Maths Mastery Home Learning Challenge

Adult Guidance

What Are We Learning?

We are learning to subtract by counting back.

How to Set up the Challenge

- Place up to ten small objects on a tray.
- Once counted, the tray can be covered by a towel.
- When objects are removed from under the towel, place them next to the tray so that they can see how many you have taken away.

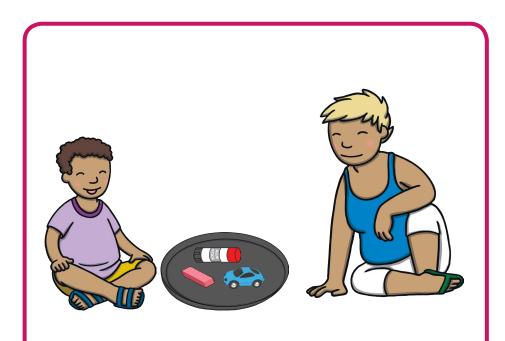
How to Get Your Child Thinking



- How many things were on the tray?
- How many did I take away?
- Can you put the starting number in your head?
- Can you count back to find how many are left?



Hidden Objects Counting Back Subtraction



- Your partner will place up to 10 objects on the tray.
- Count the objects.
- Your partner can cover the tray. They can then carefully take some away and put them by the side of the tray.
- How may did they take away?
- Count back to find out how many are still on the tray.

