

## License Plates 2

### Purpose:

The purpose of this activity is to help your child learn basic addition facts.

### Link to the Number Framework:

Number Facts, Stage 5

### 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.

### Note:

For further license plate activities refer to License Plates 1, Place Value, Stage 5.

### 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.*)