Write a Math Story, Then Write a Word Problem Based on Your Story

Develop these competencies:
3B I can write a story with numerical information.  8D I can construct a math problem based on a story.

What’s your story about? ____________________________________________

Tell the story. Include numbers. For example, write about the money someone spends to buy something they want. Or write about how someone wants to paint a room and goes to the store to buy paint.

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Make up a Problem: use information from your story. Ask a question that someone will solve by reading the story, finding the numbers, and then solving the problem.

Meet the standard:
Check your work—make sure it is ✓ complete ✓ correct ✓ clear

Exceed the Standard:
Write a guide to solving your problem.