

P2.3

Balancing Act Card Game from <http://theteacherscauldron.blogspot.ca/2011/11/balancing-act.html>

Need: Deck of cards between two students; playing board (sheet protector or laminated); dry erase markers.

How to play: Flip over 3 cards and put them in boxes 1-3 (if you are doing the subtraction one, you'll have to make sure to put the 2 biggest cards in the 1 and 3 box). Then the students need to figure out what number would go in box #4 to "balance" the equation. Finding out what boxes 1 and 2 equal first *might* help them figure out what would go in box 4.

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Balancing Act!

Pull three cards from the deck. Place them in boxes 1, 2, and 3. Then figure out what number would belong in box 4. Remember, each side must equal each other!

