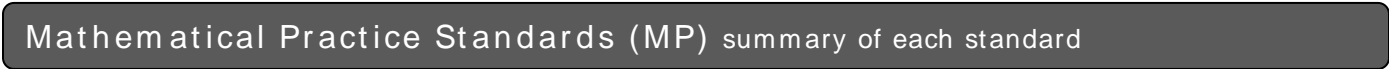



Teacher should be to guide students in understanding & making sense



Does this make sense? or they may try another strategy.

discussions involving questions like How did you get that? and Why is that true? their thinking to others and respond to others' thinking.

sequence is one more. When counting by tens, the next number in the sequence is ten more (or one more group of ten). In addition, students continually check their work by , Does this make sense?



Summary of Standards for Mathematical Practices	Questions to Develop Mathematical Thinking
<p>1. Make sense of problems and persevere in solving them</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Interpret and make meaning of the problem to find a starting point. Analyze what is given in order to explain to themselves the meaning of the problem. • Plan a solution pathway instead of jumping to a solution. • Monitor their progress and change the approach if necessary. • See relationships between various representations. • Relate current situations to concepts or skills previously learned and connect mathematical ideas to one another. • Continually ask themselves, "Can I understand this problem from another perspective? Can I understand various approaches to solutions?" 	<p>How would you describe the problem in your own words? How would you describe what you are trying to find? What do you notice about...? What information is given in the problem? Describe the relationship between the quantities. Describe what you have already tried. What might you change? What steps in the process are you most confident about? What are some other strategies you might try? What are some other problems that are similar to this one? How might you use one of your previous problems to help you begin? How else might you organize...represent...show...</p>

2. Reason abstractly and quantitatively

- Make sense of quantities and their relationships.
- Decontextualize (represent a situation abstractly) and contextualize (interpret an abstract mathematical statement in terms of a situation) to build understanding.

Summary of Standards for Mathematical Practice

In Kindergarten, instructional time should focus on two critical areas: (1) representing and comparing whole numbers, initially with sets of objects; (2) describing shapes and space. More learning time in Kindergarten should be devoted to number than to other topics.

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counting by tens, the next number in the sequence is ten more (or one more group of ten).

They are only expected to master counting on the decade (0, 10, 20, 30, 40 ...). This

kindergarteners. Support students' ability to make meaning and mathematize the process of seeing and focusing on the mathematical aspects and ignoring the nonmathematical aspects.

Mathematizing in Kindergarten: Solving problems, Communicating or showing their thinking, Connecting and Representing Ideas)

such as How do you know? How did you figure that out?

x

x

x Counting groups of ten such as fingers in the classroom (ten fingers

x

x

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<hr/>	Classify objects
and count the number of objects in each category Extend the counting sequence	Add and subtract within 20

x

x

14, students should count out fourteen objects using one
connect the representation to the symbol 14



Count to answer how many? questions about as many as 20 things

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Count to tell the number of objects.

4. Understand the relationship between * and ns.

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quantity

Count to tell the number of objects.

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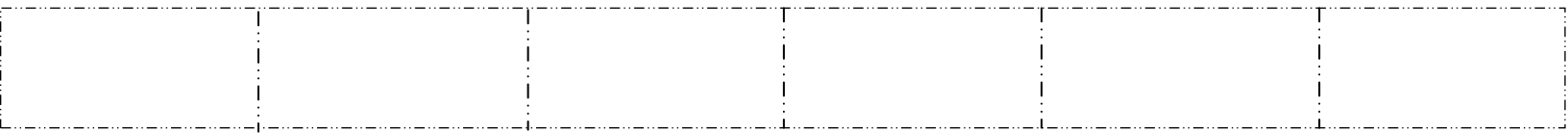
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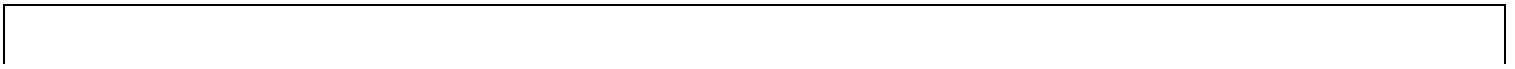
students' ideas using the words minus

subtract

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Note on vocabulary: The term **total** should be used instead of the term **sum**. **Sum** sound the same as **some**, but has the opposite meaning. **Some** is used to describe problem situations with one or both addends unknown, so it is better in the earlier grades to use **total** rather than **sum**. Formal vocabulary for subtraction (**minuend** and **subtrahend**) is not needed in Kindergarten. (**total** and **addend** are sufficient for classroom discussion).





