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Rounding Multi-Digit Whole Numbers

7,482,391

7,482,391 There are 7 millions

7,482,391 There are 2 thousands

7,482,391 There are 4 hundred thousands

Review

Let's review the ways to write our number!

Word form: seven million, four hundred eighty-two, three hundred ninety-one

Expanded form: $7,000,000 + 400,000 + 80,000 + 2,000 + 300 + 90 + 1$

Expanded notation:

$(7 \times 1,000,000) + (4 \times 100,000) + (8 \times 10,000) + (2 \times 1,000) + (3 \times 100) + (9 \times 10) + (1 \times 1)$



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Objectives:

Students will:

- Use place value understanding to round multi-digit whole numbers to any place.
- Identify the nearest round number at any given place value.
- Be able to round multi-digit whole numbers to the nearest place value of any place.

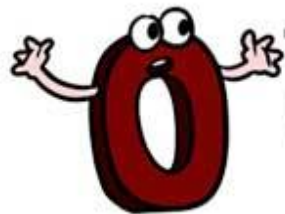


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What does it mean to round a number?

Rounding is when you find the closest “round” number to any given number.

In this lesson we’ll apply what we learned with “base 10” to round to the nearest 10, 100, and 1,000s.



DO I LOOK LIKE THE
KIND OF GUY WHO NEEDS
TO LEARN ABOUT
ROUNDING?

NAH, MAN...
YOU ALREADY
LOOK PRETTY
ROUND TO ME...

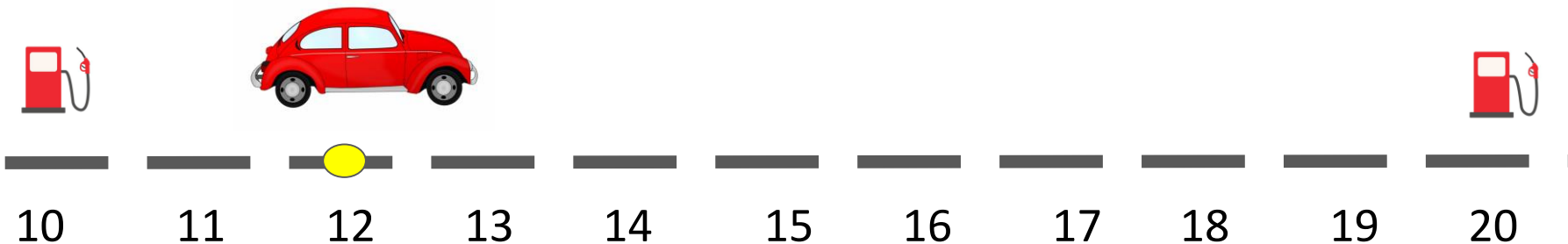


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Think about this!

You're in a car driving along this number line... Your car runs out of gas at the 12 mile marker. There is a gas station both at mile marker 10, and mile marker 20.

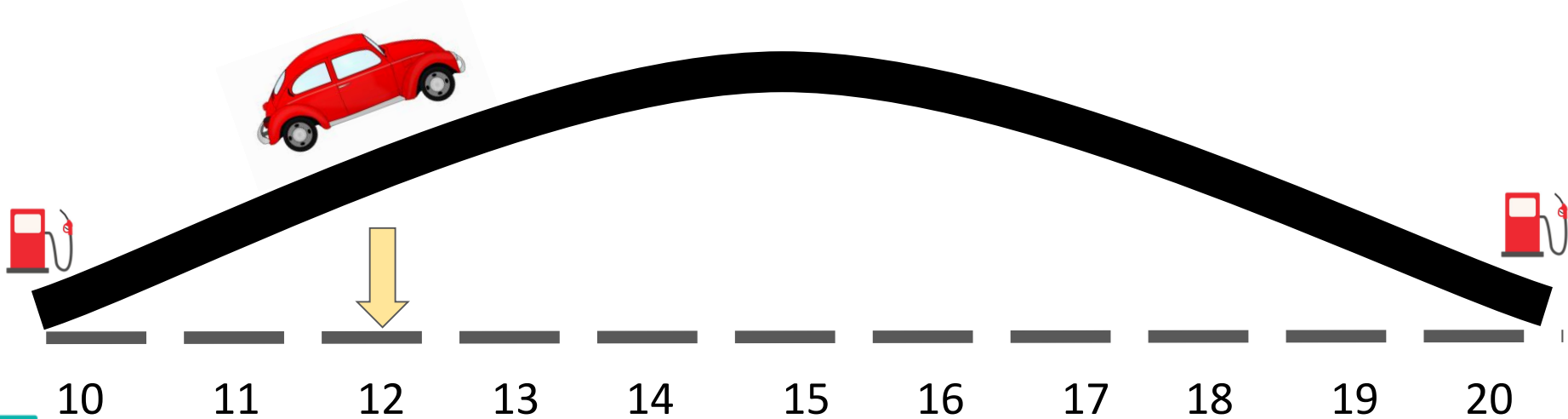
Would you go to the gas station at mile marker 10 or mile marker 20?



