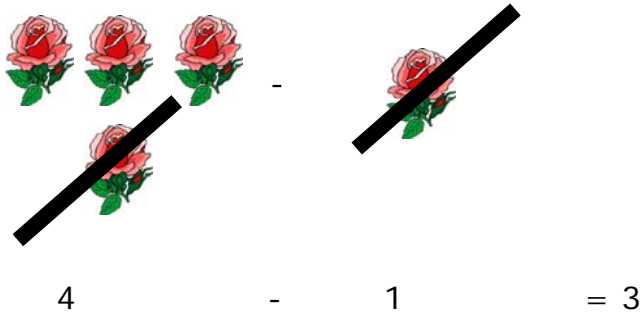Name _____   Date _____

Picture Subtraction - Guided Lesson Explanation

Explanation#1

There are 4 flowers in first group from left.

1 in second group which you can cross out.

         4   -   1   = 3

We subtracted 1 from 4. Count the flowers that are on the left.
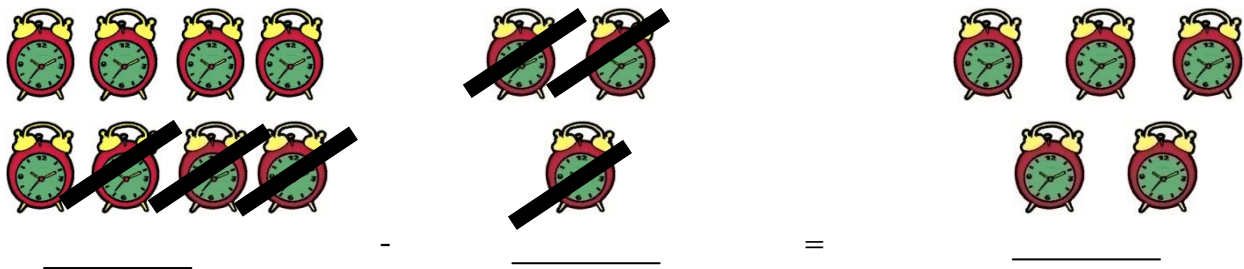
There are 3 flowers left.
So, 4 − 1 = 3.

Explanation#2

There are 8 clocks first group from left.

3 clocks are in the second group which are crossed out.

We subtracted 3 from 8, count the clocks that left there.

_____   -   _____   =   _____

There are 5 clocks left.

So, 8 − 3 = 5.

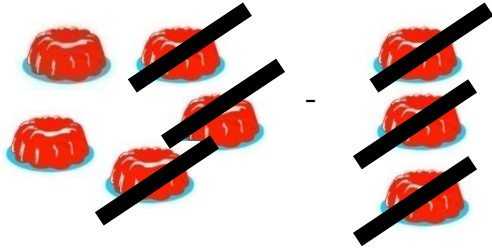**Explanation#3**

There are 5 jelly cakes in the first group from left.

3 cakes are in the second group which are crossed out.

We subtracted 3 from 5 and count the jellies that are left there.

There are 2 jellies left.

So, 5 − 3 = 2.