## Box Cars and One-Eyed Jacks

## 4 Games x 5 Ways = 20 Differentiated Activities

## Grades 1-5

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| Turn | Rolled | Rounding Recording Sheet |  |  | Notes |
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|  |  | Standard | Rounded To 10's | Rounded to 100's |  |
| example | 400, 20, 7 | 427 | 430 | 400 |  |
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## HORSE RACE - PRIMARY ADDITION

LEVEL: K-2
SKILLS: adding to 12 , commutative property of addition, fact families
PLAYERS: 2 (1 vs 1 )
EQUIPMENT: tray of dice (each player needs 18 of their own color), gameboard
GOAL: to have the greatest number of dice on your side of the "racetrack" at the end of the game

## GETTING STARTED:

Each player takes 18 dice of one color and picks a side of the dice tray to be their "racetrack". Each player picks up a pair of dice, rolls, and calculates their sum. The player with the greatest sum puts their dice into their side of the racetrack. Both players verbalize their sums.

## EXAMPLE:



MATH TALK Player One says "8 is a greater sum than 6"
The player with the greatest sum places their dice in their side of the racetrack. The player with the least sum tosses their dice into the lid.

Players each pick up another pair of dice, roll and compare their next sums. In the event of a TIE or EQUAL SUM - both players put their two dice into their side of the racetrack.

Play continues until both players' 18 dice have been rolled out. The player with the greatest number of dice on their side of the racetrack wins.

Level 1 : Addition to 12 - Players roll two dice and add them

Level 2 : Addition to 18 - Players roll three dice and add them.

Level 3: Multiplication to 36 - Players roll two dice and multiply them

Level 4: Multiplication to 72 - Players roll three dice, choose two to add together, then multiply the sum by the third.


## SLAM DUNK WITH REGROUPING



- Each player takes 18 dice of own color.
- Each player rolls 4 dice, arranges in a 2-digit + 2-digit configuration.
- Greatest sum wins.
- Player with the greatest sum places dice into their side of the tray, least sum places in lid.
- Player with the most dice in their side of the tray at the end of the game wins.

SLAM DUNK WITH REGROUPING


## 36 / 72 SLAM DUNK



## - Each player takes 18 dice of own color.

- Each player rolls 2 or 3 dice, multiplies.
- Player with greatest product places them into their side of the tray, least product places in lid.
- Player with the most dice in their side of the tray at the end of the game wins.


## PLOTTING ALONG GRAPH


Reach For The Top


- Record math sentence above answer.
- Roll 2 dice and add. - First to "Reach the Top" wins.

