## Removing Counters

## I am learning to subtract by using the most efficient strategy (counting down from or counting down to) and I am learning to write the matching subtraction equations.

## Materials:

one set of same color counters with two screens to cover

## Directions:

1. The teacher will show you up to 20 counters.
2. While covering the counters the teacher will remove between 4-15 counters from the original amount.
3. Tell how many counters are left.
4. Write the matching subtraction equation.
