

Flashcards

Skill to be learnt: To recall all pairs of numbers with a total of 10 and addition facts for totals to at least 5; work out the corresponding subtraction facts.

What you will need: 0-10 cards.

How to play: Player A shows a card to player B who has to say the number that is needed to add to that number to total 10 (its complement). Time how long it takes for player A to repeat this for all number cards. Swap roles and try and beat each others time.

Talk points: To begin with model how you might work out what the complement is if you do not know this fact off by heart (use fingers, count up from the number on the card to 10 etc.)

Extension of this game: Use number cards up to 20.

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