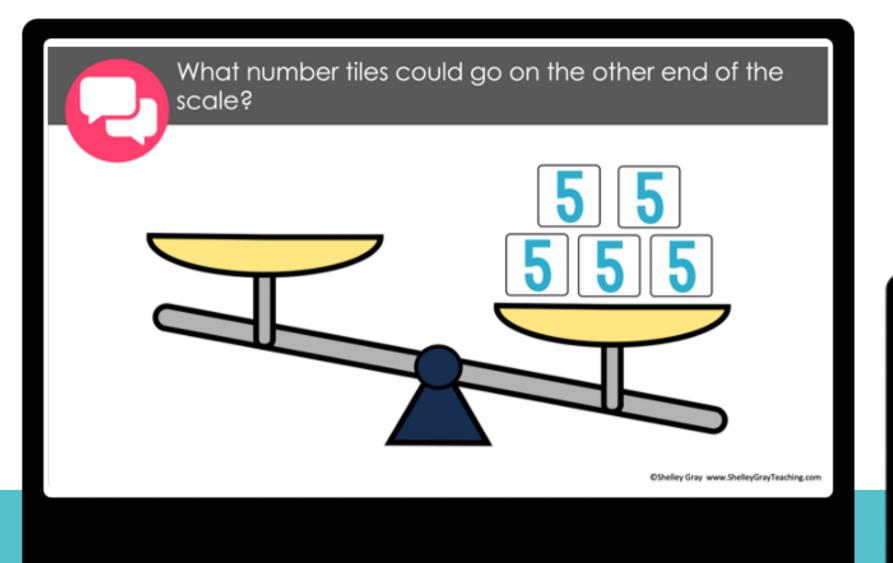
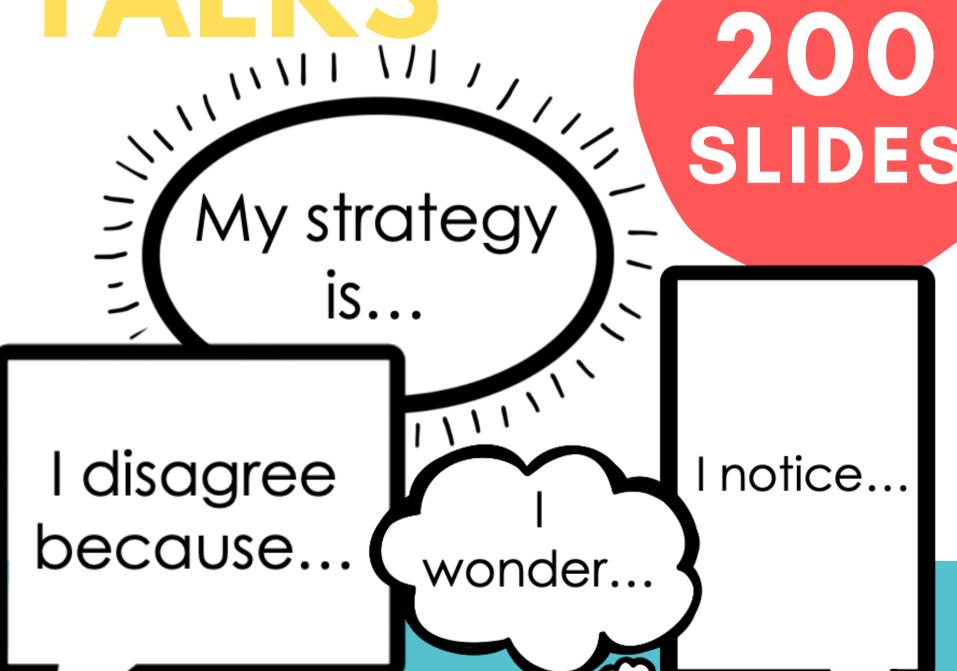
GRADE 1

