

ANSWERS



Maths Focus: Mental and written subtraction and using the inverse to solve problems

Helpful Hints: use the inverse of subtraction to solve some of the unknown values as well as thinking about how the exchange may affect the other digits

Level 1	Level 2	Level 3
<p>Alexander has worked out the answers to some Maths questions but has accidentally got some pen ink over his work! Help him to figure out the unknown digits.</p> <div data-bbox="165 775 663 919">$17 - 4 = 13$</div> <div data-bbox="165 932 663 1075">$60 = 75 - 15$</div> <div data-bbox="165 1088 663 1232">$55 = 66 - 11$</div> <p>1. Figure out the unknown digits by writing the number sentences out again showing what numbers are underneath the ink splats.</p>	<p>Alexander has worked out the answers to some Maths questions but has accidentally got some pen ink over his work! Help him to figure out the unknown digits.</p> <div data-bbox="904 737 1317 983">$\begin{array}{r} 86 \\ - 52 \\ \hline 34 \end{array}$</div> <div data-bbox="855 1031 1352 1276">$\begin{array}{r} 714 \\ - 193 \\ \hline 521 \end{array}$</div> <p>1. Figure out the unknown digits by writing the written calculation out again showing what numbers are underneath the ink splats.</p>	<p>Alexander has worked out the answers to some Maths questions but has accidentally got some pen ink over his work! Help him to figure out the unknown digits.</p> <div data-bbox="1496 737 2123 983">$\begin{array}{r} 9537 \\ - 4625 \\ \hline 4912 \end{array}$</div> <div data-bbox="1496 1031 2123 1276">$\begin{array}{r} 64 \cdot 08 \\ - \quad 9 \cdot 37 \\ \hline 54 \cdot 71 \end{array}$</div> <p>1. Figure out the unknown digits by writing the written calculation out again showing what numbers are underneath the ink splats.</p>