

Problem Solving

Solve the problems below. Write a number sentence and use 2-3 additional math strategies to show your thinking. Refer to the “Ways to justify, defend, and prove my answer” document on Schoolwire for ideas.

1. There were 4 dogs playing in the park. 7 more dogs join them. How many dogs are playing in the park now?

2. . Sara has 15 lollipops. She passes 8 out to her friends. How many lollipops does Sara have now?

*****Challenge!*****

3. Katie has 20 Skittles. Some are orange, 9 are red, and 4 are purple. How many Skittles are orange?