MATHS · YEAR 4

Column Subtraction Word Problems

Name: _____ Date: _____

Use column subtraction for each problem. Show your working and include the correct units in your answer.

1 A nature centre welcomed 4,302 visitors during the school holidays. 1,786 visited in the first week. How many visited during the rest of the holidays?

Answer: _____

2 A library had 3,624 books on its shelves. It lent 1,758 books to pupils. How many books stayed on the shelves?

Answer: _____

3 A sports stadium has 5,000 seats. If 3,687 seats are filled, how many seats are empty?

Answer: _____

4 A farm packed 2,706 eggs. It delivered 1,849 eggs to shops. How many eggs were left?

Answer: _____

5 A class raised £53.40 at a fair and spent £27.85 on new games. How much money was left?

Answer: _____