

# Number Battle

**Mathematics:** This game develops your child's ability to read and compare the value of two numbers.

**How to Play:** Each player has a pile of cards facing down in front of them. To 'battle', each player turns over the top card of their pile. The player with the highest value keeps both cards. When you have battled through the whole deck of cards, the player with the most cards wins.

## **Variation:**

**Addition battle:** Each player turns over two (or three, or four, etc) cards, adds them together and the player with the highest card keeps all cards used in that battle. Again, when you have worked your way through the pile, the player with the most cards wins.

**Subtraction battle:** Players turn up two cards and subtract the smaller number from the larger. This time, the player with the greatest difference wins.

