Column Addition Word Problems

1. Marla, Berkeley, and Ryan each buy a bag of jelly beans. Marla’s bag has 967 jelly beans in it. Berkeley’s bag had 734 jelly beans. Ryan’s bag has 1,045 jelly beans in it. What is the total number of jelly beans they had?

Answer: ______________

2. Tyler, Krys, and Aliyah collect stickers. Tyler has 367 stickers. Krys has 862 stickers. Aliyah has 743 stickers. How many stickers did they have in all?

Answer: ______________

3. Matthew, Megan, and Brittney go to the grocery store for candy. Matthew picks out a Hershey bar that costs $1.29. Megan gets a bag of Twizzlers that costs $2.19. Brittney chooses a bag of gumdrops for $1.68. Matthew says, “I’ll pay for all the candy.” What was the total bill?

Answer: ______________


a. How much would all three items cost in all?

Answer a: ______________

b. Would they have enough money to buy all three items?

Answer b: ______________
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Answer: 2,746 jelly beans

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Answer: 1,972 stickers

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Answer: $5.16


   a. How much would all three items cost in all?

   Answer a: $26.22

   b. Would they have enough money to buy all three items?

   Answer b: No.