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## Counting On

Dear Family Member:
In class your child counted the number of cubes in "trains" of connecting cubes. Help your child complete the homework below. Ask
your child to show you how he or she counted the cubes (or cars) in the trains. (Be sure to count the engine.) Students have
practiced using a "counting-on" strategy. They begin counting from a certain number rather than beginning from 1. Five is a good
number to begin on.
Thank you for your cooperation.

Color the cubes that are not shaded. Write the number of cubes in the whole train. Color the empty cars in the circus trains. Write the number of cars in the whole train.


