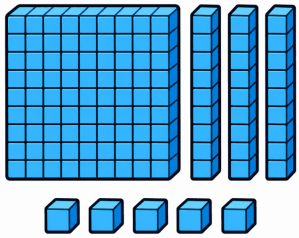
3-Digit Subtraction

Grade 3

Name _____ Date _____

Remember: Subtract the **ones**, then the **tens**, then the **hundreds**. If the top digit is smaller, **regroup**: trade 1 ten for 10 ones.

Start on the right. If the top digit is smaller, regroup from the next column.



1. Subtract in columns

Line up the digits and subtract. Regroup when you need to.

1. 669 − 285 = _____

2. 725 − 291 = _____

3. 665 − 607 = _____

4. 933 − 284 = _____

5. 515 − 165 = _____

6. 961 − 924 = _____

7. 681 − 132 = _____

8. 440 − 380 = _____

9. 725 − 579 = _____

10. 869 − 290 = _____

11. 601 − 538 = _____

12. 871 − 427 = _____

13. 840 − 211 = _____

14. 673 − 264 = _____

15. 868 − 795 = _____

16. 825 − 253 = _____

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2. More practice

Subtract.

1.

$$\begin{array}{r} 745 \\ -\ 294 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

2.

$$\begin{array}{r} 971 \\ -\ 922 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

3.

$$\begin{array}{r} 608 \\ -\ 181 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

4.

$$\begin{array}{r} 728 \\ -\ 292 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

3. Word problems

Solve. Show your work.

1. **Zara wants to walk 991 steps today. Zara has walked 597 steps so far. How many more steps are left?**

2. **A bakery made 532 muffins and sold 496. How many muffins were not sold?**

Answer Key

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1. Subtract in columns

1. 669 − 285 = **384**	2. 725 − 291 = **434**	3. 665 − 607 = **58**	4. 933 − 284 = **649**
5. 515 − 165 = **350**	6. 961 − 924 = **37**	7. 681 − 132 = **549**	8. 440 − 380 = **60**
9. 725 − 579 = **146**	10. 869 − 290 = **579**	11. 601 − 538 = **63**	12. 871 − 427 = **444**
13. 840 − 211 = **629**	14. 673 − 264 = **409**	15. 868 − 795 = **73**	16. 825 − 253 = **572**

2. More practice

1. 745 − 294 = **451**	2. 971 − 922 = **49**	3. 608 − 181 = **427**	4. 728 − 292 = **436**

3. Word problems

Answers.

1. **Zara wants to walk 991 steps today. Zara has walked 597 steps so far. How many more steps are left?**
   991 − 597 = 394 steps
2. **A bakery made 532 muffins and sold 496. How many muffins were not sold?**
   532 − 496 = 36 muffins