

## Pairs to One Thousand

**Purpose:**

The purpose of this activity is to help your child learn pairs of numbers that add to make one thousand, for example 240 and 760.

**Link to the Number Framework:**

Place Value, Stage 6.

**What to do:**

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

- Enter a three-digit number into the calculator. For example, 240.
- Challenge the other player to make the number into one thousand using just one other number. In the above example the child needs to enter "+ 760=" to make one thousand.
- Take turns entering numbers and completing the challenge using many different three digit numbers.

**He Kupu Māori:**

calculator	tātaītai
3-digit number	tau mati-toru