

Apply addition of whole numbers in familiar contexts

1. A group of 8 friends planned to play squash the next day. Three of them didn't come and four extra people turned up on the day. How many people played squash?
2. A class was asked to record the number of text messages that they sent over the weekend. Josh sent 8 text messages on Friday night, 4 on Saturday and 9 text messages on Sunday. How many text messages did he send altogether?
3. In a game of 10 pin bowls a player has 76 points. If he scores 8 points on his next turn and 7 points after that, how many points will he have?
4. In AFL a goal is worth 6 points. How many points does a team have after it has scored 3 goals and 8 points?
5. If costs approximately \$350 to fly to a holiday island, \$440 for accommodation and \$150 for food and spending money. What is the total cost of the holiday?
6. In Year 11 the mathematics book cost \$45, the English books costs \$68 and the Sports Science book cost \$38. What is the total cost of these items?

Pointers:

1. If asked to find the sum of numbers you are being asked to add them.
2. To evaluate means to find the answer as a number.