


Year 3 Platinum Badge - Complete both tasks and hand this back to your class teacher.

Task 1

Roll these Dice



You need:
three dice - two **red** and one **green**.

What you have to do:
Roll the dice to get three numbers, then add the numbers on the **red** dice and subtract the number on the **green** die.

- What are all the different possibilities that could come up?
- What are the final answers by doing the addition and subtraction each time?
- Is there a good way of making sure you find all the possibilities?
- What is the biggest number you can get? ... and the smallest?
- How will you record what you've found out?



If you don't have three dice, use the printed template x 3, cut it out and colour in the relevant colours.

Task 2

Matchsticks

Imagine a matchstick.

How many more are needed to make a square?
How many more need adding to make yet another square along side it?
Carry on adding more squares ...

How many matches have you added?
How many matches are there when you have made 10 squares in the row?
20 squares? 50 squares?