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Which gas station is closest?

The gas station at mile marker 10 is closer! We could easily “roll back” to the gas station at mile 10, but it would be much farther to get to the gas station at mile 20.

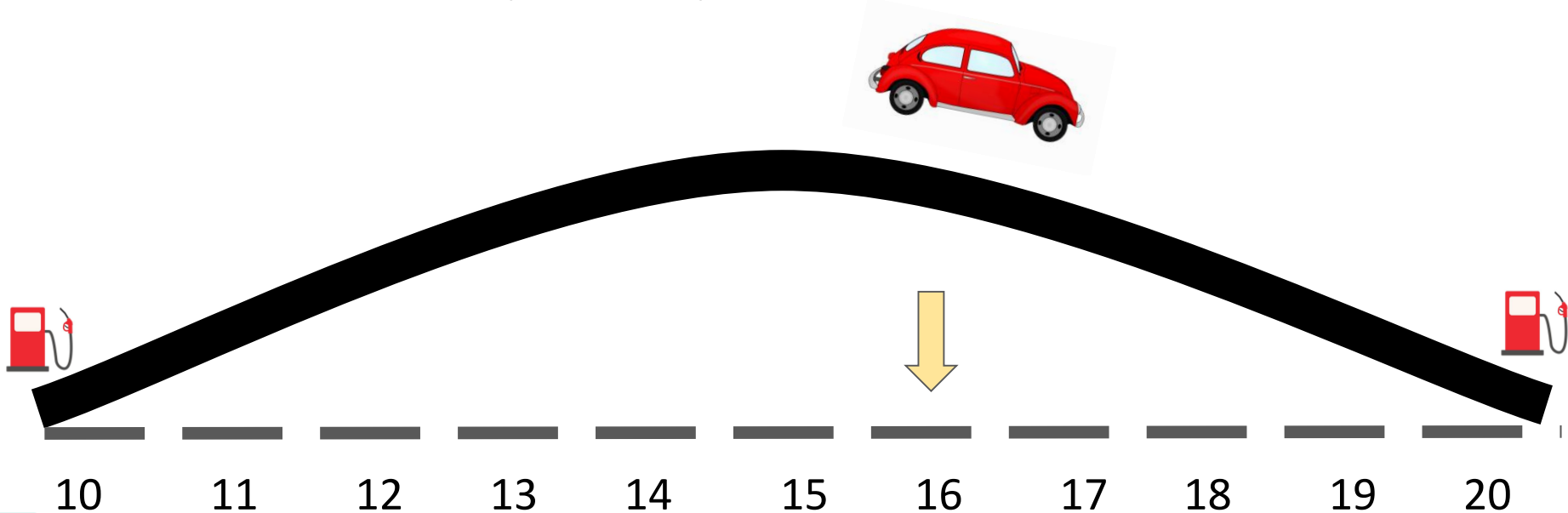


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Time to think!

It would be easier to roll **forward** to the gas station at mile 20 than to go back to the gas station at mile 10.

What if we were at mile 16 past the top of the hill?



