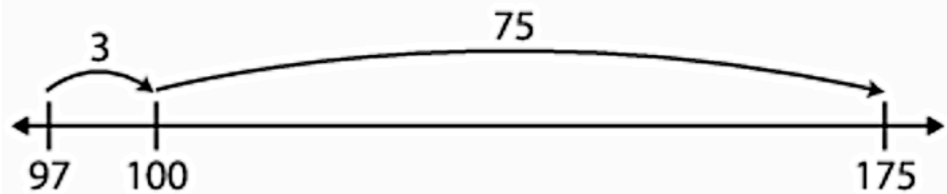


Multi-Digit Addition Strategies:

Give & Take

You can give a little from one addend to the other to get to a friendly number and then combine.

Number Line



$$\begin{aligned} 97 + 78 &= 97 + (3 + 75) \\ &= (97 + 3) + 75 \\ &= 100 + 75 \\ &= 175 \end{aligned}$$

Stacked

$$\begin{array}{r} 97 + 3 = 100 \\ +78 - 3 = 75 \\ \hline 175 \end{array}$$

This strategy works best when one of the addends is close to a friendly number.