## Near 20

**Materials:** Numeral cards (1-9)

- 1. Shuffle a pack of numeral cards and deal five to each player.
- 2. Each player chooses three cards that add to 20, or as near to 20 as possible, and records the equation.
- 3. Find your score by calculating the difference between the sum of your cards and 20.

**Example:** Mario picks the cards 9, 6, and 4 and writes 9+6+4=19. He subtracts 19 from 20 for a score of 1 because 20-19 = 1. Lisa picks the cards 8,9, and 5 and write 8+9+5=22. She subtracts 20 from 22 for a score of 2 because 22-20=2

4. Play ten rounds. At the end of the game add the scores for each player. The player with the lowest total is the winner.