The hundred square: answers and notes

What your child practised: finding numbers on a hundred square, filling in missing numbers, and finding 1 more, 1 less and 10 more (Year 1).

Page 1 · Warm up

18: second row · 50: end of the fifth row · 73: eighth row · 100: the last square.

Page 2 · Try it together

Answers will vary. For 36: 1 less **35**, 1 more **37**, 10 more **46**. For 40: 1 more is **41**.

Page 2 · A. Pieces

24 above, **33** left, **35** right, **44** below 34
67, **68**, **69**, with **79** below 69
72 above 82, **92** below, **93** next to 92

Page 3 · B. 1 less and 1 more

25, 26, **27**
49, 50, **51**
78, 79, **80**
98, 99, **100**

Page 3 · C. Down a column

6, 16, **26**, 36, **46**, **56**, 66

Page 3 · D. 10 more than 58

Ring **68**. (59 is 1 more, 57 is 1 less, 48 is 10 less.)

Challenge: No. 27 is **next to** 26 (1 more). The number just **below** 26 is **36**, which is 10 more.

Watch out for

- **Mixing up "next to" and "below".** Along a row is 1 more; down a column is 10 more.
- **Numbers at the end of a row**, such as 50. 1 more (51) is at the start of the next row.
- **Reading 2-digit numbers back to front** (37 for 73). Find the row first: 73 is in the seventies.

Going further (5 minutes, no paper)

- **Guess my number:** "My number is 1 more than 59." Your child says 60.
- **Hundred square hop:** say "start on 12, hop down 2 rows" (32).
- **In the game:** this is the last chapter. Your child can replay any chapter, such as Count back.