

Addition With Carrying

Sometimes, we need to 'carry' a number when we add. This helps us get all the numbers in the right place.


Remember that we separate larger numbers into **TENS** and **UNITS**.

T U	$8 + 7 = 15$
8	
$+ \underline{\quad 7}$	15 is 1 TEN and 5 UNITS, so we put 1 in the TENS
1 5	column and 5 in the UNITS column.

Try it yourself:

T U	T U	T U
7	6	9
$+ \underline{\quad 5}$	$+ \underline{\quad 3}$	$+ \underline{\quad 4}$

If there is already a number in the tens column, we need to add them together:



T U	$8 + 7 = 15$
1 8	
$+ \underline{\quad 7}$	15 is 1 TEN and 5 UNITS, so we put 5 in the UNITS
1 5	column. We can't put 1 in the TENS column, because
	there is another number there already, so put it at
	the top or bottom so you don't forget it.

Now, we have 1 and 1 in the TENS column, which add to make 2

T U
1 8
$+ \underline{\quad 7}$
2 5

(Cross out the 1 so you don't get confused)

Try it yourself:

T U	T U	T U	T U
1 5	1 7	2 3	2 4
$+ \underline{\quad 6}$	$+ \underline{\quad 5}$	$+ \underline{\quad 9}$	$+ \underline{\quad 7}$