

Does it make sense?

My solution makes sense
because...



- Does my solution make sense?
- Is my solution reasonable?
- Can I solve it another way?

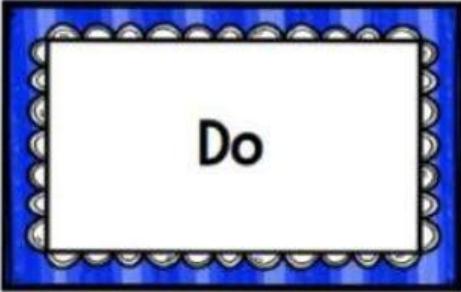
Understand

Read
and
Think



Understand

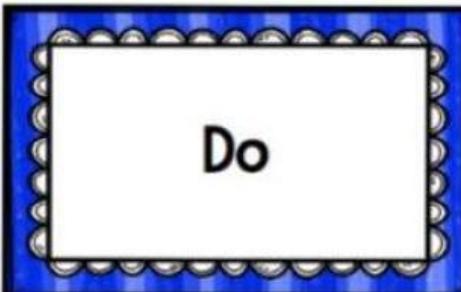
- Read, visualize, and think
- Identify the meaning of the numbers
- Restate the problem



Do

Solve the Problem

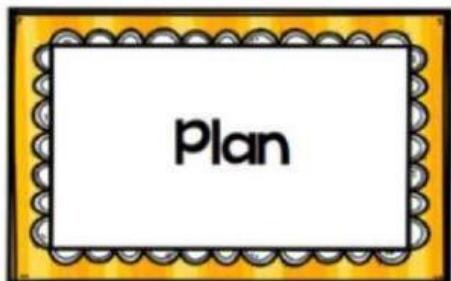
$$3 + 3 + 3 = 9$$



Do

Solve the Problem

$$10 - 6 = ?$$

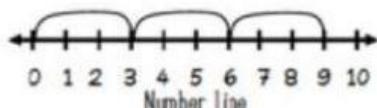


Act Out or
Draw a Picture

Choose a Strategy

Friend	Cookies
1	3
2	6
3	9

Table



Choose a Strategy

- Work Backwards
- Look For a Pattern
- Create a Table or Organized List
- Guess and Check
- Solve a Simpler Problem

Total pages	
385	?
137	Pages left to read

Draw a Picture or
Diagram

