Quick Number Stories

Add and subtract within 10 in stories and number boxes.

1.N.2.3 "Demonstrate fluency with basic facts of addition and subtraction with sums and minuends of up to 10."

NAME _____ DATE _____

Teacher: this page is run aloud. The script and answers are on the guide page.

1 CIRCLE IT

a	6	8	7
b	4	5	3
c	7	8	9

2 TAKE AWAY

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ANSWER KEY

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HOW TO RUN THIS PAGE

Read the directions and each story aloud, giving students time to answer independently. Watch for accurate fact recall, and record counting or teacher support separately.

Students never read directions on this sheet. Read each part's script aloud, then each prompt, giving think time before students mark.

PART 1 · CIRCLE IT

SAY "I will read each story. Find the answer in its row and circle it."

ROW	SAY	STUDENTS CIRCLE
a	You have 4 pencils and get 3 more. How many pencils do you have now? Circle the number.	**7**
b	There are 9 books. You put 5 away. How many books are left? Circle the number.	**4**
c	You have 2 paper clips and get 6 more. How many paper clips do you have now? Circle the number.	**8**

PART 2 · TAKE AWAY

SAY "Look at the number beside each box. Take away 3 for the first box and 4 for the second box. How many are left each time? Write each answer in its box."

- Box 1 (beside 8): **5**
- Box 2 (beside 7): **3**

WHAT TO ACCEPT

Circle answers, in order: 7, 4, 8. Box answers, in order: 5, 3. Accept correct numerals, and record whether each student recalled the fact, counted, or needed support.