



Code Busters

I can perform mental calculations with increasingly large numbers.



Draw a line to match each word problem to the corresponding answer in code.

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0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9

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In a half-price sale, I buy a CD player for £15.50, a mobile phone cover for £3.80 and a DVD for £5.90. What would have been the total I would have paid for these items if there had not been a sale?

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Francois is having a new carpet fitted. The carpet costs £420 but Francois must add on 15% to the price to have the carpet fitted. How much does it cost to buy the carpet and have it fitted?

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