

Salute!

I am learning to determine a missing addend for totals up to 20.

Materials:

numeral cards - at least 2 each of 0 to 15

Directions:

1. Decide who will be the soldiers and who will be the sergeant.
2. Divide the deck into 2 equal piles and give a pile to each soldier.
3. When the sergeant says "Salute!" each soldier will take a card from their pile and place it on their forehead, as if saluting each other. The sergeant needs to make sure that each soldier can only see his partner's card and not his own.
4. The sergeant calls out the sum of the 2 numbers.
5. Each soldier uses the sum to figure out what number is on their card, announces it to the sergeant and gets a point for each correct answer.
6. When the cards have all been used, mix the cards up and switch jobs.