

Addition word problems

Grade 3 Math Word Problems Worksheet

Penny's class is going to Animaland, the largest zoo on earth, for their science field trip. The zoo has a variety of wild animals in captivity.

1. Their first destination was the aviary. The aviary has 3 species of eagles on show that day. They have 20 Bald Eagles, 15 Harpy Eagles, and 30 Crowned Eagles. How many eagles are on display that day?

2. After the aviary was the zoo's swamp area. Penny counted a total of 55 tree frogs, 10 poison frogs and 13 wood frogs. How many frogs was Penny able to count?

3. Aside from frogs, the swamp area is also home to a few dangerous animals. Penny's teacher pointed out 22 crocodiles, 23 alligators and 5 vipers. How many dangerous animals did the teacher point out in total?



4. Next in their itinerary was the insectarium, home to hundreds of insect species. Penny, who likes butterflies and ants, took over 100 pictures of the different species. She was able to capture 60 species of butterflies, 15 species of ants and 20 species of other insects. How many species of insects did Penny capture?
5. Last stop in their field trip was the aquarium. Penny identified 35 species of sharks, 15 species of eels and 5 different species of whales. Write an equation showing how many species was Penny able to identify.

Answers

1. $20 + 15 + 30 = 65$
There are 65 eagles on display that day.
2. $55 + 10 + 13 = 78$
Penny was able to count 78 frogs.
3. $22 + 23 + 5 = 50$
The teacher pointed out a total of 50 dangerous animals.
4. $60 + 15 + 20 = 95$
Penny was able to capture pictures of 95 species of insects.
5. $35 + 15 + 5 = 55$
Penny identified 55 species in the aquarium.