The student snaps ten cubes together to make a train.

x Student breaks the train into two parts. S/he count

x Student breaks the train into two parts. S/he counts how many are in one part and determines how

x

kindergarteners. A variety of situations can be found in children's literature books. Students then model the

struggle at first, teachers should encourage them to try writing the equations. "ing the " A" s.s.

Traditional flash cards or timed tests have not been proven as effective instructional strategies for developing fluency.

concept and the symbol that represent each teen number. For example, when focusing on the number 14,
symbol 14. Students should recognize the

a ten _____

_____ a ten

10 ones make 1 ten

groupable

a ten

a ten

which object has more of / less of the attribute, and describe the difference. For example, directly compare the heights of two children and describe one child as taller/shorter.

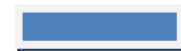
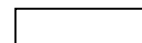
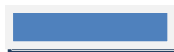
Measure lengths indirectly and by iterating length units

up two blocks and say, This block is a lot longer than this one. St

When making direct comparisons for length, students must attend to the starting point of each

the idea that ... sometimes this block is longer than *WKL V RQH DQG V B B H W L P H V L V*
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*E O R F N Z L W K H D F K H Q G O L Q H G X S D S S U R S U L D W H O *

_____ : The blue block is longer than the plain block when they are lined up like this. But when I move the blocks around, sometimes the plain block is longer than the blue block.



_____ : I have to line up the blocks to measure them.

(Conservation of Length: includes understanding that if an object is moved, its length does not change; an important concept when comparing the lengths of two objects).

equal to 10)

(Limit category counts to be less than or

number of objects

Know number names and the count sequence
Represent and interpret data

Count to tell the



Common Core State Standards	Essence	Extended Common Core
Describe and compare measurable attributes.	Measureable attributes of length	Describe and compare measurable attributes.

Cluster

1. Describe measurable attributes of objects, such as length or weight. Describe several measurable attributes of a single object.
2. Directly compare two objects with a measurable attribute in common, to see

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Resources:

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<hr/>	Analyze, compare, create and compose shape with shapes and their attributes	Reason
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two

x

three

shapes' attribu

Just Two Triangles

cube square

other FLAT material.

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Compose simple shapes to form larger shapes. For example, Can you join these two triangles with full sides touching to make a rectangle?





Common Core State Standards

Essence

Extended Common Core

Identify and describe shapes (such as squares, circles,

TABLE 1. Common addition and subtraction situations.³⁴

		Two bunnies were sitting on the grass. Some more bunnies hopped there. Then there were five bunnies. How many bunnies hopped over the first two? $2 + ? = 5$	Some bunnies were sitting on the grass. Three more bunnies hopped there. Then there were five bunnies. How many bunnies were on the grass before? $? + 3 = 5$
Take from	Five apples were on the table. I ate two apples. How many apples are on the table now? $5 - 2 = ?$		

³⁴ Adapted from Box 2 of Mathematics Learning in Early Childhood, National Research Council (2009, pp. 32, 33).

³⁵ These take apart situations can be used to show all the decompositions of a given number. The associated equations, which have the total on the sign, help children understand that the = sign does not always result in a smaller number, but always does result in the same number as

³⁶ Either addend can be unknown, so there are three variations of these problem situations. Both Addends Unknown is a problematic situation especially for small numbers less than or equal to 10

³⁷ For the Big Unknown or Smaller Unknown situations, one version directs the correct operation (the version with the larger unknown and less for the smaller unknown). The other versions are more difficult.