## 1 of 1 The National Strategies | Primary

Overcoming barriers in mathematics - helping children move from level 1 to level 2

## Complements to 20 board

- Copy the board twice onto cardboard and cut up one of the boards to make a set of cards.
- Challenge the children to place each card onto the board to make complements to 20 (e.g. place card number 9 on number 11).
- Once all the numbers have been covered, ask the children to say and record the number sentences for the complements they find it hardest to recall.

| 17 | 5 | 8 | 18 | 6 |
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| 2 | 11 | 1 | 12 | 7 |
| 13 | 4 | 16 | 10 | 3 |
| 14 | 9 | 10 | 19 | 15 |

