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3. The car dealership has 125 cars in the lot. The owner just ordered 142 new cars. When the new cars come, what will be the total number of cars in the lot?
4. The Greyhound bus driver drove 179 miles to the first stop. He then drove 302 miles to the second stop. How many miles did he drive all together?
5. Molly had 223 songs downloaded to her iPod. Her brother had 159 songs on his iPod. How many songs did they have in all?
6. Susan had collected 141 seashells last summer. This summer she collected 194 shells. What is the total number of seashells she had collected?

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Answer Key

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1.) There were 153 4th graders and 212 5th graders that came to see the school play. How many students in all came to see the play?

153 4th graders + 212 5th graders = 365 students at the play

2.) The grocery store just received a shipment of 450 apples. They also got in a shipment of 350 oranges. How many apples and oranges are there all together?

450 apples + 350 oranges = 800 apples and oranges

3.) The car dealership has 125 cars in the lot. The owner just ordered 142 new cars. When the new cars come, what will be the total number of cars in the lot?

125 cars in the lot + 142 new cars = 267 cars in all

4.) The Greyhound bus driver drove 179 miles to the first stop. He then drove 302 miles to the second stop. How many miles did he drive all together?

179 miles 1st + 302 miles 2nd = 481 miles total

5.) Molly had 223 songs downloaded to her iPod. Her brother had 159 songs on his iPod. How many songs did they have in all?

223 molly songs + 159 brother songs = 382 songs together

6.) Susan had collected 141 seashells last summer. This summer she collected 194 shells. What is the total number of seashells she had collected?

141 shells last summer + 194 shells this summer = 335 shells total