

## Money – spending a small amount

### WHAT THIS LESSON TEACHES

When you spend a small amount you add the prices of the things you choose. Then you check the total fits the coins you have and count on for any change.

→  $30c + 20c$  makes a total of  $50c$

→ Spend  $30c$  from  $50c$  and the change is  $20c$

### MODEL THIS ON THE BOARD

#### TOTAL FOR TWO SHOP ITEMS

- 1 Put the pencil price **30c** on the coin mat first.
- 2 Add the rubber price **20c** beside it.
- 3 Count all the coins to see the total is **50c**.
- 4 Check that **50c** fits exactly in the **50c** you have.

### ANSWER KEY

a) **30c**

b) **yes (50c)**

c) **40c**

Q1: **40c**

a) **Always** — Adding the prices is how you get the spend total every time.

b) **Always** —  $30c$  plus  $20c$  is exactly  $50c$  so it fits.

c) **Sometimes** — Some pairs stay at or under  $50c$  while others would go over.

d) **Always** — The lesson shows you must add first then check it fits.