# **SUBTRACTION**



#### Tips for subtraction:

- Label the columns H/T/1s
- Understand the value of thousands, hundreds, tens and ones.
- Use 'exchanging' for hundred/tens when you need to go next door!
- Subtract the smallest number from the biggest.

#### Resources I can use to help:

Use cereal as counters, numicon, dienes, hundred squares, draw dots (ones) and lines (tens) to represent the numbers, practice reciting the multiples.

# Subtraction Stages

- Counting objects
- Using a numberline
- Expanded Method
- Column Subtraction

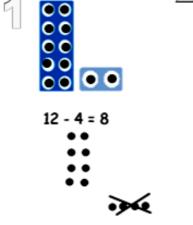
Methods your children will learn...

#### Counting Objects

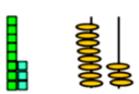
Use Numicon to draw dots and

12 - 4 = 8

take away the number to subtract.



#### Finding the Difference



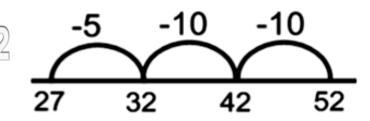
Count the gap.

The calculation should be represented in a bar model or using rods.



### On a Numberline

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Subtract tens first, followed by ones.

#### The Column Method

## The Expanded Method

