

**CC** Subtraction Practice

Solve the following problems using mental math. Use the *Subtraction Strategies Menu* in the *Student Guide* Reference section.

A.  $1000 - 1 =$

B.  $300 - 29 =$

C.  $1505 - 10 =$

D.  $150 - 25 =$

E.  $90 - 33 =$

F.  $460 - 160 =$

G. Show or tell how you solved B.

**DD** Pieces and Parts

Brandon says that  $\frac{2}{5}$  is more than  $\frac{1}{2}$  because  $\frac{2}{5}$  has more pieces.

1. Do you agree with Brandon?
2. Write a letter to Brandon explaining which is greater,  $\frac{2}{5}$  or  $\frac{1}{2}$ , and why. Try to use a picture in your letter.

Lee Yah says that  $\frac{1}{8}$  is more than  $\frac{1}{6}$  because eight is more than six.

3. Do you agree with Lee Yah?
4. Write a letter to Lee Yah explaining which is larger,  $\frac{1}{6}$  or  $\frac{1}{8}$ , and why. Try to use a picture in your letter.