79 more shells this week

4. On Saturday morning, Peter and Prunella arrived at the annual beach clean up event at 9:00. They spent 53 minutes picking up trash and 27 minutes raking sand. If the event ends at 10:30, how many minutes do they have left to make signs that read "keep our beach clean"?

10 minutes