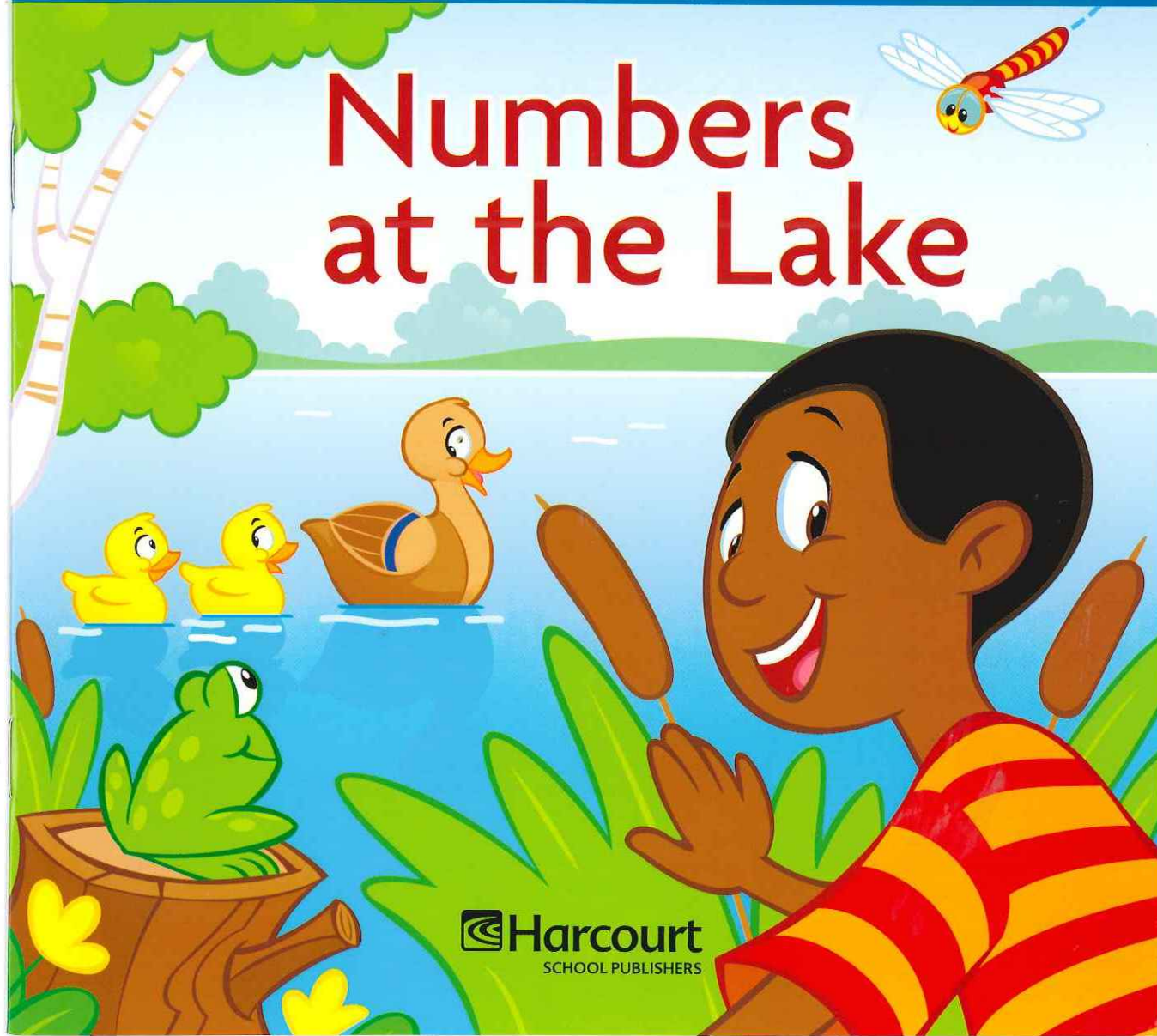


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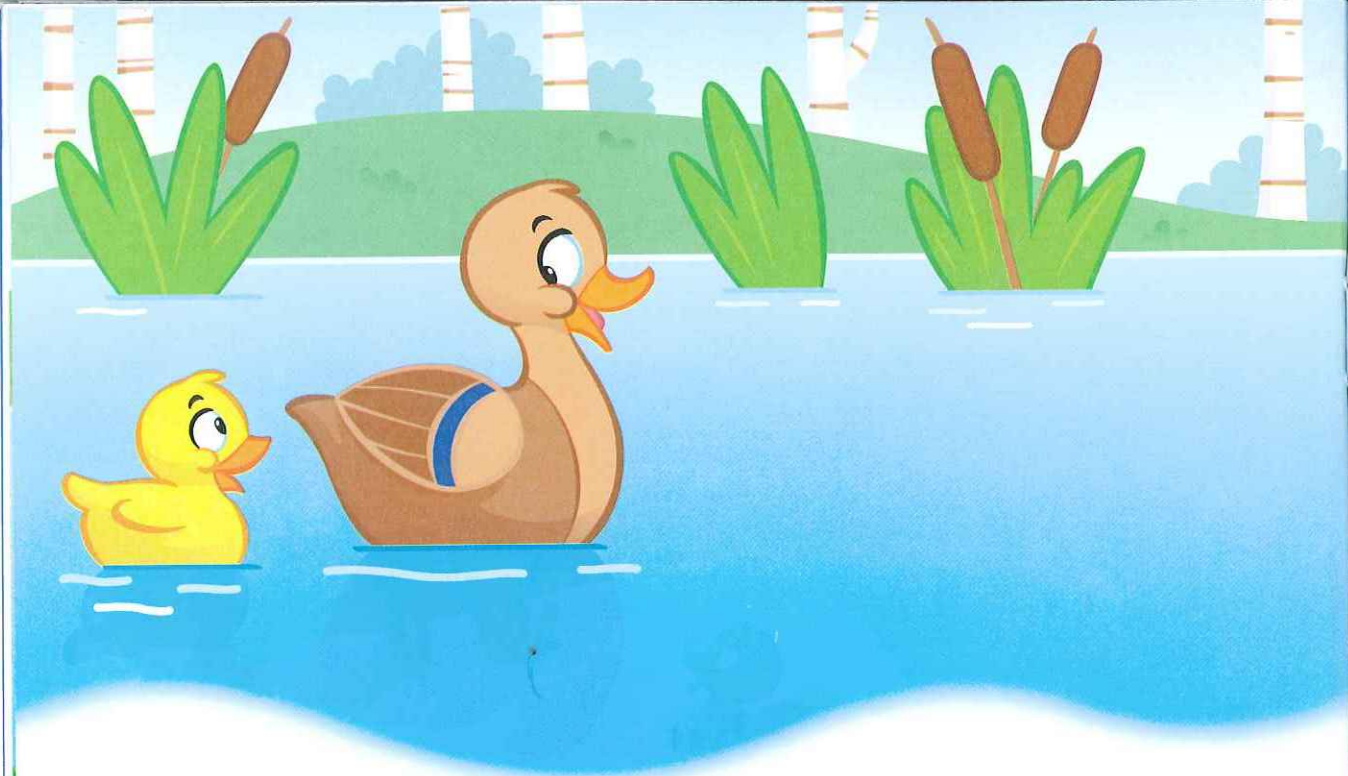
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I am at the lake.  
It is sunny.



I see animals.  
They are in and near the lake.



