

Rules for Rounding

Underline your place, then circle next door.

5 or greater; ADD ONE MORE.

4 or less; STAY AT REST.

Digits in front, stay the same.

Digits behind, ZERO'S their name.

Hundred Millions	Ten Millions	Millions	Hundred Thousands	Ten Thousands	Thousands	Hundreds	Tens	Ones

Follow the steps below when rounding a whole number

Steps	What to Do	Example
Step 1	Underline the digit to be rounded. (HINT: You will know which digit to round by reading the directions.) Directions: Round to the nearest hundred .	9, <u>7</u> 6 3
Step 2	Circle the digit to the right of the underlined digit.	9, <u>7</u> (6) 3
Step 3	If the circled digit is 4 or less, the underlined digit stays the same. If the circled digit is 5 or greater, add 1 to the underlined digit. Write down the digit.	9, <u>7</u> (6) 3 8
Step 4	Replace all of the digits after the underlined digit with zeroes. Keep all of the digits before the underlined digit the same.	9, <u>7</u> (6) 3 ↓ ↓ 9, 8 0 0