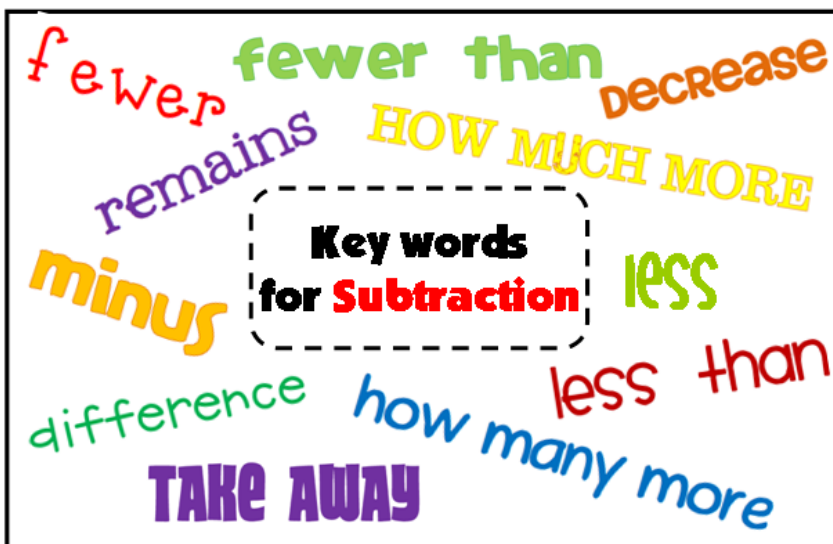


# PROBLEM SOLVING WORDS & STRATEGIES



USE THESE KEY WORDS AND  
STEPS TO HELP YOU BECOME  
A BETTER PROBLEM SOLVER!

## Steps for Solving Word Problems

Read and underline  
the question

Box key words

Circle important  
numbers - cross out un-  
needed numbers.

### Solve:

Draw a picture  
Make a chart or table  
Make a list  
Work backwards  
Find a pattern  
Write a number sentence

Show all your work!

Check your work!  
Does it make sense?