

Subtraction game 27.4.20

What you need

Number cards 1-10

10 small items – could be lego bricks, coins, stones etc

Plastic/paper plate

Your homework book and pencil

What to do

1. Put your number cards into 2 piles. 1-5 in pile one and 6-10 in pile two.
2. Choose a number card from pile 2 (6-10) and count out that many objects onto your plate.
3. Choose a number card from pile 1 (1-5) and subtract (take away) that many from the ones on your plate.
4. How many objects have you got left?
5. Now show in your homework book what you have done using pictures or numbers.
6. Put the cards and objects back and do it all again.

Have fun playing the game.

There is a link on the web-page to watch to help your child understand what to do.

Extension:

1. Make up your own subtraction stories and record them in your homework book.
2. Starting with 10 objects each time, how many different subtraction stories can you make up and record?