## Commutative Property of Addition

The word commutative comes from commute or move around, so the Commutative Property of Addition means that addends or numbers can be rearranged in different orders and the sum is the same.


## Associative Property of Addition

The Associative Property of Addition states that addends or numbers can be added in any order regardless of how the numbers are grouped. Addends or numbers can be ungrouped and rearranged or associated with another addend.


## Inverse Relationship of Addition and Subtraction

A number fact is made up of three numbers. These three numbers have a part to whole relationship. Knowing one fact can help children with other facts. Sometimes these sets of numbers are called Fact Families or Turn-Around Facts.


