



## Verbal expressions in algebra

Algebraic expression with words - expression - difference

**Write each as a verbal expression.**

1)  $11 - 8$

2)  $n - 15$

3)  $29 - 25$

4)  $n - 19$

5)  $19 - y$

6)  $30 - x$

7)  $a - 6$

8)  $n - 10$

9)  $n - 12$

10)  $13 - a$

11)  $19 - u$

12)  $10 - x$

13)  $m - 11$

14)  $25 - 14$

15)  $13 - 3$

16)  $n - 10$

17)  $m - 14$

18)  $10 - n$

19)  $n - 6$

20)  $28 - 13$

21)  $n - 3$

22)  $21 - n$

23)  $15 - 5$

24)  $k - 8$

25)  $n - 8$

26)  $x - 6$

27)  $23 - 12$

28)  $15 - y$

29)  $22 - r$

30)  $26 - d$

## Algebraic expression with words - expression - difference

**Write each as a verbal expression.**

1)  $11 - 8$

8 less than 11

2)  $n - 15$

the difference of n and 15

3)  $29 - 25$

29 decreased by 25

4)  $n - 19$

n minus 19

5)  $19 - y$

19 minus y

6)  $30 - x$

x less than 30

7)  $a - 6$

the difference of a and 6

8)  $n - 10$

the difference of a number and 10

9)  $n - 12$

a number decreased by 12

10)  $13 - a$

13 minus a

11)  $19 - u$

u less than 19

12)  $10 - x$

x less than 10

13)  $m - 11$

the difference of m and 11

14)  $25 - 14$

25 decreased by 14

15)  $13 - 3$

13 minus 3

16)  $n - 10$

a number minus 10

17)  $m - 14$

14 less than m

18)  $10 - n$

the difference of 10 and n

19)  $n - 6$

a number decreased by 6

20)  $28 - 13$

28 decreased by 13

21)  $n - 3$

n minus 3

22)  $21 - n$

n less than 21

23)  $15 - 5$

5 less than 15

24)  $k - 8$

the difference of k and 8

25)  $n - 8$

n decreased by 8

26)  $x - 6$

x minus 6

27)  $23 - 12$

12 less than 23

28)  $15 - y$

the difference of 15 and y

29)  $22 - r$

22 decreased by r

30)  $26 - d$

26 decreased by d