Word problems- addition.

Today in maths we are going to be solving some more number problems except this time the numbers are hidden in the sentences.

Lets work through one together so we get the idea.

> Mrs Fowler buys has three books She buys two more. How many books does Mrs Fowler have now?

♦ The first thing you need to do is use your detective eyes spot the numbers.

♦ Now if it helps re-write the word problem.

> Mrs Fowler has 3 books. She buys 2 more. How many books does Mrs Fowler have now?
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> So the number sentence we need to solve is....
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> 3+2=

Have a go at these

> Four flowers are growing in the pot.
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> Miss Knight waters them and three more grow. How many flowers does she have in total?

> Two ducks land on the trim trail. Miss Fisher throws them some bread and two more arrive.
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> How many ducks are there altogether?

> Miss Venning has two cats. One of the cats has five kittens. How many cats does Miss Venning own now?