Number Trail Challenge

Students count forward and backward from different starting numbers.

1.NBT.1a "Extend the number sequences to 120. In this range: Count forward and backward, starting at any number less than 120."

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

1 COUNT AND CIRCLE

a	60	61	62
b	100	102	101
c	120	118	119

2 COUNT AND WRITE

73	
90	

ANSWER KEY

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HOW TO RUN THIS PAGE

Read each prompt aloud and listen as students say the next numbers in the sequence before marking an answer. Give think time, check the counting as well as the written response, and record any 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 · COUNT AND CIRCLE

SAY "Say each number out loud as you count. Then circle the last number you say."

ROW	SAY	STUDENTS CIRCLE
a	Start at 58. Say the next three numbers as you count forward. Which number did you say last? Circle it.	**61**
b	Start at 104. Say the next three numbers as you count backward. Which number did you say last? Circle it.	**101**
c	Start at 117. Say the next three numbers as you count forward. Which number did you say last? Circle it.	**120**

PART 2 · COUNT AND WRITE

SAY "Look at the number beside the first box. Say the next two numbers as you count backward, then write the last number you said. For the second box, say the next two numbers as you count forward, then write the last number you said."

- Box 1 (beside 73): **71**
- Box 2 (beside 90): **92**

WHAT TO ACCEPT

Circle rows: 61, 101, 120. Boxes: 71, 92. Listen for the complete spoken counts and record any support separately.