Nutty Squirrels

THE STORY

Three squirrels named Sam, Sally and Sarah were different ages. They were 2, 3 and 5 years old. They all collected nuts and had 23, 27 and 50 nuts in their collections. Recently, they held a race to see who could climb a tree the fastest and, naturally, they finished in 1st, 2nd and 3rd place. Based on the clues, match the squirrels with the number of nuts in their collection and their order of finish in the climbing contest.

THE CLUES

1. Sally was not the fastest climber, did not have the fewest nuts, and her age would be the result of subtracting Sarah's age from the oldest squirrel's age.

2. The oldest squirrel was not the fastest climber, and the youngest squirrel was the slowest climber.

3. Sarah did not have the fewest nuts, and if you added the number of nuts in her collection to another squirrel's nuts, the answer would equal the total of nuts in another squirrel's collection.

Sam	Sally	Sarah
2 years old	2 years old	2 years old
3 years old	3 years old	3 years old
5 years old	5 years old	5 years old
23 nuts	23 nuts	23 nuts
27 nuts	27 nuts	27 nuts
50 nuts	50 nuts	50 nuts
1st place	1st place	1st place
2nd place	2nd place	2nd place
3rd place	3rd place	3rd place