

Subtracting Tens

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40
41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50
51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60
61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70
71	72	73	74	75	76	77	78	79	80
81	82	83	84	85	86	87	88	89	90
91	92	93	94	95	96	97	98	99	100

Parents: Although being able to add and subtract tens relates to calculation, it is supported by a good understanding of place value. Children can undertake complex calculations quickly if they understand how numbers 'work'. For example, it is far quicker to work out the answer to $65-20$ by taking 2 tens from 6 tens to make 4 tens, than by counting back 20 or using a number line. Children may begin to calculate by using the visual clue of the number square, counting up the columns in tens. They will then progress to counting back in tens - $65 - 55 - 45$ - but will eventually realise that they simply need to subtract the two tens digits. Your child could be at any of these stages - simply let them work out the answers in the way that suits them best.

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19
-10

21
-10

35
-10

43
-10

68
-10

80
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51
-10

96
-10

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54	65	36
-20	-30	-10

43	68
-40	-40

80	51	71
-10	-20	-60

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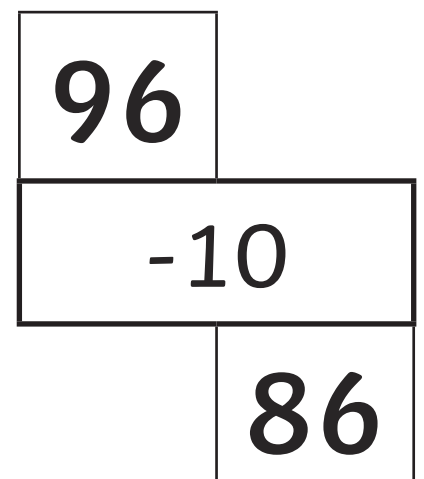
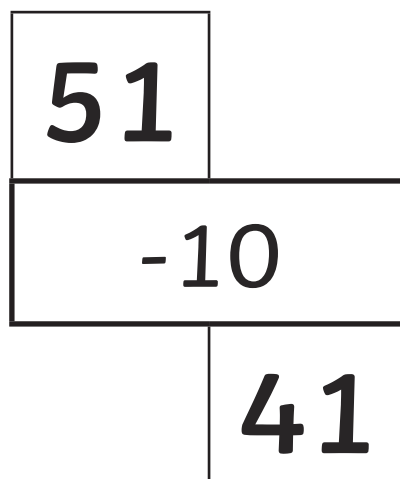
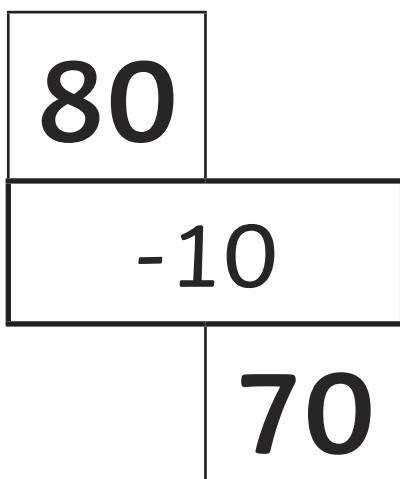
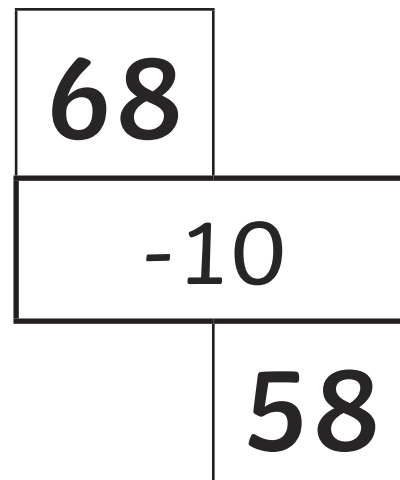
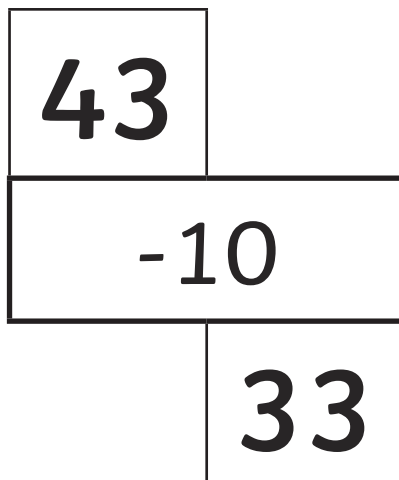
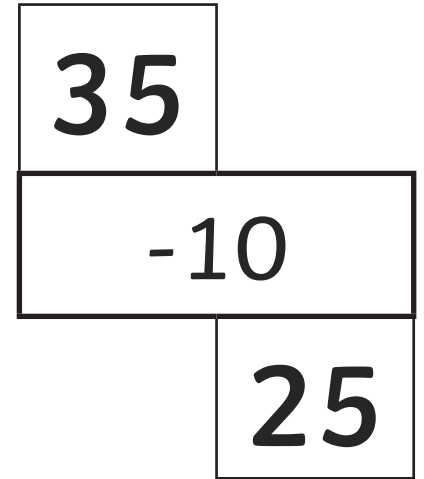
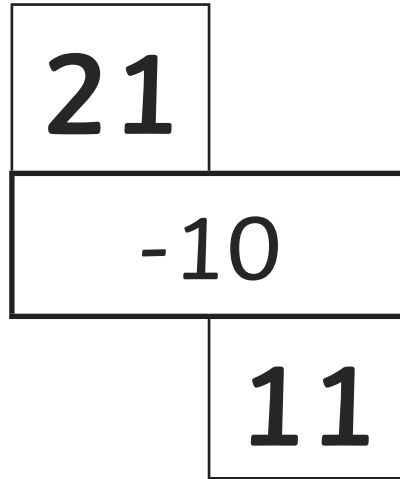
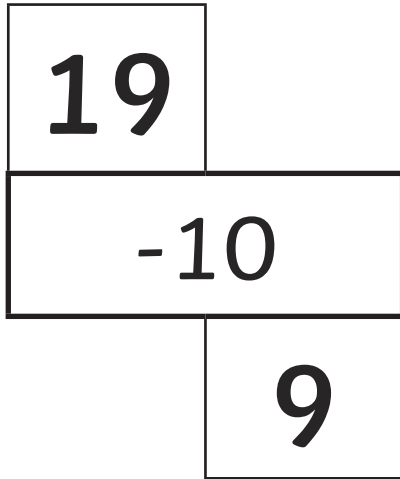
33		56	
-10		-40	
		33	

43		
		-50
13		28

	81	89	
-10			
49	61		19

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$$\begin{array}{r} 54 \\ -20 \\ \hline 34 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 65 \\ -30 \\ \hline 35 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 36 \\ -10 \\ \hline 26 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 43 \\ -40 \\ \hline 3 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 68 \\ -40 \\ \hline 28 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 80 \\ -10 \\ \hline 70 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 51 \\ -20 \\ \hline 31 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 71 \\ -60 \\ \hline 11 \end{array}$$

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	13		28

59		81		89	
-10		-20		-70	
	49		61		19