



BIG TOP math

Timed
Subtraction
Tests

to practice Math Fact Fluency

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BIG TOP MATH: *QUICK PROGRAM OVERVIEW*

- Students take timed **subtraction** tests
- Each time they complete a test successfully, they earn a "balloon" for their big top badge (one every 40 or 60 seconds depending on balloons)
- After successfully completing 5 tests, they earn **Circus cookies** or **Animal crackers**, etc.
- If they do not successfully complete a test, they remain on that test until it is mastered
- Worksheets/flash cards can be sent home with student for practice
- Students work at own pace, trying to better their own score

Test Storage Student Folders Balloon Boards

BIG TOP TESTS

There are 2 tests per page (A and B). Copy each page and cut down the middle. They are basically both the same, just the order is different. We like to give the student the opposite test if they need to retake it. Once a student successfully passes a test, they move on to the next one.

Order of Tests:

-0 -1 -2 -3 -4 (-5)

-6 -7 -8 -9 (-10)

Mini-Mixed: -2,1,2 -3,4
 -5,6 -7,8 (-9,10)

Mixed Tests:

1 2 3 4 (5)

6 7 8 9 (10)

○ = indicates reward/incentive test

BIG TOP MATH FLASH CARDS

Copy each set of Flash Cards on colored construction paper. You may choose to pass them out when a student reaches a level (before they take the test) or after they don't pass it for the first time. Students look forward to getting to the next "color" flash cards.

Red	-0
Orange	-1
Yellow	-2
Green	-3
Light Blue	-4
Dark Blue	-5
Purple	-6
Red	-7
Orange	-8
Yellow	-9
Green	-10

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