License Plates 2

Purpose:
You can help your child learn basic addition facts.

What you need:
Paper and pencil

What to do:
As you drive in the car or walk beside the road, write down the numbers you see on vehicle license plates.
Add up each of the digits to give a total. For example, if the license plate has the numbers 5682, the total of the digits is 5+6+8+2=21. Who can spot the car with the highest total?
Add or subtract the digits to get as close as possible to zero. For example, if a license plate has the digits 3726, you might say "7+2-3-6=0".

What to expect from your child:
Your child should be able to tell you the answer to the addition facts instantly without having to count or calculate.

He Kupu Māori

addition facts	meka tāpiritanga
digit	mati
total (after addition)	tapeke

He Whakawhitinga Kōrero:
- Pānuihia mai te tau o tērā motukā. *(Read me the number of that car.)*
- Tuhia ki te pepa? *(Write it down on paper.)*
- Tāpirihia ngā mati o taua tau. He aha te tapeke? *(Add the digits of that number together. Whats the total?)*
- Kimihia te motukā he nui rawa atu te tapeke o ngā mati. *(Look for the car with the biggest total of its digits.)*
- Tāpirihia ngā mati, tangohia rānei kia tino pātata atu ki te kore. *(Add or subtract the digits to get close to zero.)*