

Reception Challenges

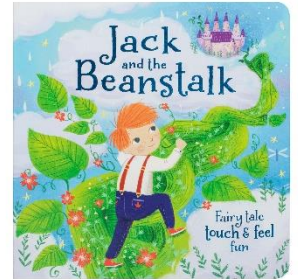
Week Beg. 27th April 2020

Jack and the Beanstalk

Find out about:

Read the story of Jack and the Beanstalk. If you don't have the book listen to it on:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/class-clips-video/english-ks1-jack-and-the-beanstalk-home/zff42sq>



Have a go at the sequencing the story activity on the website.

Use the story pictures in your pack to finish the story map.

Write:

Draw a story map for the story. Can you retell the story from your story map?

Write some descriptive sentences about the Giant and Jack. Remember to use capital letters, spaces and full stops. You can use the sheets below if you wish or write straight into your book.



Write a Wanted Poster for Jack. Write about:

- Why Jack is Wanted
- What he looks like
- What the reward is

Write a three sentence story for Jack and the Beanstalk. Use the following sentence openers to start each sentence:

Once upon a time
Unfortunately
In the end

Draw:

Draw and colour a picture of the Giant.

Draw a Hen with the help of YouTube:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kmfQW6HpJ8U>

Make:

Make a castle from junk modelling or Lego.

Make a beanstalk.

Make a shoebox Jack and the beanstalk scene.



Grow:

Use the sheet in your pack to label the different parts or draw your own plant and label it.

Grow a plant in your garden or in a small pot. Think about what a plant needs to grow.

Can you write instructions to explain how to grow a plant?

Each day measure how tall your plant is. Keep a record for each day.

Shape, Space and Measure

Measure how long your foot is using cubes.

Challenge: Use a ruler to measure your foot in centimetres.



Make a Giant's footprint from card (a cereal box will do) or paper. Measure how long the Giant's footprint is in cubes or centimetres.

Make a castle for the Giant out of 2D shapes. Can you name all the 2D shapes you have used? How many corners and sides does each shape have?



Spelling:

Watch the Mr Thorne Does Phonics video for spelling words where the y makes the igh sound

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=t0C01G_sCsQ

Have a go at using the Look, Cover, Write, Check sheet to spell words ending in y.

Handwriting:

Practise writing the One Armed Robot Letters. Start practising writing the lower case letters and then have a go at the capital letters. Remember to start and finish in the right place. If you can try to make your letters a similar size and position them on the line correctly.

Practising one-armed robot letters Unit 4

Finger trace. Say the sounds. Write the letters.

r n m b h k p

Write the letters.

n m n m b h b h h k h k r p r p

Read and write the words.

run

kip

bun

Practise the pattern.

m m m m

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R N M B H K P

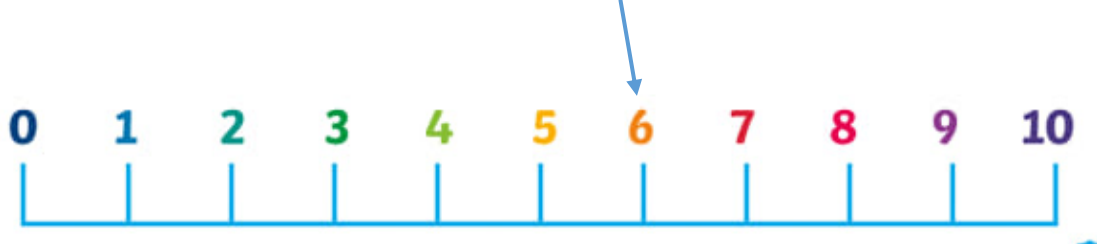
Maths: Subtraction on a numberline

Follow these steps to success to learn how to take-away using a numberline:

