



## Number Decomposition to 10

### Today's Standard

K.OA.A3 - Decompose numbers less than or equal to 10 into pairs in more than one way, e.g., by using objects or drawings, and record each decomposition by a drawing or equation (e.g.,  $5 = 2 + 3$  and  $5 = 4 + 1$ ).

### Real-World Applications for this Standard

Splitting a set of 10 apples into two groups in different ways.; Sharing 10 candies between friends in various ways.; Dividing 10 blocks into two piles during playtime.; Breaking a 10-piece puzzle into two smaller parts.

### Today I Learned

Today in math, we learned how to break down numbers up to 10 into pairs in different ways. For example, the number 5 can be split into 2 and 3 or 4 and 1.

### Common Stumbling Blocks

Some kids might think there's only one way to break down a number, but there are many ways. Also, they might get confused and think that  $2 + 3$  is different from  $3 + 2$ , but they're the same.

### Quiz Me

- How can you split the number 4?
- Can you find two numbers that add up to 6?
- What are two ways to make the number 7?
- Is  $3 + 2$  the same as  $2 + 3$ ?
- Can you draw a picture to show how to split 10?

### Help Me

We learned that numbers can be broken down in different ways, like splitting 10 candies into two groups. This helps us understand how to add and subtract numbers.