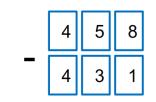
## **Close to Zero**



Materials: numeral cards 0-9 (4 of each), calculator

Number of Players: 2

- 1. Shuffle the cards and place them facedown in a stack.
- 2. Take six cards each from the top of the stack and use them to create a subtraction problem with two 3-digit numbers. Arrange your cards to make a difference as close to zero as possible.
- 3. Record and solve your subtraction problem.
- 4. Use a calculator to check each other's work. The player with the difference closest to zero scores one point.
- 5. The player with the most points after five rounds wins the game.

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