

Name _____

Estimate Match Answer Key

1. A. 50

2. C. 80

3. C. 150

4. B. 200

5. B. 300

6. A. 500

7. C. 600

8. A. 1,600

9. B. 2,600

10. B. 5,500

Teacher's Guide

- Encourage students to round mentally before comparing the three choices.
- Emphasize that an estimate should be reasonable rather than exactly equal to the actual difference.
- For extra support, allow students to write rounded numbers beside each expression before choosing.
- For a challenge, ask students to solve selected problems exactly and compare the exact difference with their estimate.
- Increase engagement by having students explain which incorrect choice is easiest to eliminate and why.
- As an extension, students can write a subtraction expression and three possible estimates for a partner to solve.