

Lesson 17: How Do the Stories Compare?

- Let's think about how stories are the same and different.

Warm-up: Which One Doesn't Belong: Equations

Which one doesn't belong?

A. $6 + 4 = 10$

B. $10 - 4 = 6$

C. $2 + 2 + 2 = 6$

D. $6 = 2 + 4$

17.1: Compare Stories

1. Compare these stories about playing 4 corners.



There are 6 students playing 4 corners.
 Some more students come to play.
 Now there are 9 students playing 4 corners.
 How many students came to play?

9 students are playing 4 corners.
 7 students are waiting in a corner.
 The other students are still deciding which corner to pick.
 How many students are still deciding which corner to pick?

- How are these problems alike?

- How are they different?

Be prepared to share your thinking.

2. Compare these stories about playing charades.



There were 9 students playing charades.
 6 students leave to play something different.
 How many students are playing charades now?

9 students are playing charades.
 5 students are on Team A.
 The rest of the students are on Team B.
 How many students are on Team B?

- How are these problems alike?

- How are they different?

Be prepared to share your thinking.

17.2: Outdoor Games

Show your thinking using drawings, numbers, or words.

Equation: _____