

## Addition with 3-Digit Numbers

**Addition:**

- Line up the place values. Add the digits starting with the lowest place.
- For each place with a sum greater than ten, the tens should be carried to the next place (or column).

### Example 1

Complete the following equation:  $522 + 476 =$

#### Explanation

**Step 1:** Line up the place values.

$$\begin{array}{r} 522 \\ + 476 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

**Step 2:** Add the ones,  $2 + 6 = 8$ .

$$\begin{array}{r} 522 \\ + 476 \\ \hline 8 \end{array}$$

**Step 3:** Add the tens,  $2 + 7 = 9$ .

$$\begin{array}{r} 522 \\ + 476 \\ \hline 98 \end{array}$$

**Step 4:** Add the hundreds,  $5 + 4 = 9$ .

$$\begin{array}{r} 522 \\ + 476 \\ \hline 998 \end{array}$$

Therefore, the answer is 998.

### Example 2

Complete the following equation:  $266 + 58 =$

#### Explanation

**Step 1:** Line up the place values.

$$\begin{array}{r} 266 \\ + 58 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

**Step 2:** Add the **ones**,  $6 + 8 = 14$ . Break down 14 into 1 ten and 4 ones. Write the 4 under the *ones'* column. Carry the 1 over to the *tens'* column.

$$\begin{array}{r} \overset{1}{2}66 \\ + 58 \\ \hline 4 \end{array}$$

**Step 3:** Add the **tens** and the **extra ten** that was carried over,  $1 + 6 + 5 = 12$ . Break down 12 into 1 ten and 2 ones. Write the 2 under the *tens'* column. Carry the 1 over to the *hundreds'* column.

$$\begin{array}{r} \overset{1}{2}\overset{1}{6}6 \\ + 58 \\ \hline 24 \end{array}$$

**Step 4:** Add the **hundreds** and the **extra hundred** that was carried over,  $1 + 2 = 3$ .

$$\begin{array}{r} \overset{1}{2}\overset{1}{6}6 \\ + 58 \\ \hline 324 \end{array}$$

Therefore, the answer is 324.

### Example 3

Complete the following equation:  $245 + 167 =$

#### Explanation

**Step 1:** Line up the digits.

$$\begin{array}{r} 245 \\ + 167 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

**Step 2:** Add the **ones**,  $5 + 7 = 12$ . Break down 12 into 1 ten and 2 ones. Write the 2 under the *ones'* column. Carry the 1 over to the *tens'* column.

$$\begin{array}{r} \overset{1}{2}45 \\ + 167 \\ \hline 2 \end{array}$$

**Step 3:** Add the **tens** and the **extra ten** that was carried over,  $1 + 4 + 6 = 11$ . Break down 11 into 1 tens and 1 one. Write the 1 under the *tens'* column. Carry the 1 over to the *hundreds'* column.

$$\begin{array}{r} \overset{1}{2}\overset{1}{4}5 \\ + 167 \\ \hline 12 \end{array}$$

**Step 4:** Add the **hundreds** and the **extra hundred** that was carried over,  $1 + 1 + 2 = 4$ . Write the 4 under the *hundreds'* column.

$$\begin{array}{r} \overset{1}{2} \overset{1}{4} 5 \\ + 167 \\ \hline 412 \end{array}$$

◆ Therefore the answer is 412.