MATH CONVERSATIONS

FOR NUMBER TALK





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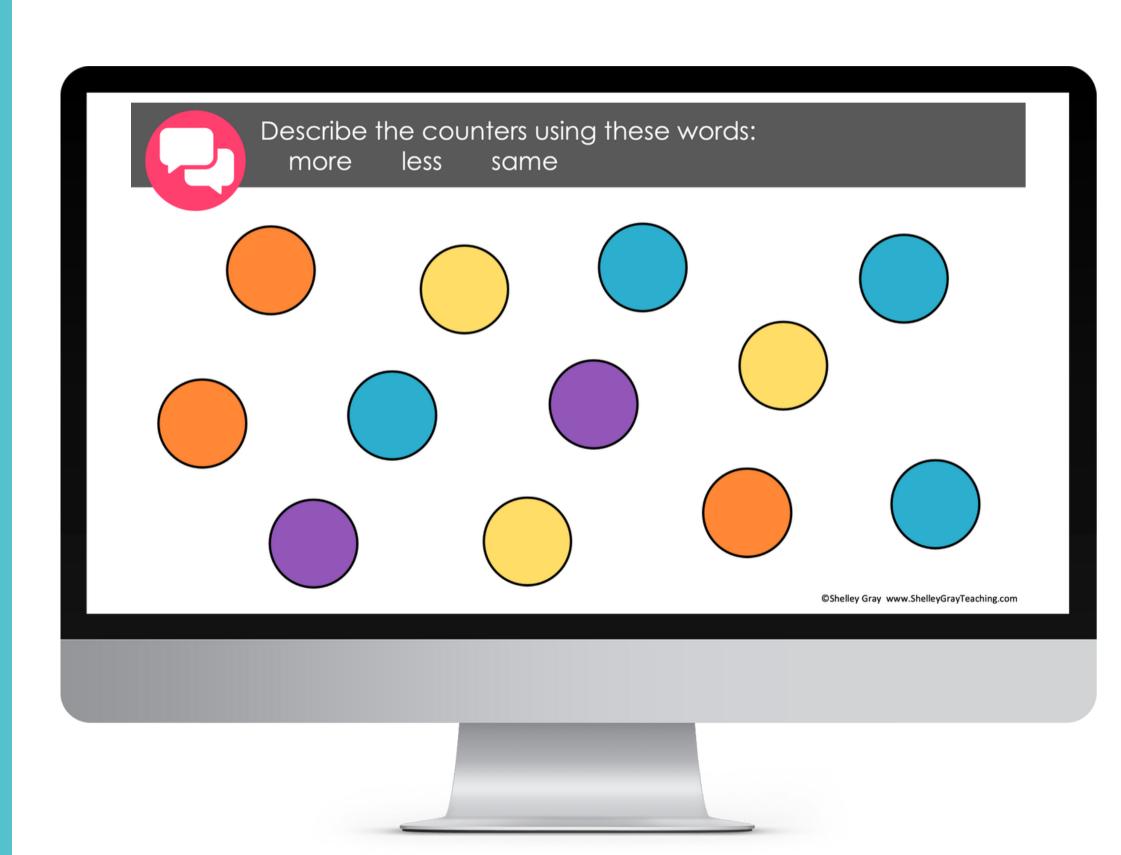
Math Conversations is designed to help your students:

build number sense

become strategic and flexible thinkers

boost math confidence





This resource includes 200 slides that reinforce flexible and strategic thinking, connections, and much more. The main goal is to get you and your students talking about math and realizing that math is not all about right answers - it's about thinking in different ways!



Use a strategy to solve: 2+1

> Now try: 2+2

Use what you know to solve:

