

The Greatest Difference

Which way will your team subtract?

- Number Line
- Place Mat

We picked these 4 digits: _____

$$\underline{\quad} \underline{\quad} \underline{\quad} \underline{\quad} - \underline{\quad} \underline{\quad} \underline{\quad} \underline{\quad} = \boxed{} \quad \text{Point?} \quad \boxed{}$$

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Names _____

Which way will your team subtract now?

- Number Line
- Place Mat

We picked these 4 digits: _____

$$\begin{array}{cccc} _ & _ & _ & _ \\ _ & _ & _ & _ \end{array} - \begin{array}{cccc} _ & _ & _ & _ \\ _ & _ & _ & _ \end{array} = \begin{array}{|c|} \hline \\ \hline \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{c} \text{Point?} \\ \hline \\ \hline \end{array}$$

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Do you prefer to use the number line or the Place mat? Why?

How many equations can you write for these numbers: 7, 3, 6, 2? _____

Write as many as you can on the back of this paper.

Cut out one set of number cards (0-9) per group.

0

1

2

3

5

5

6

7

8

9

0

1

2

3

5

5

6

7

8

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0

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