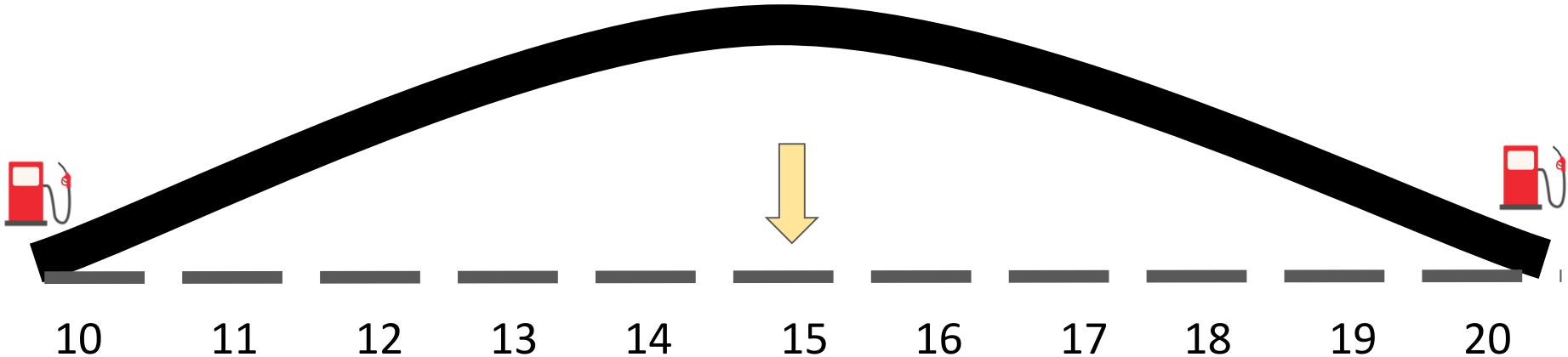
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Time to think

What if we were at mile 15, right at the top of the hill?



We would round **up** because it would be easier to roll **forward** down to the gas station at mile 20 than to go back to the gas station at mile 10.



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We can also use place value to help us round our numbers!

Let's learn how to round to the nearest place value with this simple rhyme:

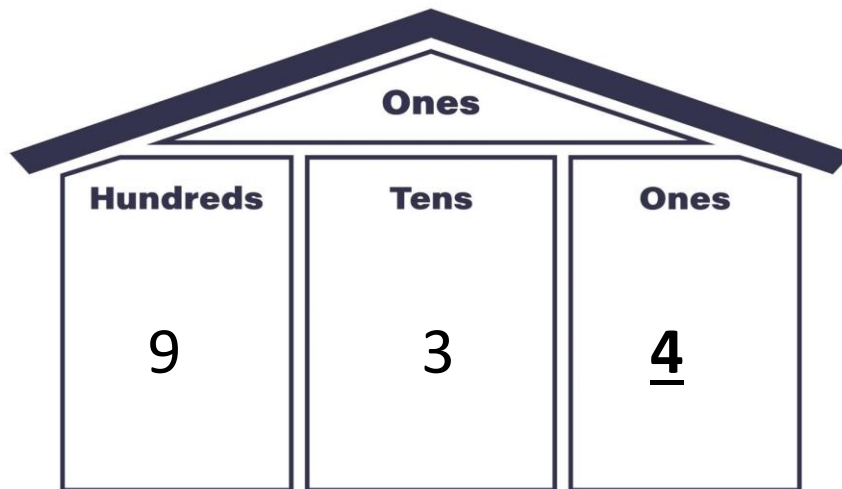
If it's four or less give it a rest.

If it's five or more raise the score.

Looking at the **ones** place value **934**
let's round to the nearest **ten**.

So, should we round **up**?
Or **down**?

Down! Because "four or less, give it a rest!"
So, the nearest **ten** would be **930**



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We can also use **benchmark numbers** on a number line to help us round our numbers.

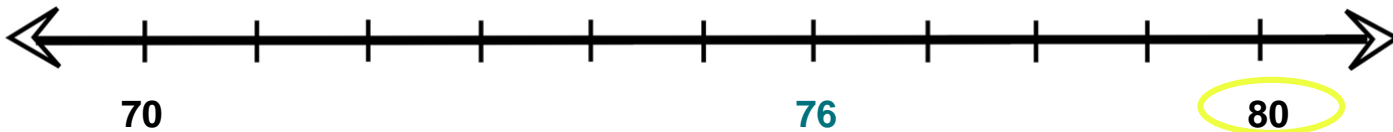
Let's round **76** to the nearest ten...

We place our benchmark numbers on the number line. If we're rounding to the nearest **ten** our benchmark numbers will be the rounded tens on **both sides** of our number.

80!

And we can also apply our rhyme "Five or more, raise the score!"

Which number is it closer to?



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We can use benchmark numbers to help us round to the nearest **hundred** too!

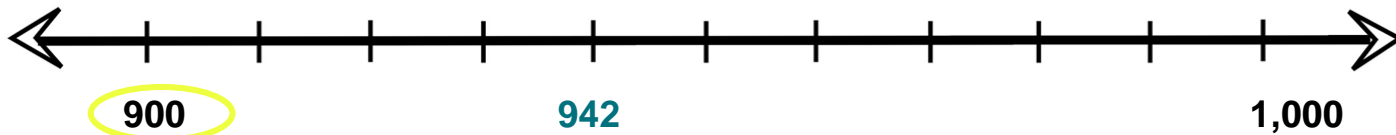
Let's round **942** to the nearest hundred...

