

Try It!

Add.

1. $(-12) + (-3) = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$
2. $(-8) + (-6) = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$
3. $8 + (-2) = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$
4. $11 + (-4) = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$
5. $(-2) + (-4) = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$
6. $(-8) + 15 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$
7. $(-10) + 3 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$
8. $(-5) + 5 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

Subtract.

9. $12 - (-3) = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$
10. $8 - (-6) = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$
11. $8 - (-2) = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$
12. $11 - (-4) = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$
13. $(-2) - 4 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$
14. $(-8) - 15 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$
15. $(-10) - (-9) = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$
16. $(-5) - (-8) = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

Solve.

17. The highest recorded temperature in Illinois was 117°F on July 14, 1954 in East St. Louis. The lowest recorded temperature in Illinois was -36°F on January 5, 1999 in Congerville. What is the difference between these record temperatures? $\underline{\hspace{2cm}}$
18. John opens a checking account with \$100. He writes a check for \$110. The bank charges an overdraft fee of \$25. What is his account balance now?

 $\underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

Ask Yourself

1.

negative +
negative =?
negative or positive?

9.

$12 - (-3) = ?$
 $12 + (-3)$ or
 $12 + (+3)?$

17.

What does
difference mean?
add or subtract?