<u>Y5 - Autumn - Block 2 - Step 3 - Round to estimate and approximate Answers</u>

Question	Answer
1	2,937 rounded to the nearest 1,000 is 3,000 1,870 rounded to the nearest 1,000 is 2,000 Rosie's estimate for the answer is 3,000 + 2,000 = 5,000 2 9 3 7 + 1 8 7 0 4 8 0 7 The actual answer is 4,807
2	a) 10,000 + 30,000 = 40,000 b) 50,000 - 10,000 = 40,000
3	7,000 + 1,000 = 8,000 This is much smaller than Annie's answer.
4	a) 10,851 km 4,000 + 7,000 = 11,000 b) 10,491 1,000 + 10,000 = 11,000 c) 70,666 80,000 - 10,000 = 70,000 d) £9,811 12,000 + 4,000 - 6,000 = 10,000
5	Town A has the greatest population.
6	 a) Yes, because 1 has been added to each number so the difference is the same. b) Yes, because 17,550 is on both sides and 10,570 > 9,985 c) Yes, because on both sides the first and third numbers are the same and one is subtracted from the other, and the second number is the same on both sides.
7	17,000 – 8,000 = 9,000, which is much less that Mo's answer.
8	Both estimates are correct, but the have rounded to different numbers. Dexter has rounded to the nearest 1,000 and Whitney has rounded to the nearest 100. 6,684 Whitney Rounding to the nearest 1,000 gives an easier calculation for the estimate, but rounding to the nearest 100 gives a more accurate estimate.