

Small Difference Questions

- (a) There are 8 girls and 3 boys at the party.
How many children at the party?
- (b) There are 8 girls at the party. There are 3 times as many boys as girls at the party. **How many boys at the party?**
- (c) There are 8 girls at the party. There are 3 times as many boys as girls at the party. **How many children at the party?**

Compare the questions. What's the same? What's different? Then work out the answers.

(a) 11 children (b) 24 boys (c) 32 children