



UP DOWN GAME

-9	-8	-7	+3	+4	+5
-6	-5	-4	+6	+7	+8
-3	-2	-1	+9	+10	+
0	+1	+2	+	-	-

This is a game for 2 players, or a group of 3 or 4 players, or for the whole family. You will need to print and cut out 2 sets of these 24 cards.

Separate the 40 number cards from the 8 operation cards and shuffle them separately to mix them up.

With two players or a small group each player is dealt 3 number cards and 2 operation cards and has to rearrange them to get the highest positive

number. This can be played with a timer. The player who gets the highest number wins one point. If two or more players get the same highest number each player gets a point.

The first player to reach 10 points is the winner.

HELP

You could start with a few rounds of the much simpler game using 2 number cards and 1 operation

NEXT

You could introduce multiplication \times and/or division \div .

+3	+4	+5
+6	+7	+8
+9	+10	+
+	-	-

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-6	-5	-4
-3	-2	-1
0	+1	+2