



## Pairs to One Thousand

### Purpose:

To help your child learn pairs of numbers that add to make one thousand.  
For example:  $240 + 760 = 1000$

### What you need:

Calculator

### What to do:

Use a calculator to challenge each other to make number pairs that add to one thousand.

- Player one enters a three-digit number into the calculator.  
For example: 240.
- Challenge the other player to make the number into one thousand  
For example: Enter  $\boxed{+}$   $\boxed{760}$   $\boxed{=}$  to make one thousand.
- Take turns entering numbers and completing the challenge using many different three digit numbers.

### Some pairs to start with:

240	760
500	500
300	700
480	520
150	850

### Variations

- Paper and pencil
- Write a list of 3-digit numbers. Your child can use the calculator to find the number that makes one thousand and write it beside your number.

### He Kupu Māori:

calculator	tātaitai
3-digit number	tau mati-toru

### He Whakawhitinga Kōrero:

- Whakaurua he tau mati-toru ki te tātaitai. (*Enter a 3-digit number into the calculator.*)
- Kotahi te tāpiritanga hei whakauru māu, kia eke ki te 1000. (*Enter one addition to make 1000.*)
- Tāpirihia te aha kia eke ki te 1000? (*What do you add to get 1000?*)