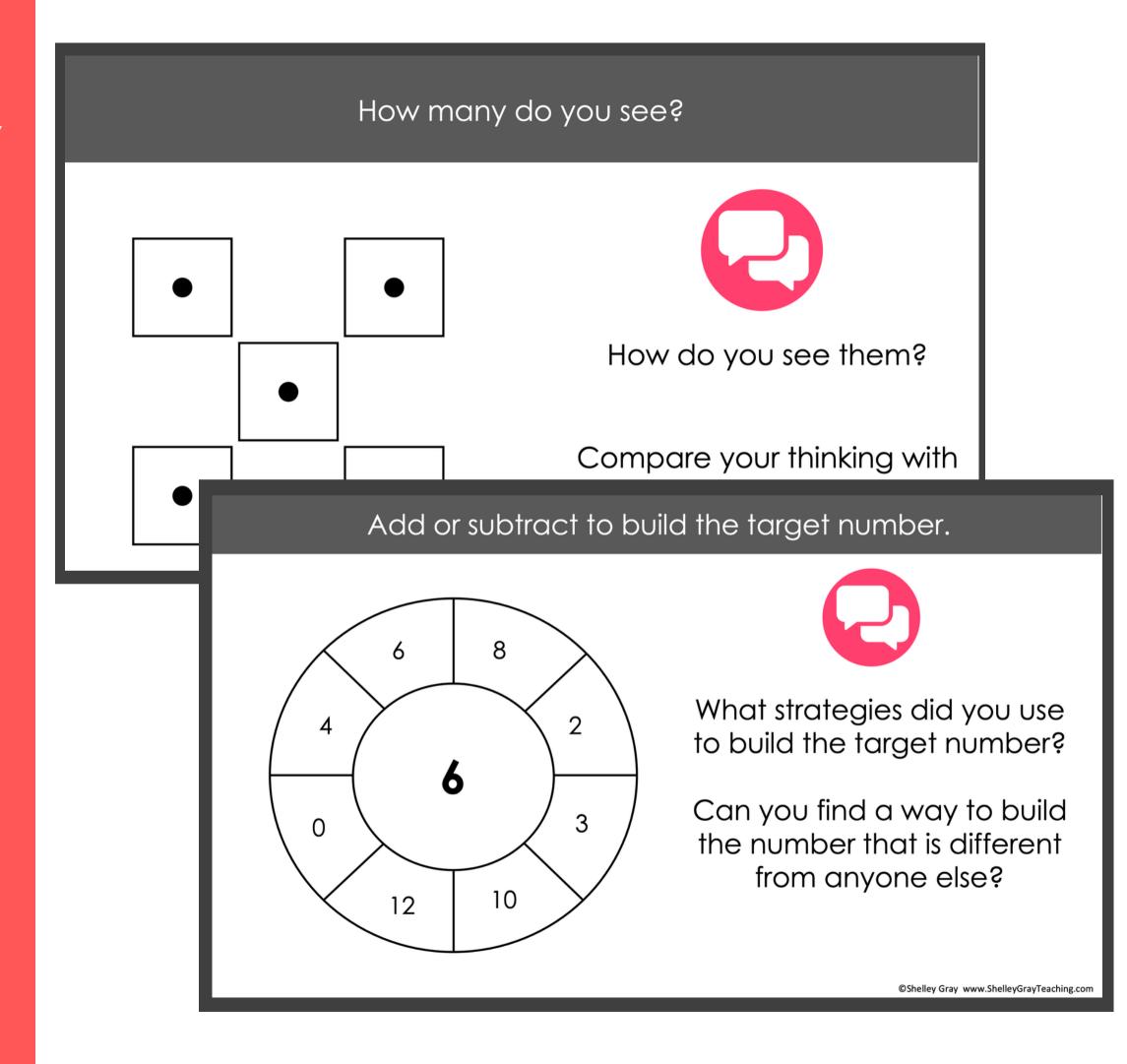
3+3



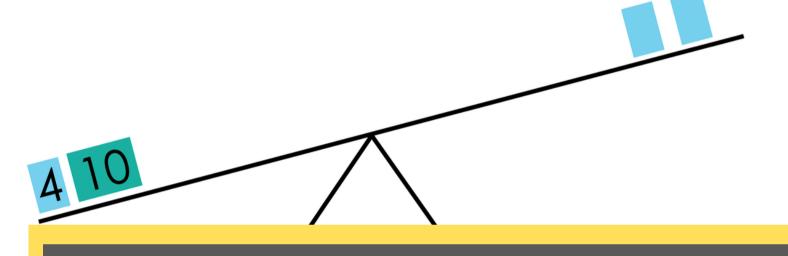
The slides are completely ready to go - NO PREP!

Just choose a slide and discuss as part of your daily math routine or number talk!





What numbers could go in the boxes?

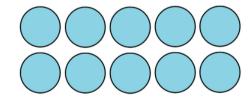


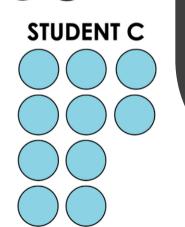
Three students were asked to arrange 10 counters on their desk. They arranged them differently.





STUDENT B





What are the similarities and differences between each student's work? Could you arrange them another way?

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I absolutely love this resource!! What amazing mathematical conversations were sparked with the slides. My mathematicians loved sharing their ideas and encouraging others to share as well. This resource is a great fit for a morning activity to wake up our math brains or to conclude a math class. Excellent resource.

