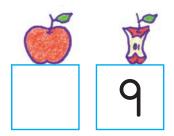
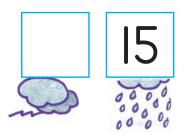
• Write the number that comes before the given number.





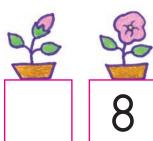




















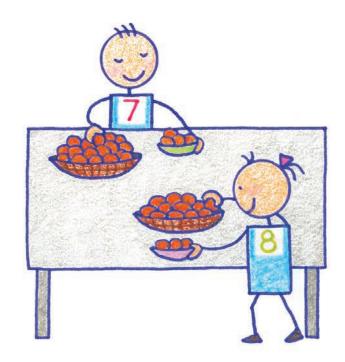
Pick the correct number

(a) Make two teams of 10 children each. Number the children with tags and make sure that they know their number.





(b) Let the teams stand on opposite sides. Place a basket of sweets or toffees (more than 55 in number) for each team. The teacher will say "Start!" to begin the game. The child numbered 1 will run up to the basket, pick up one sweet and get back into place. Then the child numbered 2 will run up, pick up 2 sweets and get back.



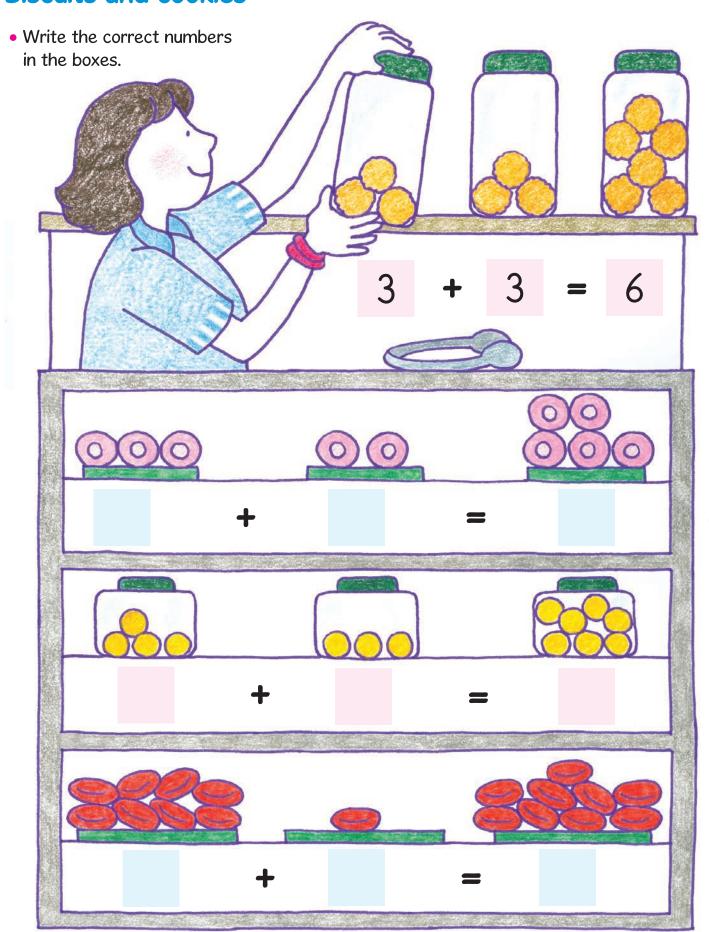
(c) This goes on till all 10 children have the appropriate number of sweets. (Children who have the larger numbers could be given a bag or container to collect the sweets). The team which finishes first (and in which all have counted correctly) is the winner.



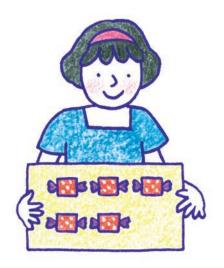


Teacher's note: Please make sure that the children enjoy the game and do not feel embarrassed or upset if they make a mistake. The joy of participation should be emphasized, rather than being 'correct' or winning.

Biscuits and cookies



Subtraction subtraction







Mira had 5 sweets.

She gave away 2 sweets.

Now Mira has 3 sweets.









minus



means equals













Misha had 6 apples.

She ate 2 apples. Now Misha has 4 apples.

















