

KIRF: Subtract any number within 10

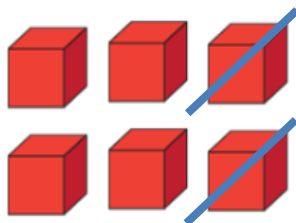


Subtracting any number within 10 involves calculations that make every number from 1 to 10. These include subtraction facts for each number - for example, for 7, this would be $7 - 0$, $7 - 1$, $7 - 2$, and so on.

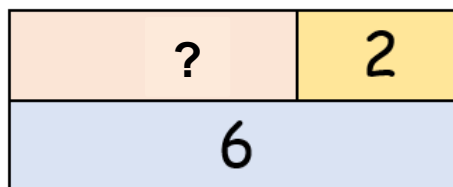
What can this look like?

Concrete:

$$6 - 2 =$$



Pictorial:



Abstract:

6 subtract 2 equals 4

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Questions to ask at home

What do I need to **subtract from** 9 to make 5?

If I have 8, **how many** do I need to **subtract** to get 6?

What is the **difference** between 5 and 1?

Key vocabulary

7 **take away** 4 equals 3

9 **subtract** 3 makes 6

3 **minus** 2 equals 1

Difference between 9 and 5 is 4

Things to try

Ball throw: Write the numbers 1–10 on large pieces of paper and spread them out. Call out a subtraction question like, “What is 9 minus 4?” or “What do I subtract from 7 to get 3?” Challenge your child to throw the ball at the correct answer.

Facts bingo: Draw a simple 1–10 grid. Say: “I have ___, I want to get to ___ — what do I need to subtract?”

For example: “I have 8, I want to get to 5. What do I subtract?” Your child must choose the correct number to complete the subtraction fact.

Websites:

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/hit-the-button>