Slides include number sense, geometry, estimation, and much more!

What do you notice? What do you wonder?





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I notice...

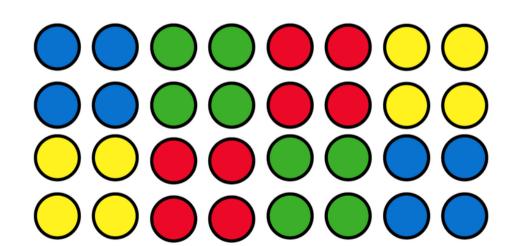
I wonder...

A question I have is...

I think...

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Layla was playing with counters. She made this picture.

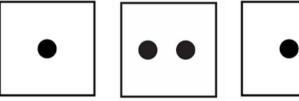




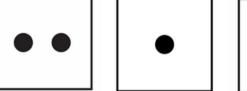
What does this picture represent? Share your thinking.

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How many do you see?







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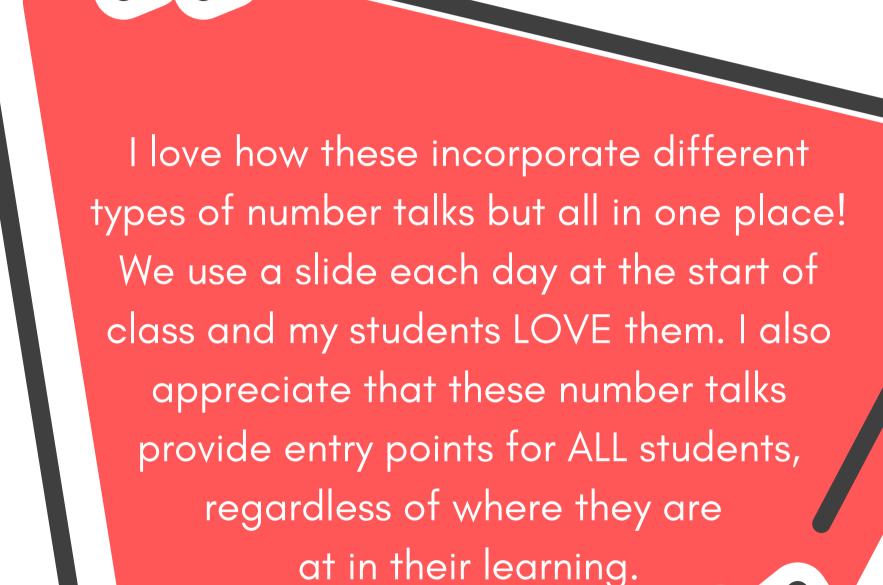
How do you see them?

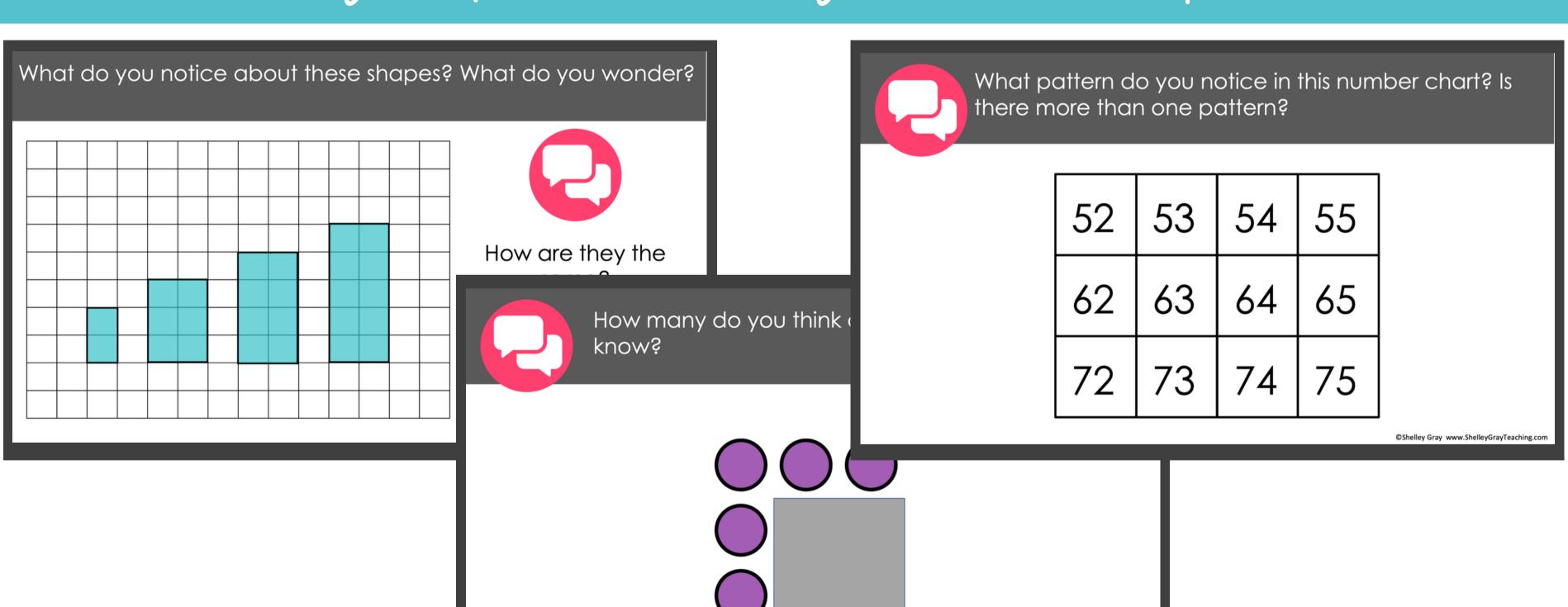
Compare your thinking with someone else's.

