Carnival Word Problems



Dear Family Member:

You can help your child solve these problems by reading the problems with him or her and providing counters (such as beans or pennies) to use as problem-solving tools. He or she may also choose to use the number line. Ask your child to share his or her strategies.

Thank you.

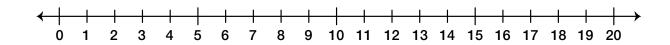
Show or tell how you solved each problem. Write number sentences. Include labels.

1. Frank and Luis saved money to go to the carnival. Frank saved \$15 and Luis saved \$19. How much more money did Luis save than Frank?

Number sentence _____

2. Both boys wait in line for a ride on the Scrambler. Frank waits 11 minutes. Luis waits 5 minutes. How much longer does Frank wait than Luis? Show your answer on the number line.

Number sentence _____



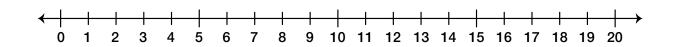
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4. Luis buys 2 hot dogs for \$1 each. He gives the hot dog seller \$5. How much money does Luis get back in change?

Number sentence _____

5. Frank buys a box of Chocos Candies. The box has 14 candies. He gives 7 candies to Luis. How many candies does Frank have left?

Number sentence _____



Homework Master