Five crispy pancakes

Five crispy pancakes in a frying pan,
Flip them and toss them and catch them if you can.
Along came [choose a student]
For a pancake one day,
Sprinkled it with sugar and took it away.
Four crispy pancakes in a frying pan …

Monkeys on the bed

Five little monkeys jumping on the bed,
One fell off and bumped his head.
Mummy called the doctor and the doctor said,
‘No more monkeys jumping on the bed.’
Four little monkeys jumping on the bed …

Five green and speckled frogs

Five green and speckled frogs,
Sat on a speckled log,
Eating the most delicious worms.
YUM, YUM.
One jumped into the pool,
Where it was nice and cool.
Then there were four green speckled frogs.
GLUG, GLUG.
Four green and speckled frogs …

Five little ducks

Five little ducks went out to play
Into the pond and far away.
‘Quack,’ said the mummy duck, ‘quack, come back.’
But only four little ducks came back.
Four little ducks went out to play …

Ten in the bed

There were ten in the bed,
And the little one said, ‘Roll over, roll over’.
So they all rolled over,
And one fell out.

There were nine in the bed,
And the little one said, ‘Roll over, roll over’.
So they all rolled over,
And one fell out.

There were eight in the bed …

There was one in the bed,
And the little one said, ‘Roll over, roll over’.
So he rolled over,
And he fell out.

There were none in the bed,
So no one said, ‘Roll over, roll over’.

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Build a sandcastle
A game for 4–6 players

Each player puts a marker on Start. Players take turns to roll the dice, move forward that many spaces, answer the subtractions, cover that number on the sandcastle with a marker. If the number is covered the player doesn’t cover any number on this turn. If a player lands on a starfish, they can cover a number of their choice. The winner is the player who covers the last number on the sandcastle.