



Scary Skeleton Word Problems



- 1.** In a haunted house there is a large closet. The skeletons of all the ghosts that are haunting this house come and go from the large closet. 10 go in, 2 come out. 12 more go in, 3 come out. 5 go in, 7 come out. 10 more go in, only 1 comes out. 4 go in, and 8 come out. How many skeletons are left in the closet?
- 2.** An adult skeleton has 206 bones. There are 27 bones in each hand and 26 bones in each foot. How many bones are *not* in the hands and feet?
- 3.** Stumpy the skeleton goes for a bike ride every night in the cemetery. He rides $\frac{1}{2}$ way around the cemetery and stops. Stumpy then bikes $\frac{3}{4}$ of the way around before stopping again. He finishes his ride by biking another $\frac{3}{8}$. how far around the cemetery does Stumpy bike?