



SWEET SUBTRACTION WORD PROBLEMS

Answer the word problems below.
Be sure to show your work!

1. Amelia made 34 cookies for her school bake sale. The first hour she sold 18. The second hour she sold 9. She ate 1. How many cookies did she have left?

2. Emily's dad brought her a box of chocolates. The box held 24 chocolates. She gave two each to her mother, her sister, her brother, and her dad. She ate 3. How many did she have left?

3. Ty invited 12 kids to his birthday party. He had 24 cupcakes. 9 kids ate one each, and the rest ate 2 each. How many cupcakes were left for him?

4. Teacher Becky has 21 students in her class. She has 45 peppermints. If she gives one to each student, and eats 1 herself, how many does she have left over?

5. Joan and 4 friends went to the candy store. They bought 24 candies, and each ate 2. How many candies were left over?