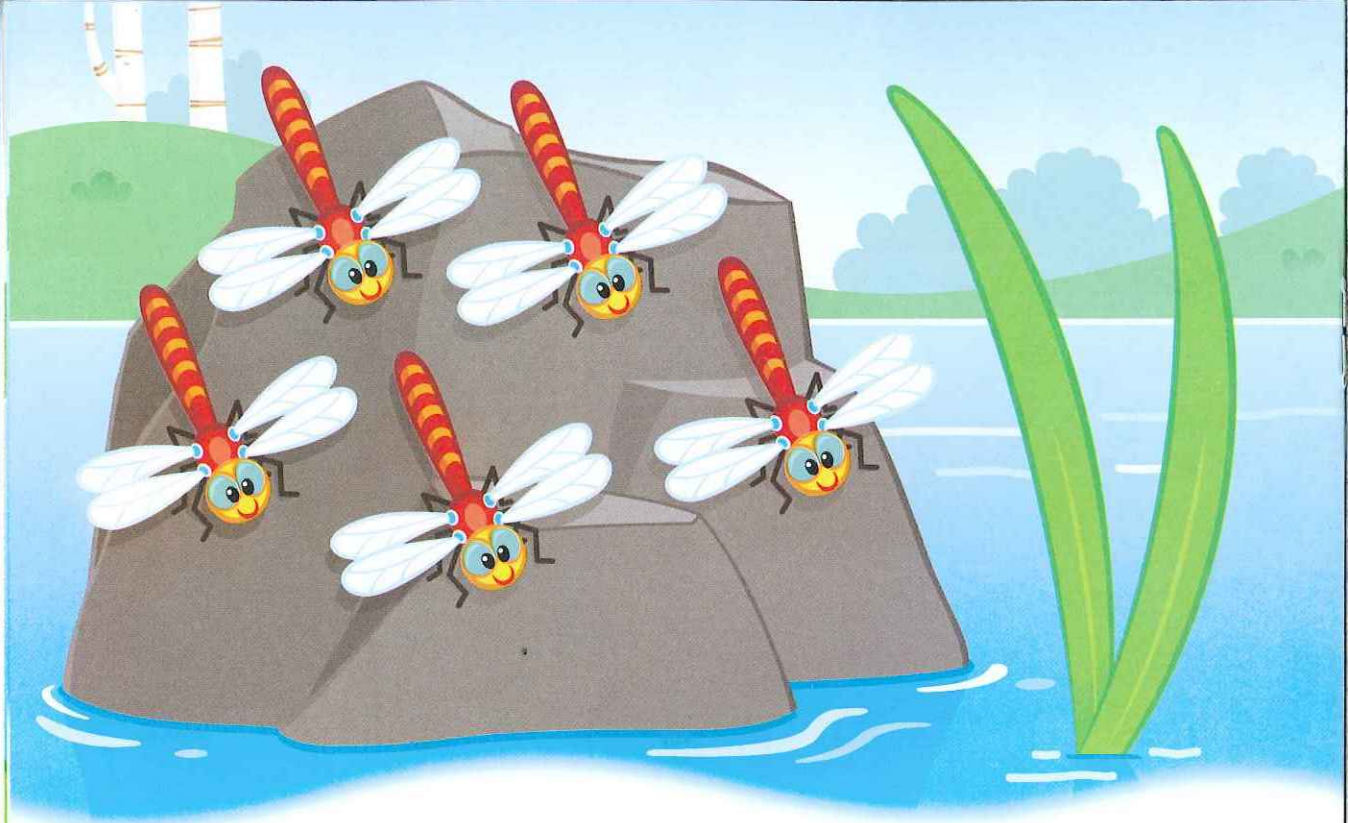
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I see 2 ducks.  
They swim in the water.



