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ADDITION OR SUBTRACTION

Choose and explain solution strategies and record with a written addition or subtraction method.

1) $600 - 389 = \underline{\quad}$

$600 - 389$ is the same as $599 - \underline{\quad}$

H	T	O
5	9	9
3	8	8

Explanation:

- In this process need not convert the place values.
- Just subtract 1 from the first number and add 1 from the second number.

2) $400 + 590 = \underline{\quad}$

H	T	O
4	0	0
5	9	0

Explanation:

- Need not convert the place values.
- So I choose this strategy which is very simple to do addition.

3) $775 - 497 = \underline{\quad}$

$775 - 497$ is the same as $778 - \underline{\quad}$

H	T	O
7	7	8
5	0	0

Explanation:

- Add 3 for the given numbers then we need not convert the place values.
- Then we can find easy process in doing subtraction.

4) $340 + 250 = \underline{\quad}$

H	T	O
3	4	0
2	5	0

Explanation:

- In this addition we need not convert place values.
- So I choose this strategy which is very simple.