

COUNTING ON TO GIVE CHANGE

- 1 Start at the price €3.45 on the number line.
- 2 Count on 5c to the next 10c (€3.50), then 50c to the next euro (€4).
- 3 Count on €1 to reach the €5 paid.
- 4 Add the hops: $5c + 50c + €1 = €1.55$.



MATCH-UP

Match each purchase to the change from €5.

- a. item costs €3.50
- b. item costs €4.20
- c. item costs €2.75
- d. item costs €1.00
- e. item costs €4.60

1. €2.25
2. €1.50
3. €0.80
4. €0.40
5. €4.00

PRACTICE

- 1 Sam buys an apple for 90c and hands over a 1 euro coin at the fruit stall. How much change does he get?
- 2 Mia buys a bread roll for 1 euro 80c and pays with a 2 euro coin. How much change should she get back?
- 3 Tom buys a carton of juice for 1 euro 65c and hands the shopkeeper a 2 euro coin. What is his change?
- 4 Aoife buys a sandwich for 2 euro 15c and pays with a 5 euro note. Count on to find her change.

? ALWAYS, SOMETIMES, NEVER

Always, sometimes or never true? Write A, S or N.

- a. When you pay exactly the price of what you buy, you get change.
- b. The change you get back is less than the money you handed over.
- c. Counting on from the price up to the money paid gives the correct change.
- d. The change for an item paid with a 5 euro note is more than 1 euro.

REFLECT

Do you prefer counting on for change or subtracting from what was paid?