

How Many?

I am learning to solve word problems when one group of items is hidden.

Materials:

Question cards, Numeral cards, Working mat, Counters

Directions:

1. Remove working mat, question cards, and numeral cards from folder.
2. Organize cards. Draw a question card and place on your working mat.
3. Use counters on your mat to represent the items in the question.
4. Cover the first group of counters with a matching numeral card.
5. Solve the equation.
6. Uncover the counters to check your answer.
7. Clear your mat, draw another card, and repeat until your recording sheet is full.

*To make this a partner game, give each student a working mat. Have them follow the above directions. When each student totals his/her counters, the student with the most/least gets a point (K.CC.6). Play until one student has 5 points.

