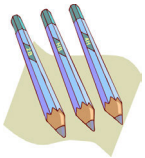
Mental Maths and Money Problems

You can also add money amounts in your mind. Add the pounds and the pence separately.	£**1**.20 + £ **1**.50 = £**2**.70	£**0**.14 + £**1**.20 = £**1**.34
If you have 100p, then those make a pound.	£0.70 + £0.70 = 140p = £**1**.40	£0.99 + £0.06 = 105p = £**1**.05

1. Work out the total cost of buying the things listed. Try to add them in your head.

£3.10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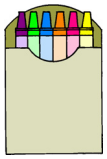
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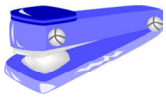
£1.90

£0.55

£2.20

£20

£35

a. scissors and pencils	**b.** pen and glue	**c.** crayons, glue, and pencils
d. a rubber and calculator	**e.** microscope and scissors	**f.** book bag, pen, and crayons
g. stapler and glue	**h.** glue and a rubber	**i.** scissors and stapler
j. pen, pencils, and crayons	**k.** calculator, pen, and microscope	**l.** scissors and a rubber