Gold

Look at the four subtractions:
1078 – 356
2056 – 834
1090 – 672
5045 – 923

- Think about how you might work each of these out.
- Do them using written column subtraction.
- Then try each one by counting up.
- Did you get the same answers each time?
- Which way was easiest?
- Then check your answers using the inverse operation for each sum.
- Then make up some more 4 digit subtractions and check using the inverse.