

Subtraction is not Commutative



Name Class Date

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James and Akil want to write an equation to show that they had 25 cents and **spent** 15 cents.
Who is **correct**?

Akil wrote: 15 - 25 = 10James wrote: 25 - 15 = 10

A James

B Akil

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Which pair of number expressions **both** equal 9?

- **A** 18 9 and 10 19
- **B** 9 9 and 9 0
- **C** 9 9 and 0 9
- **D** 18 9 and 19 10

3

I have 15 dog bones. My dogs eat 4. How do I show how many bones are left?

4

There were 5 birds in the nest.
Three flew away. Which shows what happened?



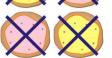


PREVIEW



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- A 4-4=
- **B** 4 + 4 =
- $C 4 \times 4 =$
- **D** 4+4+4=



- $\mathbf{A} \ 4 + 5 =$
- **B** 5+4= **C** 4-5=
- -4-5= **D** 5-4=



Kiko has 15 stickers. She has 8 glitter stickers and 7 plain stickers. How does she show how

many **less** plain stickers she has?

- A 7 15 =
- B 7-8=
- C 8 7 =
- D 8 15 =



Jake went to the store with 35 cents. He spent 25 cents on fruit. Which expression shows

how Jake spent his money?





- A 35 + 25 =
- C 25 + 35 =
- **B** 35 25 =
- D 25 35 =



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