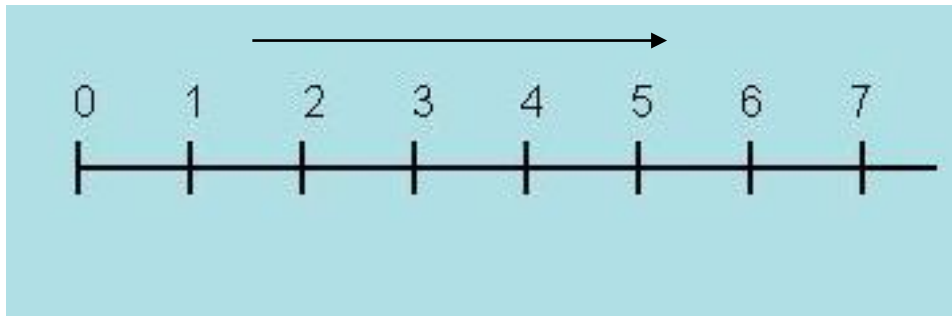


We need to remember that a number line is ordered from left to right – the same as when we reading.

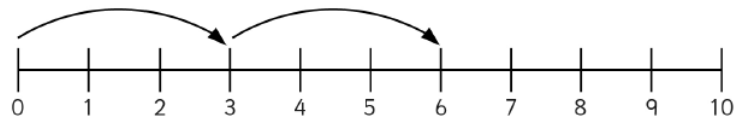
The numbers get bigger as we move right along the number line.



- So when we are **Adding** we will jump to the right!

Therefore our jumps go from the left to the right and the answer will be larger than our start number.

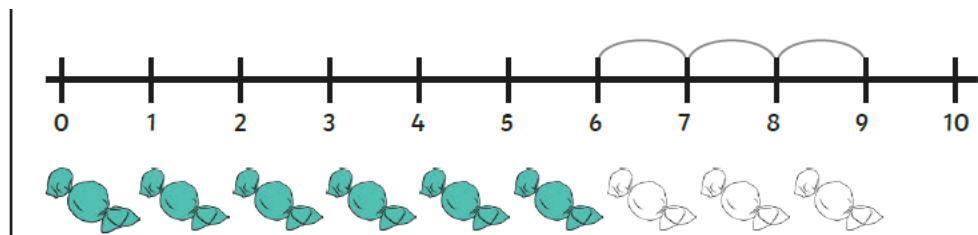
1. $3 + 3 = 6$



- When we are **Subtracting** we will jump to the left!

Therefore our jumps go from the right to the left and the answer will be smaller than our start number.

$9 - 3 = 6$



We would like to draw your own number lines to help you work out addition and subtraction sums.

Tips:

- Draw number line with a ruler.
- Place the first number in your addition sentence at the start of your number line.
- Always label the jumps that you have done (ie. +1 or +10)
- Ensure jumps are large enough to be counted up at the end.