

QUICK TIP!

Hey Kids! Time for a super fun math lesson, courtesy of Math Madness!

SUBTRACTION: BORROWING FROM ZERO

When you are subtracting, sometimes the column you need to borrow from will contain a zero. When that happens, the zero will need to borrow from the number to its left. This goes on until you find a non-zero number.

$$\begin{array}{r}
 1000 \\
 -5 \\
 \hline
 \end{array}
 \rightarrow
 \begin{array}{r}
 \overset{10}{1}000 \\
 -5 \\
 \hline
 \end{array}
 \rightarrow
 \begin{array}{r}
 \overset{9}{1}\overset{10}{0}00 \\
 -5 \\
 \hline
 \end{array}
 \rightarrow
 \begin{array}{r}
 \overset{9}{1}\overset{9}{0}\overset{10}{0}0 \\
 -5 \\
 \hline
 \end{array}
 \rightarrow
 \begin{array}{r}
 \overset{9}{1}\overset{9}{0}\overset{10}{0}0 \\
 -5 \\
 \hline
 995
 \end{array}$$

TRY IT!

$$\begin{array}{r}
 103 \\
 -4 \\
 \hline
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r}
 902 \\
 -44 \\
 \hline
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r}
 1050 \\
 -351 \\
 \hline
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r}
 7023 \\
 -57 \\
 \hline
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r}
 700 \\
 -6 \\
 \hline
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r}
 6020 \\
 -24 \\
 \hline
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r}
 2200 \\
 -448 \\
 \hline
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r}
 404 \\
 -15 \\
 \hline
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r}
 1802 \\
 -303 \\
 \hline
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r}
 301 \\
 -5 \\
 \hline
 \end{array}$$

