

Can you.....?

Can you subtract numbers mentally:

- A three-digit number and ones. For example $352-1=$
- A three-digit number and tens. For example $256-20=$
- A three-digit number and hundreds. For example $176-100=$
Challenge yourself to get quicker each time!

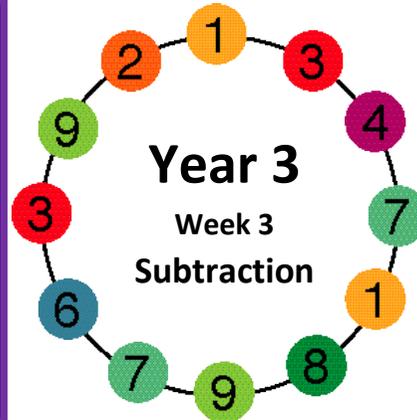
Remember to use column subtraction for all subtraction calculations. **You can watch Mr Button's demonstration on how to use column subtraction on our Year 3 home learning page!**



Investigation:

How many 2 digit subtract 2 digit calculations can you find where the answer is 14?

$$\begin{array}{r} ?? \\ - ?? \\ \hline 14 \end{array}$$



Challenge linked to Home Learning Project

Go on a mini-beast hunt (in your garden or on a daily walk) and create a tally chart of the amount of minibeasts you find.



Create your own mini-beast subtraction word problems and ask your parents to solve them. (Try to use 2- and 3-digit numbers if you can.)



Subtraction Word Problems

- 1) There are 115 pencils in the cupboard. 82 are given out to the children. How many are left in the cupboard?
- 2) A flower market has 132 tulips. A florist buys 80 tulips. How many are left?
- 3) A farmer has 184 cows. He takes 97 to a new field. How many are left behind?
- 4) A school prints 282 letters for parents. 93 letters are given out on Thursday and the rest on Friday. How many letters are given out on Friday?



When playing the games please click on the option:

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/subtraction-grids>

https://coolsciencelab.com/math_magician_subtr action.html

Tommy makes this number:



He subtracts forty.

What is Tommy's new number?

368 - 50 is equal to 363.



What should the answer be?

What do you think the girl did wrong in her calculation above?