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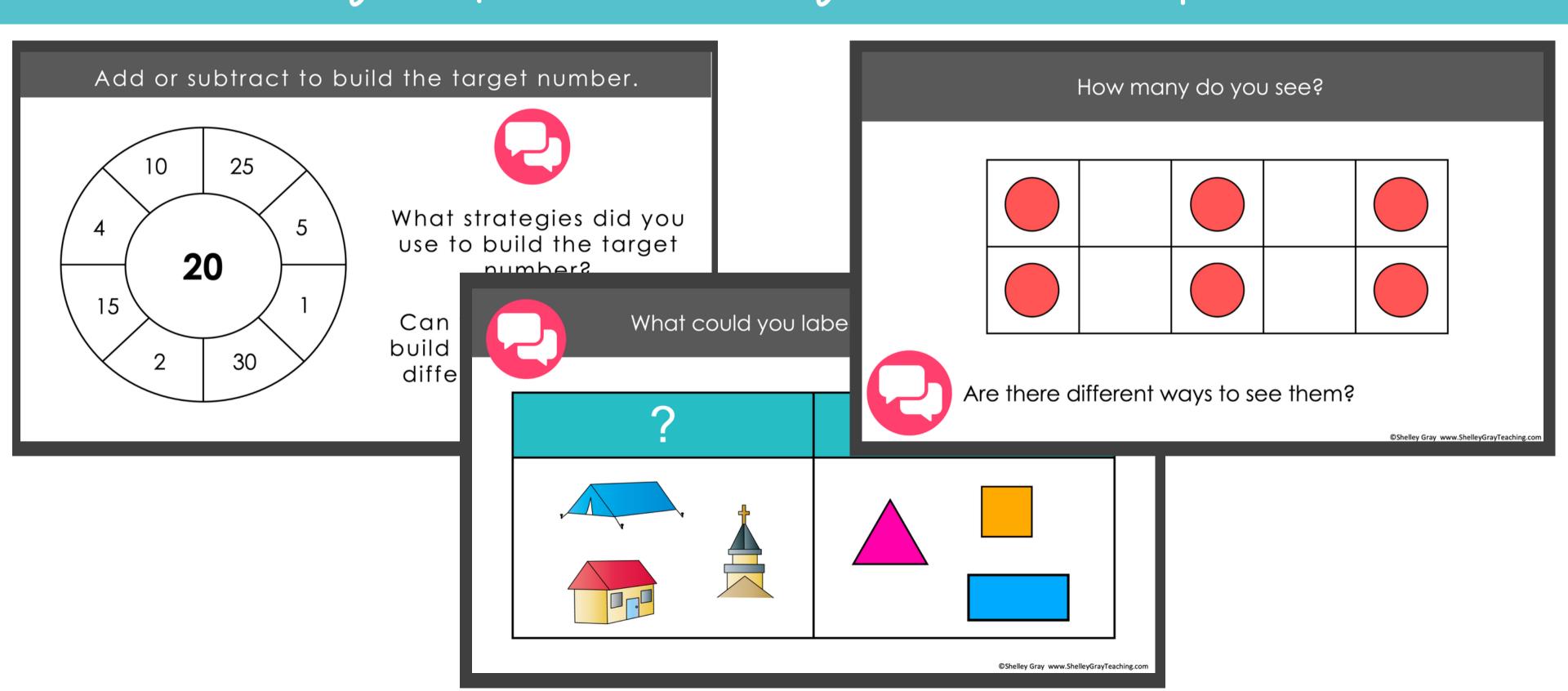
My students struggle with math anxiety. Incorporating these into the start of our lesson has helped them see that there is different ways of thinking.

