Find the missing part: ten and twenty

Adult reads the story. Point, move counters, draw or write to show your thinking.

Story 1

Teddy needs 10 pots of honey. There are 6 so far. How many more are needed?

How many more?

Draw or use counters here

Story 2

Sam needs 10 apples. There are 7 so far. How many more are needed?

How many more?

Draw or use counters here

Find the missing part: ten and twenty

Adult reads the story. Point, move counters, draw or write to show your thinking.

Story 3

Kit needs 10 books. There are 8 so far. How many more are needed?

How many more?

Draw or use counters here

Story 4

Ben needs 10 eggs. There are 5 so far. How many more are needed?

How many more?

Draw or use counters here

Find the missing part: ten and twenty

Adult reads the story. Point, move counters, draw or write to show your thinking.

Story 5

Pip needs 20 shells. There are 13 so far. How many more are needed?

How many more?

Draw or use counters here

Story 6

Mum needs 20 cups. There are 12 so far. How many more are needed?

How many more?

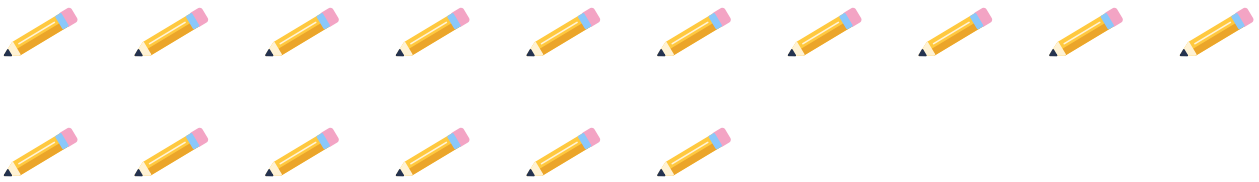
Draw or use counters here

Find the missing part: ten and twenty

Adult reads the story. Point, move counters, draw or write to show your thinking.

Story 7

Dad needs 20 pencils. There are 16 so far. How many more are needed?

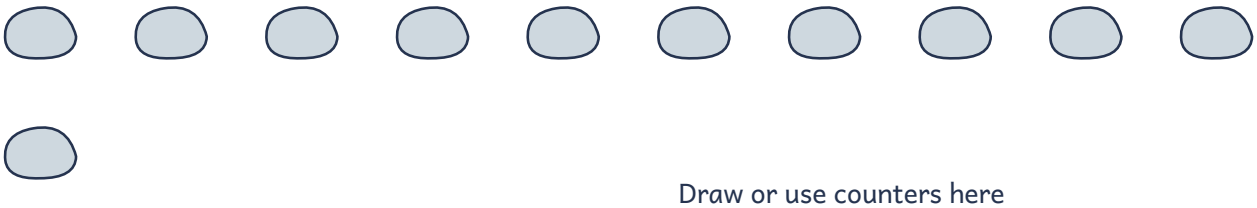


How many more?

Draw or use counters here

Story 8

A duck needs 20 pebbles. There are 11 so far. How many more are needed?



How many more?

Draw or use counters here

Find the missing part: ten and twenty

Separate adult answer bank and support

Answers and models

1: 6 + 4 = 10. Missing part: 4. 2: 7 + 3 = 10. Missing part: 3. 3: 8 + 2 = 10. Missing part: 2. 4: 5 + 5 = 10. Missing part: 5. 5: 13 + 7 = 20. Missing part: 7. 6: 12 + 8 = 20. Missing part: 8. 7: 16 + 4 = 20. Missing part: 4. 8: 11 + 9 = 20. Missing part: 9.

Support

An adult reads the word problems so reading difficulty does not hide the number skill. Use safe large objects or marks on paper. The pictures represent the starting groups; in take-away problems the child crosses out the removed part.