Individual Activity Lesson Plan



Date: Thursday 21 st May 2020		
Activity Title: Hungry Rabbit Subtraction		
Learning Intention: In a practical activity begin to use the vocabulary involved in subtraction.	Activity Overview: count how many carrots are left in each	
Links to EYFS: In practical activities and discussion beginning to use the vocabulary involved in adding and subtraction. (Mathematics)	patch, after Hungry Rabbit has eaten from them.	
Equipment: Hungry Rabbit in the Vegetable Patch - Subtraction Cards (print if possible or bring up the resource on a device). White board, chalk board or paper. White board pens, chalk or writing pencils.	Key vocabulary: Subtract, takeaway, less, symbols, how many, count, sum, equals.	

ACTIVITY IMPLEMENTATION (including key questions)

Introduction:

- Explain to your child that they are going do a maths subtraction activity.
- Familiarize him/her with the following symbol: and the word take away.
- Demonstrate a practical example of taking away, using everyday objects (e.g. lay out 4 pencils and take away 1. 'I had 4 pencils. I take away 1 and now I have 1, 2, 3. 3 pencils left'.)

Main Activity:

- Introduce your child to Hungry Rabbit (bring up the hungry rabbit template on a device or print and cut the subtraction cards).
- Explain to your child that Hungry Rabbit loves eating carrots.
- Work through the subtraction problems together. Use the questions below to engage your child.
- Can you count many carrots are in each vegetable patch?
- Read the caption at the top of the card from Hungry Rabbit.
- How many carrots does Hungry Rabbit eat?
- You can use a post it note or something similar to cover the amount.
- Can you count how many carrots are left?

Model the activity, if your child needs support and focus on using subtraction vocabulary as much as possible (see key vocabulary box above).

Challenge:

- Using the subtraction cards help your child to verbalise the calculation they've made.
- Write down an example for them to see e.g. 4 1 = 3
- Verbally model the calculation. 'There were 4 carrots and the rabbit ate 1. Now there are only 3 left. 4 take away 1 equals 3.'
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Additional ways to support your child:	Extension:
Support your child with number formation and the	Challenge your child to independently write a
structure to write their own calculation.	calculation to match with one of the subtraction cards.

