



## Answer Key

# Word Problems: Addition

Read each word problem below.  
Write a number sentence and solve the problem.

### Example:

There are 14 baby chicks in the hen house. 10 more baby chicks are born. How many baby chicks are in the hen house now?

$$\begin{array}{r} 14 \\ + 10 \\ \hline 24 \end{array}$$

Sara has 15 goldfish. Aunt Trish gives her 16 more goldfish. How many goldfish does Sara have now?

$$\begin{array}{r} 15 \\ + 16 \\ \hline 31 \end{array}$$

Will finds 48 seashells at the beach. Joy finds 36 seashells. How many seashells do they have total?

$$\begin{array}{r} 48 \\ + 36 \\ \hline 84 \end{array}$$

Dad plants 22 flowers in the yard. Mom plants 15 more flowers. How many flowers are in the yard now?

$$\begin{array}{r} 22 \\ + 15 \\ \hline 37 \end{array}$$

Lily has 30 pieces of candy. Rick has 27 pieces of candy. How many pieces of candy do they have total?

$$\begin{array}{r} 30 \\ + 27 \\ \hline 57 \end{array}$$

Tim has 13 shiny rocks in his fish tank. He places 18 more shiny rocks into the tank. How many shiny rocks are in the fish tank now?

$$\begin{array}{r} 13 \\ + 18 \\ \hline 31 \end{array}$$