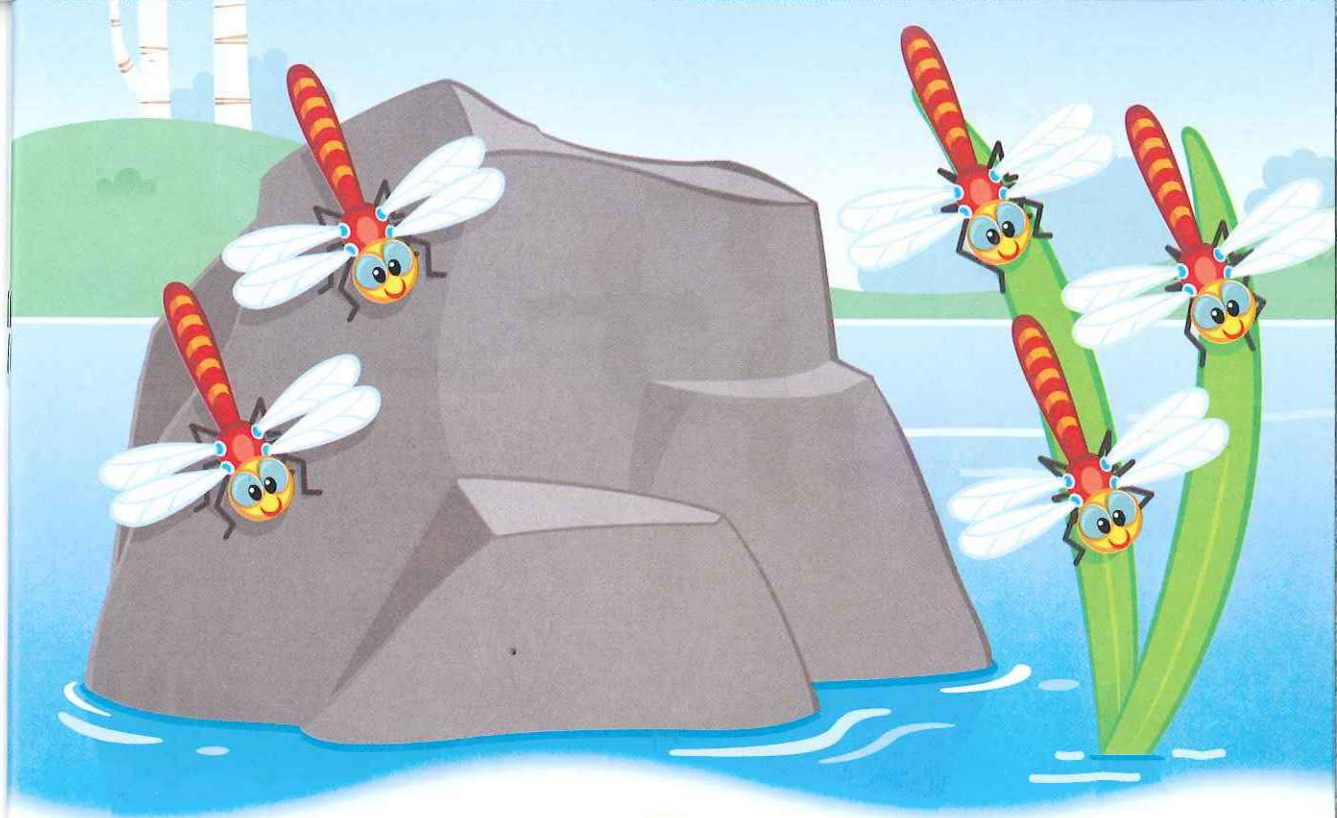
$$2 + 2 = 4$$

I see 2 more ducks.  
There are 4 ducks now.



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I see 5 bugs on a rock.

