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Ok kids, time to get straight into some takeaways (no, not fush and chups silly-billy) by going back through some tens. It's a handy little do-in-your-head type of thing that makes things easier by breaking a bigger problem into smaller bits (a good life skill right there!)

What does that look like? Say we had a problem like $65-8=$ ?? Right away we can see 8 is bigger than 5 so what happens to that? Luckily we can break the 8 in to two easy to chew bits.

Try this: 65-8=? - we know 65-5 = 60!, then $8-5=3$, so 60-3=57
By breaking the 8 into 5 and 3 , we've simplified our subtraction into $60-3$, but get the same answer of 57 . So let's tip-toe through a few for ourselves:

1. $54-9=$ ?? $54-4=$ $\qquad$
2. $72-9=$ $\qquad$ $72-2=$ $\qquad$
3. $36-8=$ $\qquad$ $36-6=$ $\qquad$
4. $43-7=? ?$
$43-3=40$
5. $62-8=$ $\qquad$ $62-2=$ $\qquad$
6. $25-9=$ $\qquad$ $25-5=$ $\qquad$
7. $33-8=? ?$
$33-3=$ $\qquad$
8. $42-9=$ ? ?
$42-2=$ $\qquad$
9. $51-7=$ $\qquad$ $51-1=$ $\qquad$
10. $74-9=$ ??
$74-4=$ $\qquad$
then 9-4 = $\qquad$ so 50-5 = $\qquad$
then 9-2 = $\qquad$ so 70-7= $\qquad$
then 8-6 = $\qquad$ so 30 -_ = $\qquad$
then 7-3 =__ so _ $-4=$ $\qquad$
then 8-2 = $\qquad$ so 60-6 = $\qquad$
then 9-5 = $\qquad$ so 20 - _ $_{-}=$
then 8-3 = $\qquad$ so 30-5 = $\qquad$
then 9-2 =__ so 40-7= $\qquad$
then 7-1 = $\qquad$ so 50-6 = $\qquad$
then 9-4 = $\qquad$ so 70-5 = $\qquad$

So what's happening here? The simplest way to think of it is on a number line. (Get used to these, we'll be using them a lot). Take $65-8=57$ again:


All we've done really is split the 8 into 5 and 3! Easy peasy, grated cheesy. By now you might feel confident enough to do some without the working. Sure, you can do it!


Take away thru 10s 2. Stg 5/E6 Nam add/sub Name: $\qquad$
We've learned how to 'take away through tens' already. But what if the numbers are bigger? No problem! If the first number is bigger, carry on as normal - just remember to keep the 100 or 1000 (or whatever) in its place.
E.g. $\mathbf{2 3 4 - 8 = ? ? ?} \quad 234-4=230 \quad 8-4=4 \quad 230-4=\mathbf{2 2 6}$


Practice on some of these - use your maths book to spread the problem out if you need to:

| $243-8=$ | $333-9=$ | $595-7=$ | 284-6 = |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $153-9=$ | $115-7=$ | $254-8=$ | $363-9=$ |
| $432-5=$ | $551-8=$ | $522-6=$ | $984-9=$ |
| 1843-7 = | $3774-8=$ | $1635-9=$ | $2345-8=$ |

Can we use the same technique to subtract problems in the 10 s or 100 s? You bet your Grandma's false teeth we can! The trick is to put aside the zeroes for a bit but remember to put 'em back. Or the Zero Fairy will give you hairy toenails.

Check out $650-\mathbf{8 0}=$ ? ?? First we can quietly ignore those naughty zeroes (see what I did there? naught-y zeroes! Oh never mind). We know how to figure out $65-8=57$ right? So now when we put the zeroes back we get: $650-80=570$ !


Q. What is the snake at the top of the page? A. It's an adder - also known as the common European viper, it's found all through Europe including Britain and parts of Asia. It has a painful, venomous but not usually deadly bite.

