

Slindon C.E. Primary School

Progression in Mathematical Calculations - Subtraction

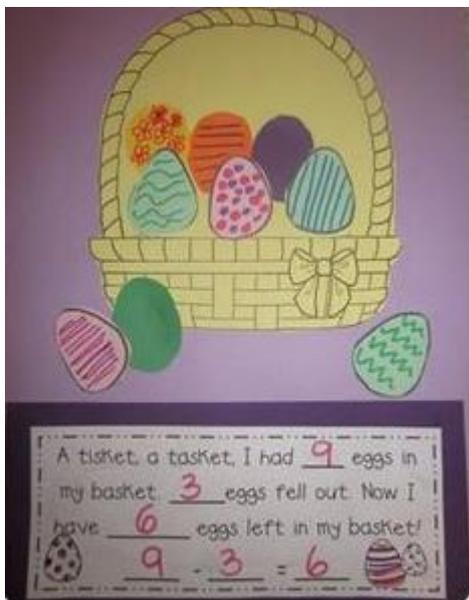
Guidance for Parents

In **Reception** the expectation is that children will:

Say which number is one less than a given number.

Using quantities and objects, subtract two single-digit numbers and count back to find the answer.

For example:



Useful vocabulary:

take (away), leave
 how many are left/left over?
 how many have gone?
 one less, two less... ten less...
 how many fewer is... than...?
 difference between