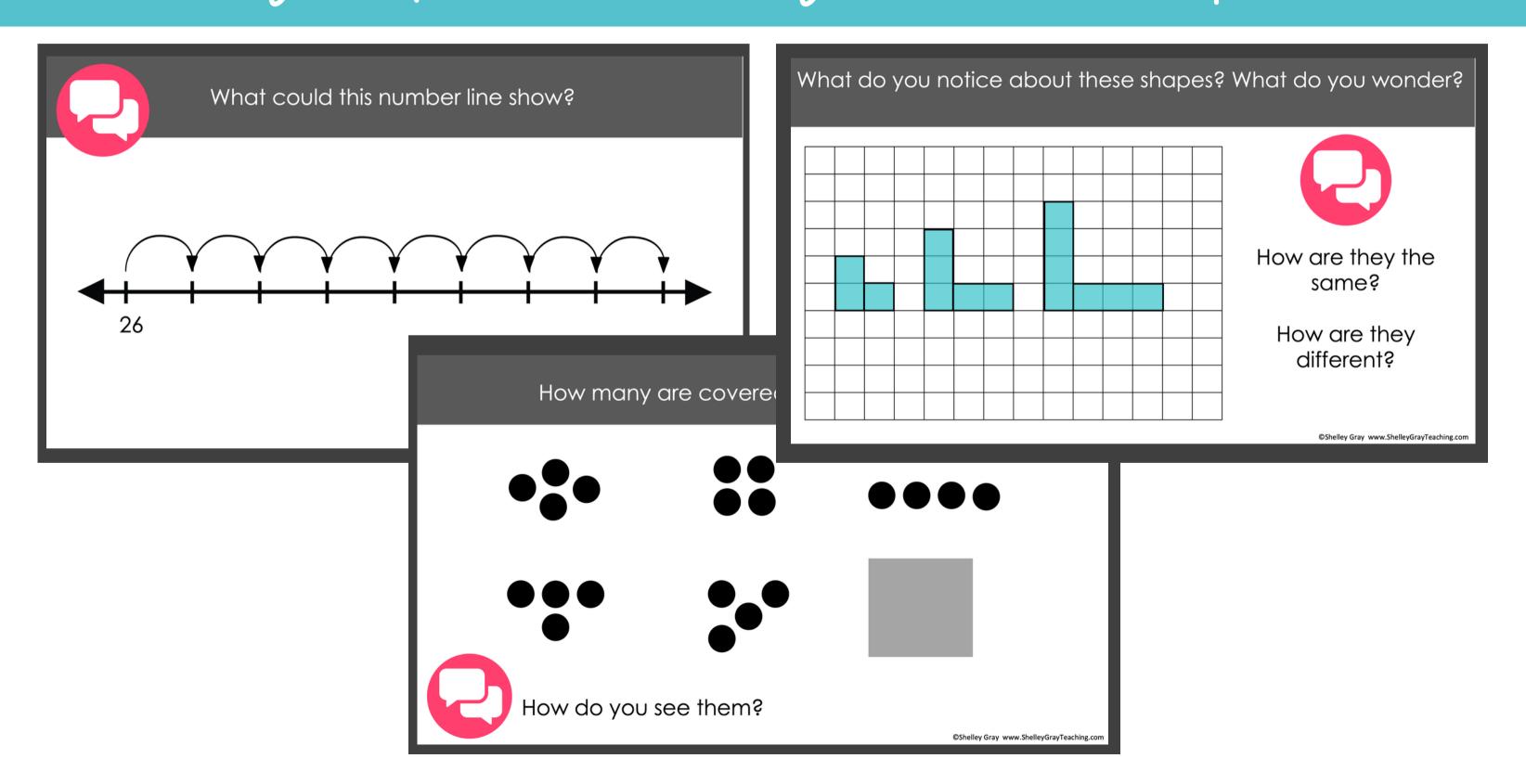
I am using this in my small group math stations. My students had a hard time with the fact that there isn't one specific answer I'm looking for, but they are starting to get the hang of it! I love seeing all the different strategies they use to solve the problems, and I've noticed that it's getting easier for them to explain their thinking!

