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MLJ: To estimate answers to problems.

Estimate the answers to the problems.

$273 - 148 =$

73 is close to

48 is close to

My estimate is - =

$1099 - 99 =$

109 is close to

99 is close to

My estimate is - =

$1989 - 702 =$

$2201 - 149 =$

Work out the answers to the problems to see how close your estimates were.

Complete the table.

Problem	Estimated Answer	Exact Answer
$619 + 32 =$	$620 + 30 = 650$	$619 + 32 = 651$
$1049 + 297 =$		
$2249 - 1105 =$		
$1396 - 142 =$		

- Why is it good to estimate the answers to calculations?

Joe has saved £197. He wants to buy a new pair of skates which cost £152. Estimate how much he will have left.

- Find out the exact amount using a suitable method.

With the left over amount he wants to buy a new shirt for £50. Can he buy his shirt too?