Add and Subtract within 100 - Guided Lesson Explanation

Explanation to #1

Step 1) Identify what is being asked of us.

"How many tennis balls were there at the playground?"

Step 2) We are looking for the number of tennis balls. So, we have to cross out the number of soccer balls and basketballs.
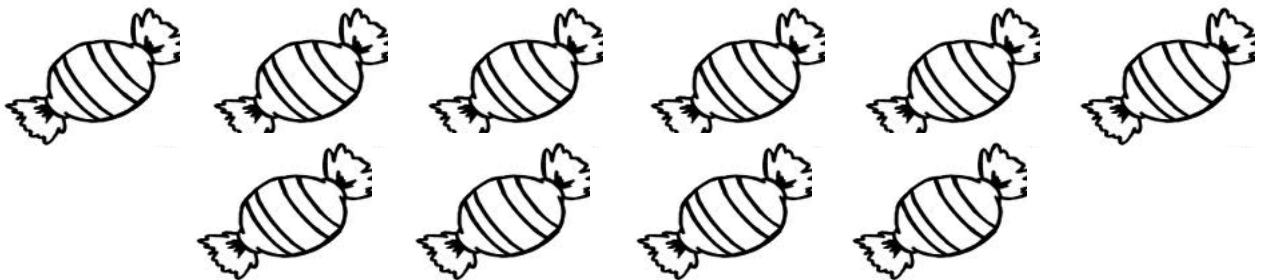
Step 3) Count how many balls are left. As we see, 2 balls are left. So, there were 2 tennis balls.

Explanation to #2

Step 1) First find out what is being asked of us:

"How many candies did Scott eat?"

Step 2) We could do this two different ways: 1) Count all the candies, or 2) Add the number of candies Scott ate together.

$$6 \quad + \quad 4 \quad = \quad 10$$

The number of candies Scott ate was 10.

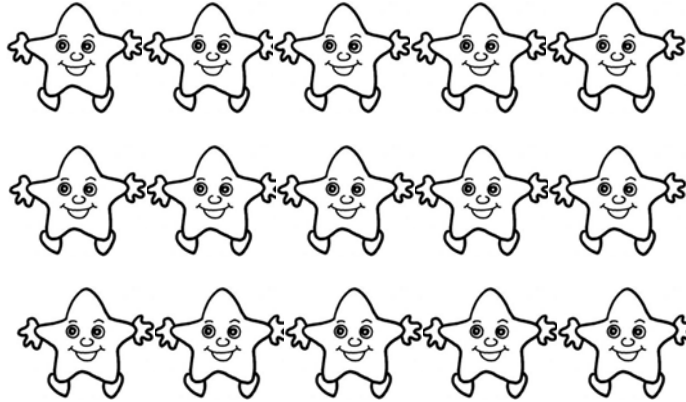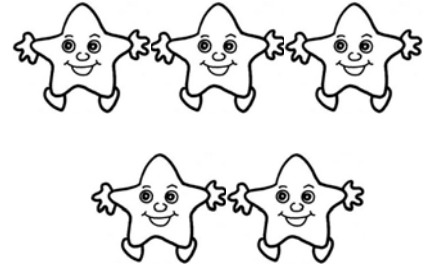**Explanation to #3**

Step 1) We first need to find out the total number of students.

Step 2) There were 20 students and 5 students in cars.

Students on bus   Students in cars

 Now count how many students there were on the bus.

Step 3) 15 students were on the bus.