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## K.OA Ten Frame Addition

## Task

## Materials

- One 10 -frame per pair of students (see example below)

- Counters, 10 per pair of students
- Decks of number cards 0-5 (with 4 of each number) or two 0-5 dice


## Setup

This activity is done in pairs. The students sit side by side with 10-frame and deck of cards or dice. If they have cards, the cards are shuffled and placed face down in front of them.

## Action

Player 1 flips a card or rolls the die. They place that many counters on the 10-frame. Player 2 flips a card or rolls the die. They place that many more counters on the 10frame next to the counters already on the ten frame. The students count the total together.

A recording sheet can be added when the students have been introduced to equations and number sentences. For those students who can handle higher numbers, a deck of $0-10$ cards and two 10-frames can be used.

This game can also be played alone.

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