When doing subtraction, remember to:

1 - write the larger numeral above and the smaller numeral below

2 - subtract the digits in the ones column first, then the digits in the tens column

1) Gerron had 45 ducks in a duck pen. 32 got away, how many ducks remained in the pen?

45 – 32

Tens Ones

Answer =   ducks

2) Ali had 18 biscuits. He ate 7. How many biscuits does he have left?

18 – 7

Tens Ones

Answer =   biscuits

3) Kate has 16 lollipops. She gave Carl 6 lollipops. How many lollipops has she now?

16 – 6

Tens Ones

‒

Answer =   lollipops

4) There are 77 chairs and 7 tables in a room. How many more chairs are there than tables?

77 – 7

Tens Ones

‒

Answer =   chairs

5) There were 48 boys on the playground. If 6 boys went home, how many boys were still on the playground?

48 – 6

Tens Ones

‒

Answer =   boys