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Make a Number Line to Subtract — Let's Practice!



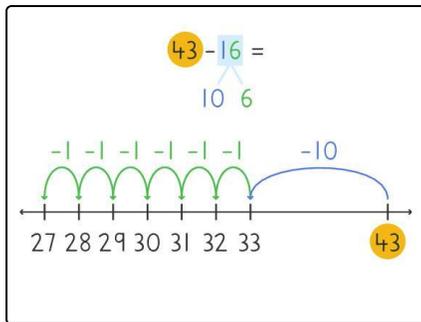
- 1 Steps for subtracting on the number line.
- 2 Razzi subtracts.
- 3 Subtract on the number line.
- 4 Help Mr. Squeaks subtract seeds.
- 5 Mr. Squeak's stickers.
- 6 Solve the two part problem.
- + with many hints, answer keys, and solution approaches for all tasks



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Steps for subtracting on the number line.

Place the correct answers into the blanks.



Place the steps for subtracting a number line using the equation below:

$$43 - 16 = ?$$

Break 16 into one group of ten and 6 ones.

Count back small amounts of the smaller number, 16.

Start by putting the larger number, 43 on the right.

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Our hints for the tasks



Steps for subtracting on the number line.

1. Hint

Should you start with the larger number, 43 or the smaller number, 16 on the number line?

2. Hint

Before you count back, what do you need to do?

Solutions and solution approaches for the tasks



Steps for subtracting on the number line.

Answer key: 1: Start by putting the larger number, 43 on the right. // 2: Break 16 into one group of ten and 6 ones. // 3: Count back small amounts of the smaller number, 16.

Here are the steps for subtracting using a number line:

- Start by putting the larger number, 43 on the right.
- Break 16 into one group of ten and 6 ones.
- Count back small amounts of the smaller number, 16.
- $43 - 10 = 33$
- $33 - 6 = 27$