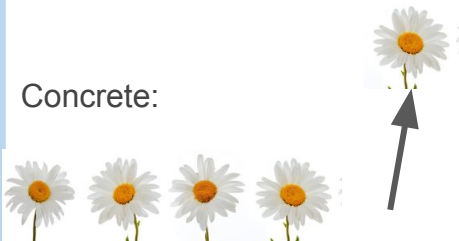


KIRF- I can say 1 less than a given number up to 10



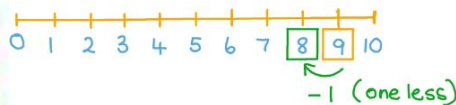
EYFS- Spring 2

Concrete:



What can this look like?

Pictorial:



Abstract:

3 is 1 less than 4

$$4 - 1 = 3$$

9 is 1 less than 10

$$9 - 1 = 8$$

### Questions to ask at home

Can you make a number **1 less than 2**?

What number is **1 less than 3**?

What number comes **before 7**?

How many **are left**?

How many **are there now**? (after subtracting 1)

What is **1 less than** ?

### Things to try:

**Everyday Objects-** Make the numbers visual, objects can be used alongside or instead of the number to show what the digit represents. - Say a number to your child and ask them to say 1 less. How many would you have if I took 1 away?

**Guess my number:** I am thinking of a number. It is one less than 5. What is my number?

**Table number game-** Cut out numbers

1 less	Number	1 more
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**Counting:** Use numbered finger puppets. Which number comes before?

**Sing Rhymes:** 10 green bottles, 5 little speckled frogs, There were ten in a bed.

**Websites:**

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/robot-more-or-less> – one less than robot

<https://ictgames.com/mobilePage/beeMoreOrLess/> - revisits 1 more as well.

White Rose App- Subtract 1 game

### Key vocabulary

less  
smaller  
take away  
less than  
left

