

INVERSE SUBTRACTION PRACTICE

The missing number in these subtraction problems all come at the beginning of the number sentences. Can you work backwards using the *inverse operation* (addition) to complete each problem? Give it a try!

1 _____ - 9 = 8

10 _____ - 16 = 3

2 _____ - 4 = 14

11 _____ - 3 = 6

3 _____ - 6 = 11

12 _____ - 7 = 10

4 _____ - 1 = 17

13 _____ - 3 = 15

5 _____ - 10 = 2

14 _____ - 11 = 4

6 _____ - 4 = 12

15 _____ - 2 = 18

7 _____ - 2 = 16

16 _____ - 5 = 7

8 _____ - 12 = 5

17 _____ - 1 = 19

9 _____ - 8 = 9

18 _____ - 5 = 13