SUBTRACTION WORD PROBLEMS

Read the math story and use drawing or number bond to show how you know who is right.

1. a) Oliva says that the expressions 17 − 8 and 13 − 7 are equal. Teddy says that they are not equal. Who is right?

    b) Teddy says that the expressions 12 − 6 and 15 − 9 are not equal. Oliva says that they are equal. Who is right.

    c) Teddy says that to solve 17 − 7, I can take 3 from 17 and give it to 7 to make it 10. So, 17 − 7 is equal to 14 − 10. Oliva thinks Teddy made a mistake. Who is correct?

    d) Oliva and Teddy are trying to find several subtraction number sentences that start with number larger than 10 and always have an answer of 6. Help them figure out the number sentences. They started the first one.

        17 − 11 = __.

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