

Strategies for Number Talks

Addition

<p>Counting On</p> $5 + 6 =$	<p>Doubles/Near Doubles</p> $5 + 6 =$ $10 + 1 = 11$ $19 + 18 =$ $20 + 20 = 40$ $40 - 3 = 37$ $123 + 119 =$ $120 + 120 = 240$ $240 + 3 = 243$ $243 - 1 = 242$
<p>Making Tens</p> $4 + 8 =$ $2 + 2 + 8 =$ $2 + 10 = 12$ $9 + 5 =$ $9 + 1 + 4 =$ $10 + 4 = 14$ $11 + 14 =$ $10 + 1 + 4 + 10 =$ $20 + 5 = 25$	<p>Friendly Numbers</p> $19 + 8 =$ $20 + 7 = 27$ $28 + 29 =$ $30 + 30 = 60$ $60 - 3 = 57$ $516 + 120 =$ $500 + 120 = 620$ $620 + 16 = 636$

Adapted from *Number Talks: Helping Children Build Mental Math and Computation Strategies* by Sherry Parrish