

Using Number Bonds to Find the Difference on a Number Line

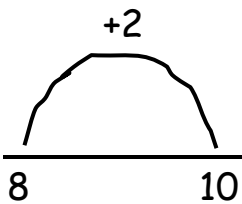
$$15 - 8 =$$

Draw a line.

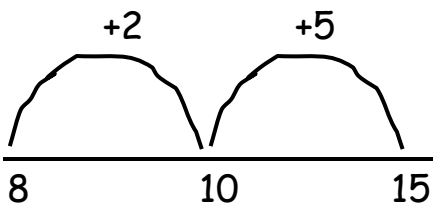
Write the smaller number under the line at the start of the line.

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Use your number bonds to count up to 10 in one jump.



Now count up to the larger number in one jump.



Add up your jumps.

$$5 + 2 = 7$$

Write your answer in your number sentence.

$$15 - 8 = 7$$