

## Mental Math Level 5

### WorkSheet#12 | Subtraction: Balancing for a Constant Difference

Subtract the following.

$$1) \begin{array}{r} 39 \\ - 27 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$2) \begin{array}{r} 29 \\ - 18 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$3) \begin{array}{r} 17 \\ - 3 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$4) \begin{array}{r} 38 \\ - 26 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$5) \begin{array}{r} 39 \\ - 27 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$6) \begin{array}{r} 27 \\ - 16 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$7) \begin{array}{r} 39 \\ - 27 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$8) \begin{array}{r} 39 \\ - 28 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$9) \begin{array}{r} 47 \\ - 35 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$10) \begin{array}{r} 49 \\ - 35 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$11) \begin{array}{r} 18 \\ - 4 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$12) \begin{array}{r} 48 \\ - 37 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$13) \begin{array}{r} 17 \\ - 6 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$14) \begin{array}{r} 17 \\ - 5 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$15) \begin{array}{r} 29 \\ - 18 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$16) \begin{array}{r} 19 \\ - 6 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$17) \begin{array}{r} 19 \\ - 5 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$18) \begin{array}{r} 27 \\ - 15 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$19) \begin{array}{r} 48 \\ - 35 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$20) \begin{array}{r} 19 \\ - 8 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$21) \begin{array}{r} 49 \\ - 35 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$22) \begin{array}{r} 48 \\ - 35 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$23) \begin{array}{r} 29 \\ - 15 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$24) \begin{array}{r} 48 \\ - 35 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$25) \begin{array}{r} 47 \\ - 35 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

Hint: Involves changing both numbers in a subtraction sentence by the same amount to make it easier to complete. The difference between the two numbers remain the same. For 27-16, add 3 to each number and think, "30-19=11"