

# MATH IS EVERYWHERE, EVEN IN THE MUSEUM!

## Number Sentences in Art

1st Grade

We have some big artworks with big problems. Can you help solve the mysteries inside our works of art? **Read the questions below and look at the artwork to find the answers.**



- 1** Do you like math? The man in this painting likes math. This painting was in a library with 3 other paintings about music, art, and stars. **Write a number sentence to show how many paintings were in the library.**

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- 2** When the artist started painting, there were 10 bees buzzing above Samson and his parents. By the time the artist was finished painting, there were only 3 bees. **Write a number sentence to show how many bees flew away.**

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- 3** This family is moving into a new house. They have taken 2 trips so far. They will need to take 7 more trips before they are done. **Write a number sentence to show how many trips they needed to make to move into their new house.**

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### CREDITS

- 1 Giovanni de Lutero (Dosso Dossi) (Italian, 1486–1542), *Learned Man of Antiquity*, ca. 1540, Oil on canvas, Gift of Walter P. Chrysler, Jr., 71.641
- 2 Giovanni Francesco Barbieri, called Guercino (Italian, 1591–1666), *Samson Bringing Honey to His Parents*, ca. 1625–26, Oil on canvas, Gift of Walter P. Chrysler, Jr., in honor of the Board of Trustees 1977–1985, 71.521
- 3 Arthur Rothstein (American, 1915–1985), *Moving into New Home, Newport News Homesteads, Virginia*, 1937, printed ca. 1984, Gelatin silver print, Purchase, Horace W. Goldsmith Fund, 84.78.27