U.S. Traditional Addition

Family Note In today's lesson students were introduced to U.S. traditional addition. The steps are listed below.



Step 1

Add the 1s:
$$9 + 7 = 16$$
.

16 ones = 1 ten and 6 ones

1 7 9

+ 4 7

Write 1 above the digits in the 10s place.

Step 2

Add the 10s:
$$7 + 4 + 1 = 12$$
.

12 tens = 1 hundred + 2 tens

 $+ 4 7$

12 tens = 1 hundred + 2 tens

Write 2 in the 10s place below the line.

Write 1 in the 100s place below the line.

Make an estimate. Write a number model to show what you did. Then solve using U.S. traditional addition. Compare your answer with your estimate to see if your answer makes sense.

Estimate: _____

Estimate: _____

Estimate: _____

Estimate: ____

Estimate: _____

Estimate: _____

Practice

Round 2,787 to the nearest . . .

hundred _____ thousand ____

Round 54,681 to the nearest . . .

thousand

ten-thousand