We place our benchmark numbers on the number line. If we're rounding to the nearest **hundred** our benchmark numbers will be the round hundreds on **both sides** of our number.

900!

And we can also apply our rhyme "Four of less, give it a rest!" because when rounding to the nearest hundred we use the **tens** place to tell us whether to go up or down.

Which number is it closer to?



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Let's do some thinking!

Round **2,589** to the nearest thousand...

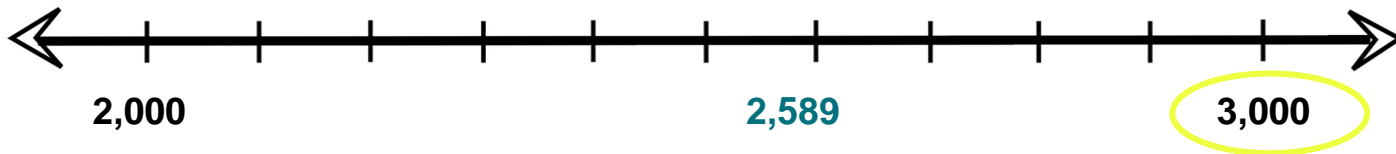
The **hundreds** place! Because you always look at one place below the place value you're rounding to.

3,000!

2,589

Five or more, give it a score!
Round **up** to 3,000!

Which number is it closer to?



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Sample Problem 1

Round **458** to the nearest ten...

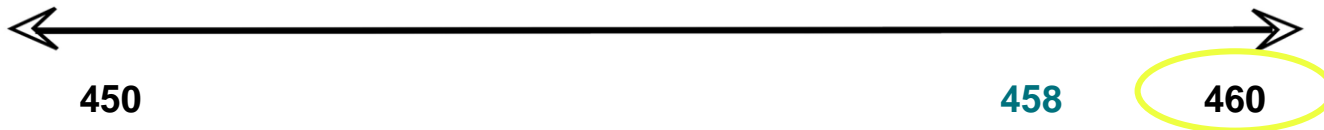
The **ones** place! Because you always look at one place below the place value you're rounding to.

460!

458

Five or more, give it a score!
Round **up** to 460!

Which number is it closer to?



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Sample Problem 2

Round **7,719** to the nearest hundred...

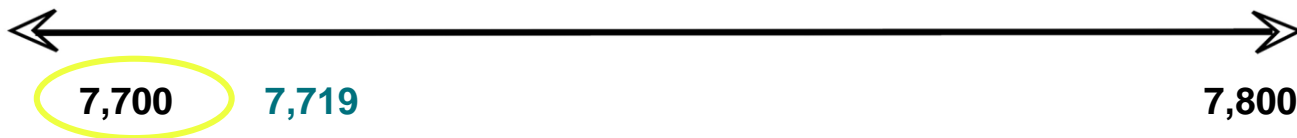
The **tens** place! Because you always look at one place below the place value you're rounding to.

7,700!

7,719

Four or less, give it a rest!
Round **down** to 7,700!

Which number is it closer to?



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Sample Problem 3

Round **23,607** to the nearest thousand...

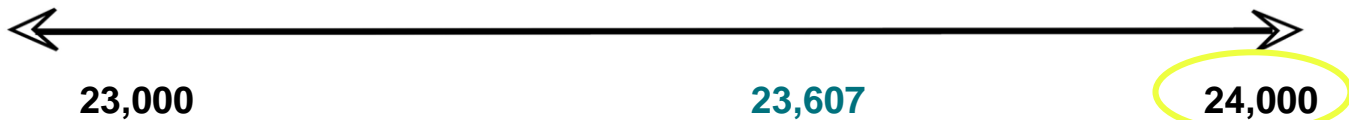
The **hundreds** place! Because you always look at one place below the place value you're rounding to.

24,000!

23,607

Five or more, give it a score!
Round **up** to 24,000!

Which number is it closer to?



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Sample Problem 4

8,600!

We used our benchmark numbers on the number line to help us figure it out!

When we're rounding to the nearest **hundred** our benchmark numbers are the round hundreds on **both sides** of our number.

The **tens** place! Because you always look at one place below the place value you're rounding to.

8,563

Five or more, give it a score!
Round **up** to 8,600!

Which number is it closer to?