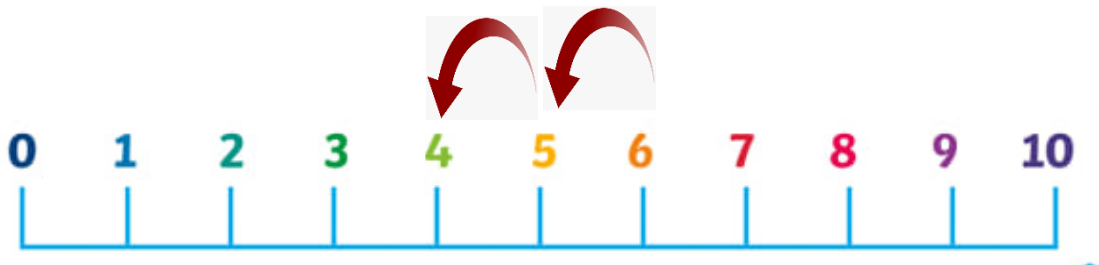
- 1) Read the number sentence.

$$6 - 2 =$$

- 2) Point to the largest number (the first number) on your number line.
For this problem you would point to 6:



- 3) Jump back the number you are subtracting (the smaller number).
For this problem it would be 2. The number you land on is the answer.



- 4) Use this steps above to find the answers to the following problems:

$$5 - 1 =$$

$$7 - 5 =$$

$$5 - 3 =$$

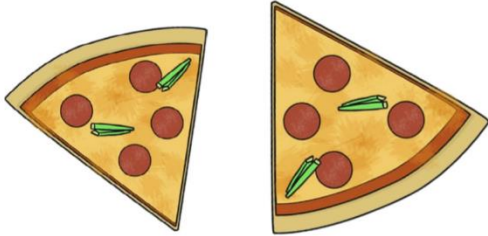
$$8 - 3 =$$

$$7 - 2 =$$

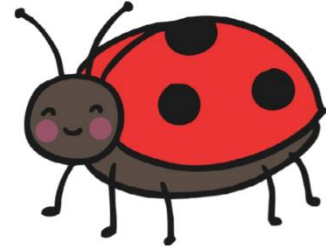
$$10 - 4 =$$

Maths: Subtraction problems

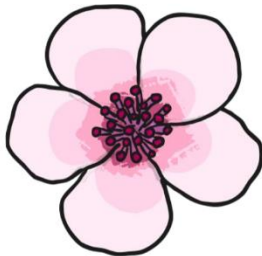
If you have 8 slices of pizza and 5 slices are eaten, how many slices would you have left?



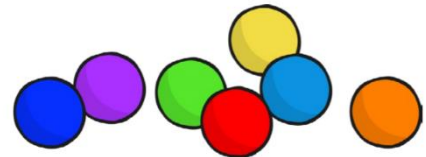
If you count 7 ladybirds in your garden and 6 fly away, how many ladybirds would be left?



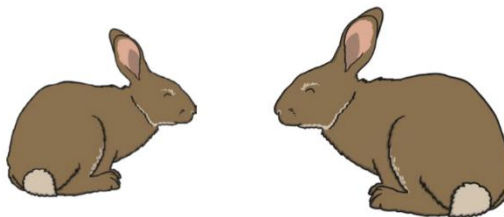
If you have 6 flowers and give 2 of them away, how many would you have left?



If you have 9 gobstoppers and eat 7 of them, how many would you have left?



If you count 9 rabbits in a field and 7 of them hop away, how many rabbits would be left?



Challenge:

Make up your own subtraction word problems.
Ask a grown-up to work out the answers. Are they right?

Extra Resources

Maths

White Rose Maths: Week 2 What the ladybird heard

<https://whiterosemaths.com/homelearning/early-years/>

Solving a Mathematical Problem:

<https://www.thenational.academy/reception/maths/solving-a-mathematical-problem-an-investigation-at-home-reception-wk1-5/>

English

Story Writing: Mavis the Magical Cat

<https://www.talk4writing.co.uk/wp-content/uploads/2020/04/Reception-Unit.pdf>

Foundation

Construction:

<https://www.thenational.academy/reception/foundation/construction-reception-wk1-4/>