



Problem of the Week

Problem A

Charity Drive

Every year, Spring Creek Community School has a charity drive to gather gifts for families in need. When everything is tallied, the organizers notice the following:

- There are 3 times as many stuffed toys as sweaters.
- The number of books is equal to the total number of sweaters and gift cards.
- There are 2 more board games than sweaters.
- There are 5 fewer gift cards than stuffed toys.
- There are 24 stuffed toys.

How many of each item (sweaters, board games, books, and gift cards) have been gathered?

