

Expand-and-Trade Subtraction

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Family Note Today your child used expand-and-trade subtraction to find differences between 3-digit numbers. This method reinforces children's understanding of place value. Learning different strategies helps children think flexibly and apply strategies that make sense to them.

Please return this Home Link to school tomorrow.

Fill in the unit. Estimate and then solve the problems. You may use any strategy you like. Use your estimates to check that your answers make sense. On the back of this Home Link, explain how you solved one of the problems.

Unit



① Estimate:

$$\begin{array}{r} 468 \\ -274 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

② Estimate:

$$\begin{array}{r} 531 \\ -329 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

③ Estimate:

$$\begin{array}{r} 331 \\ -209 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

④ Estimate:

$$\begin{array}{r} 653 \\ -447 \\ \hline \end{array}$$