Fraction Word Problems

Name: _____ Date: _____

Read each story. Draw a picture if it helps. Write the answer with its unit.

1. A box has 16 crayons and 7/8 of them are blue. How many crayons are not blue?

Answer: _____

2. Rosa ate 1/12 of a pizza and Sam ate 3/12 of the same pizza. What fraction of the pizza did they eat in all?

Answer: _____

3. Ruby read 1/5 of a book on Monday. What fraction of the book is left to read?

Answer: _____

4. Finn practiced the piano for 2/3 of an hour. How many minutes is that?

Answer: _____

5. A cookie recipe uses 1/2 cup of oats. Maya makes 4 batches. How many cups of oats does Maya need?

Answer: _____

6. Mia ran 1/4 of a mile and Ben ran 1/8 of a mile. Who ran farther?

Answer: _____

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Answer Key

Read each story. Draw a picture if it helps. Write the answer with its unit.

1. A box has 16 crayons and 7/8 of them are blue. How many crayons are not blue?

Answer: 2 crayons

2. Rosa ate 1/12 of a pizza and Sam ate 3/12 of the same pizza. What fraction of the pizza did they eat in all?

Answer: 4/12 of the pizza

3. Ruby read 1/5 of a book on Monday. What fraction of the book is left to read?

Answer: 4/5 of the book

4. Finn practiced the piano for 2/3 of an hour. How many minutes is that?

Answer: 40 minutes

5. A cookie recipe uses 1/2 cup of oats. Maya makes 4 batches. How many cups of oats does Maya need?

Answer: 2 cups

6. Mia ran 1/4 of a mile and Ben ran 1/8 of a mile. Who ran farther?

Answer: Mia