

Travel Addition or Subtraction

Solve the following word problems.

1 John traveled 15 miles to visit his grandmother. On his way back, he took a shortcut and only traveled 5 miles. How many miles did he travel in total?

2 Sarah has 20 postcards from her travels. She sent 7 postcards to her friends. How many postcards does she have left?

3 Tom traveled 8 miles to the airport and then another 10 miles to his hotel. How many miles did Tom travel altogether?

4 Mia collected 20 seashells from the beach during her vacation. She gave 9 seashells to her friends. How many seashells does Mia have now?

5 Peter visited 5 countries last year. This year, he visited 7 more countries. How many countries has Peter visited in total?

6 Emma packed 20 books for her trip. She read 6 books during the journey. How many books does Emma have left to read?

7 Alex traveled 12 miles to the museum and then another 5 miles to the zoo. How many miles did Alex travel in total?

8 Sophia bought 20 souvenirs from her trip. She gave 8 souvenirs to her friends. How many souvenirs does Sophia have left?

