



Making Ten

Understanding the Topic

- Making Ten means putting two numbers together to get the total of 10
- It helps children learn addition facts easily
- It is useful for mental math and solving sums quickly
- We can use fingers, counters, or drawings to practice making 10
- There are many number pairs that add up to 10

How to Make Ten

- **Step 1:** Pick a number less than 10
- **Step 2:** Find the number that adds to it to make 10
- **Step 3:** Use addition to show the pair
- **Step 4:** Learn and remember the number pairs that make 10

Examples with Solutions

Example 1: $3 + \underline{\quad} = 10$

$$3 + 7 = 10$$

Answer: 7

Example 2: $6 + \underline{\quad} = 10$

$$6 + 4 = 10$$

Answer: 4

Example 3: What do you add to 2 to make 10?

$$2 + 8 = 10$$

Answer: 8

Example 4: Fill in the blank: $10 = 5 + \underline{\quad}$

$$10 = 5 + 5$$

Answer: 5

Example 5: If you have 9, how many more to make 10?

$$9 + 1 = 10$$

Answer: 1



Summary Points

- Making Ten means adding two numbers to get 10
 - Helps in learning addition facts quickly
 - Useful for mental calculations and building number sense
 - Practice with different pairs like $1 + 9$, $2 + 8$, $3 + 7$, etc.
 - Fun and easy way to learn basic math skills
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