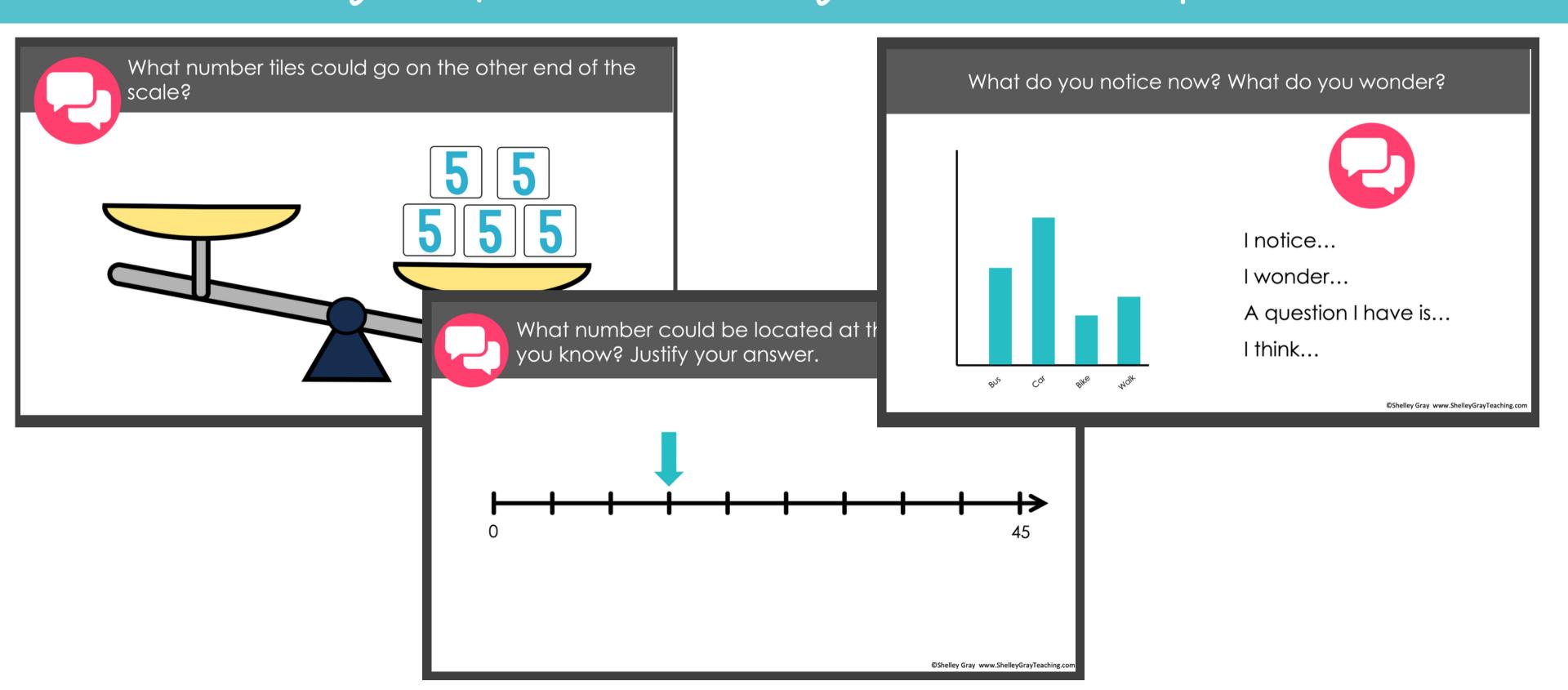




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Ready to take the guesswork out of planning your number talk routine this year?

