

# Numeracy warm up

## GameProgression

1. Set up 3 lines of cones approx 10m apart. Have all the players line up on the middle line of cones facing you, with a line of cones to their left and right.
  2. Identify to students that one line is 'odd' and another line is 'even'.
  3. Shout out basic numeracy questions (e.g.  $12+3$ ,  $15-7$ , etc). Students have to quickly work out whether the answer is odd or even and then race to that particular line.
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1. Call out words. Players have to work out if there is an even or odd number of letters in the word e.g. run (3-odd), sprint (6- even), etc.
  2. Could play on a sport hall floor/rugby pitch. Left is 'odd' right is 'even' players just run to the correct line. No need to return to the original line each time just call a different sum once they are all in a line together.

$$11+7$$



Odd  
Numbers

Even  
Numbers