| Grade 1 Stories About Taking Away Reference to English |  |
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| Math Standard（s）：1．0A． 1 \＆1．0A． 4 Domain：Operations and Algebraic Thinking |  |
| Content Objective（s）： | Language Objective（s）： |
| Students will tell and act out stories about taking away to find out how many are left． <br> 我可以说和比出减法的故事。 | Students will say the subtraction sentence while subtracting objects． <br> 我可以边做减法，边说出减法算式。 |
| Essential Understanding： <br> Taking away parts from a whole is one interpretation of subtraction．Subtraction number sentences can be used to show taking－away subtraction situations． | Academic Vocabulary for Word Wall： <br> Listen：拿掉／减掉，答案 <br> Read： <br> Write： <br> Speak：拿掉／减掉 |
| Materials： <br> －Connecting cubes <br> －Whiteboards and dry erase markers <br> －Guided Practice page 58－58 <br> －Problem Solving page 60 | Additional Lesson Vocabulary：鸭子，飞，桶子 |
| Lesson：Stories About Taking Away $\quad$ Instructional Time： 35 minutes |  |

Opening: (2 minutes)
T: "You have learned how to write a subtraction sentence to show how to find a missing part. I have 8 cubes, I take away 3 ."

- Use connecting cubes as you do this problem.
- Write the subtraction sentence on the board.

T: "Show me with your fingers how many cubes are left."
S: will show 5 with their fingers.
T: "You are right! Today, you will learn how to write a subtraction sentence to describe a story about taking away."

- Distribute the connecting cubes to the students (8 cubes for each student).

T: "You can use connecting cubes to show stories about addition. For example, there are 3 ducks in a pond."

- The teacher will put 3 cubes together to make a train.

T: "Then $\mathbf{2}$ more ducks arrive."

- The teacher will add 2 more cubes to the train.

T: "How many ducks do we altogether?"
S: will say" 5 ".
T: "Let's count the cubes together."
S: will say $1,2,3,4,5$
T: "You are right. There are 5 ducks in the pond."
Introduction to New Material (Direct Instruction): (8 minutes)
T: "Here is another story you can show using connecting cubes. 6 ducks are swimming in a pond. So, put 6 cubes together to make a train."

- The teacher will put 6 cubes together in a train.

T: "2 of the ducks fly away. Take 2 cubes away. How many ducks are left in the pond?"

- The teacher will take off 2 of the cubes.

S: will say " 4 ".
T: "Let's count the cubes together."
S: will say " $1,2,3,4$."
T: "You are right. There are 4 ducks left in the pond."

- Write a blank subtraction sentence on the board.

T: "Let's write a subtraction sentence to go with this story. Who can fill in the blanks on the subtraction sentence? What number goes in the first blank? Show me with your fingers."
S: will show 6 with their fingers.
T: "Correct, 6 goes in the $1^{\text {st }}$ blank. What number goes in the second blank? How many ducks flew away? Tell your neighbor."
S: will tell their neighbor and say "2" or "2 ducks"
T: "Let's read our subtraction sentence so far, 6-2 = $\qquad$ . What is the difference? Raise your hand."

- Don't call on a student until all the student's hands are raised.

S: will say, "4"
T: "Yes, 4 is the different. Let's say the subtraction sentence together. $6-2=4$. Now say it to your neighbor."
S: will turn to their neighbor and say, "6-2 $=4$."
Guided Practice: (13 minutes)
Use the modeling cycle:
Teacher Does:
T: "Today you are going to work with a partner to make-up some stories about taking away."

- The teacher needs to check and make sure each child has 8 connecting cubes.

T: "7 ducks are in a pond. So, put 7 cubes together to make a train."

- The teacher will put 7 cubes together in a train.

T: "What do these 7 cubes show?"
S: will say "ducks."
T: "3 of the ducks fly away. So, take away 3 of the cubes away. How many ducks are left in the pond? Tell your neighbor."

- The teacher will take off 3 of the cubes.

S: will say to their neighbor, " 4 ".
T: "Let's count the cubes together."
S: will say" 1, 2, 3, 4."
T: "You are right. There are 4 ducks left in the pond. Let's write a subtraction sentence to go with this