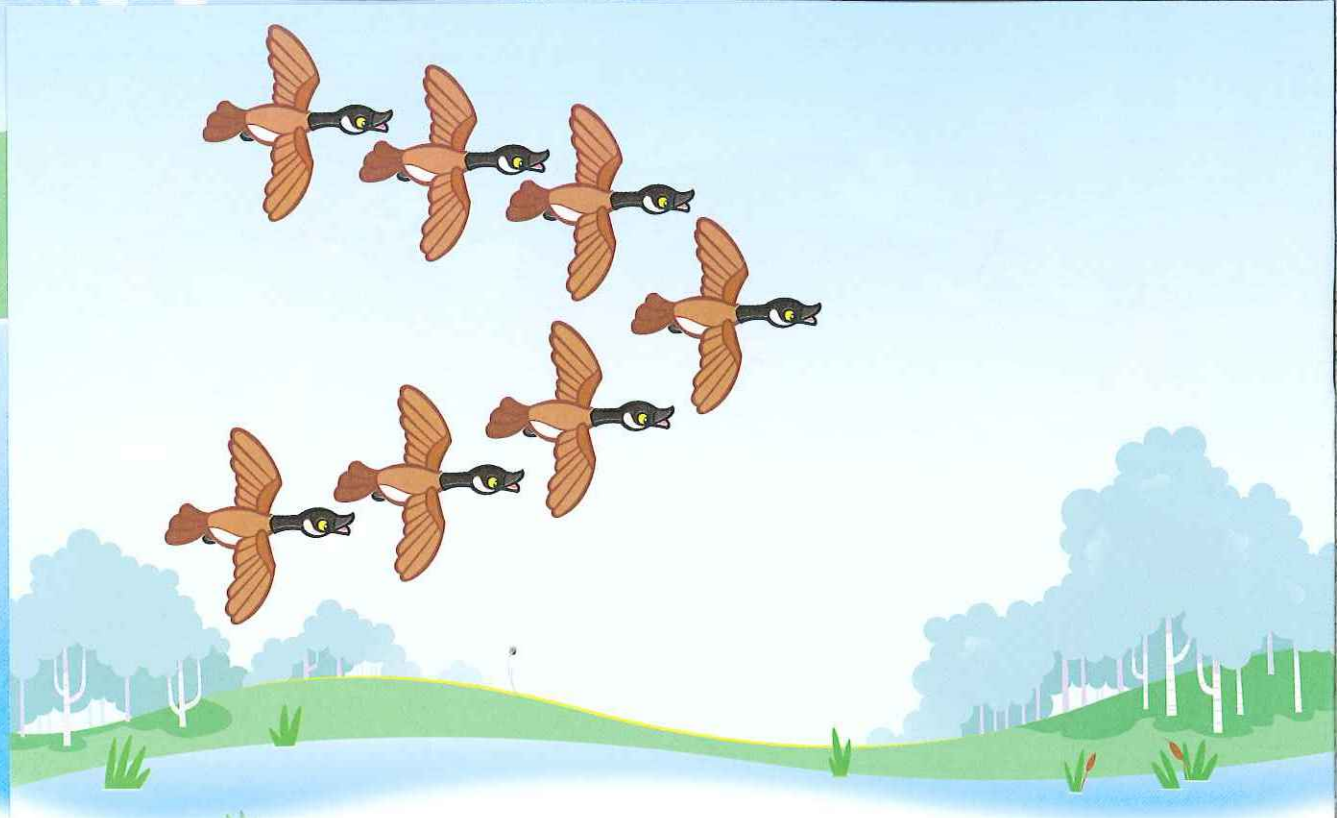


$$5 - 3 = 2$$

I see 3 bugs go.

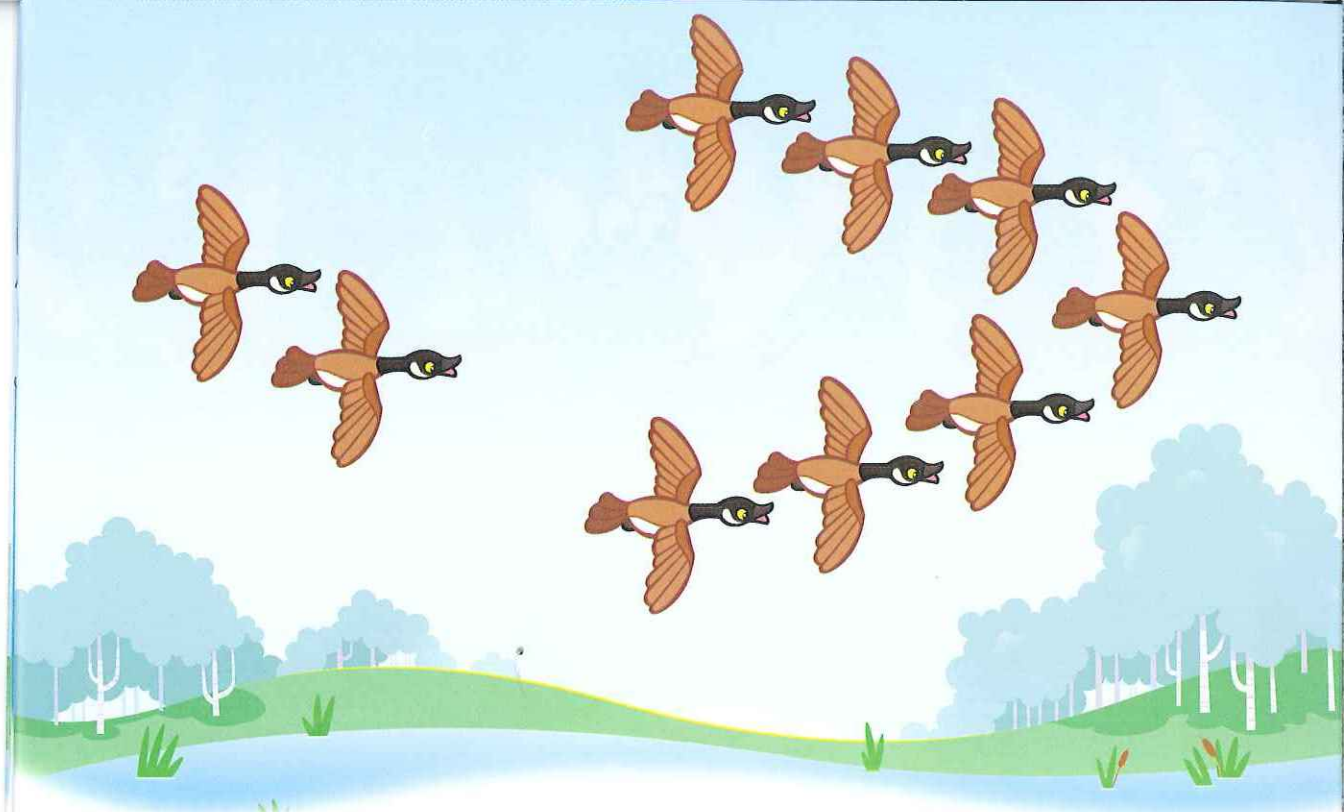
Now 2 bugs are left on the rock.





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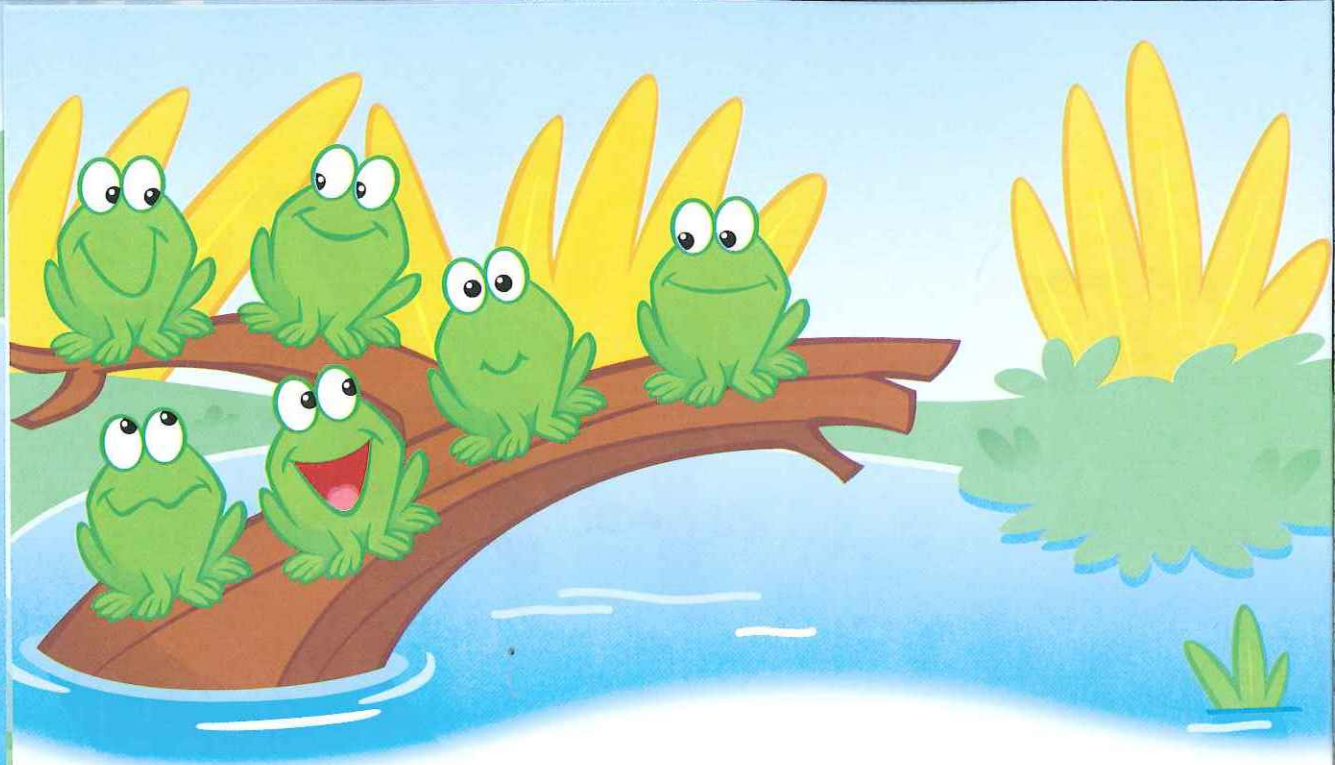
I see 7 birds fly in the sky.



$$2 + 7 = 9$$

I see 2 more birds.

Now 9 birds are in the sky.



6

I see 6 frogs on a log.



$$6 - 1 = 5$$

I frog goes. Now 5 frogs sit on the log.  
I like the lake!

# Glossary

bird



bug



duck



frog



lake



## Think and Respond

1. 4 ducks swim. 4 more ducks come.  
How many ducks are there in all?
2. 9 bugs sit. 5 bugs fly away.  
How many bugs are left?
3. 3 frogs hop. 2 more frogs hop.  
How many frogs hop?

### WRITE Math

4. Write and draw a number story about birds at a lake.