



MATH NEWS

Grade 5

5th Grade Math

We will not use the Eureka Math Topic C curriculum for our Rounding unit. We are using the Connecticut State Department of Education Mathematics Instructional Cycle Guide – Rounding Decimals (5.NBT.A.4) curriculum.

OBJECTIVE

- Round a given decimal to any place using place value understanding and number lines.

Words to know

- Thousandths/Hundredths/Tenths
- Decompose
- Decimal Fraction
- Rounding

Things to Remember!

Decompose – showing the different ways a number can be separated into the most of each place value unit

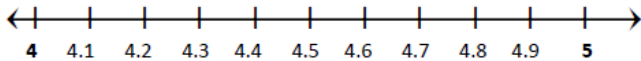
Rounding – A strategy to find about how much or how many by expressing a number closest to a place value (whole/ones, tenths, etc.)

Rounding to the nearest **WHOLE NUMBER**:

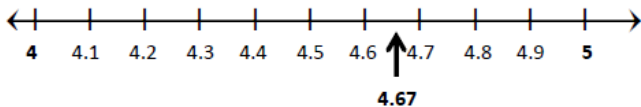
Round 4.67 to the nearest **WHOLE NUMBER**.

1. **THINK:** 4.67 is in-between what two whole numbers?

4.67 is in-between 4 and 5.

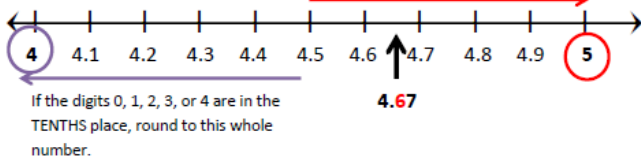


2. Next, locate 4.67 on the number line.



3. **THINK:** Which whole number is 4.67 closest to?

If the digits 5, 6, 7, 8, or 9 are in the **TENTHS** place, round to this whole number.



If the digits 0, 1, 2, 3, or 4 are in the **TENTHS** place, round to this whole number.

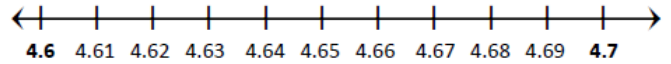
4. **THINK:** There is a "6" in the tenths place, so 4.67 is closest to 5. **SO, 4.67 rounds to 5.**

Rounding to the nearest **TENTH**:

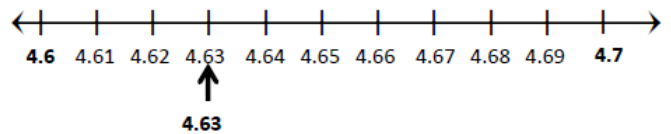
Round 4.63 to the nearest **TENTH**.

1. **THINK:** 4.63 is in-between what two tenths?

4.63 is in-between 4.6 and 4.7.

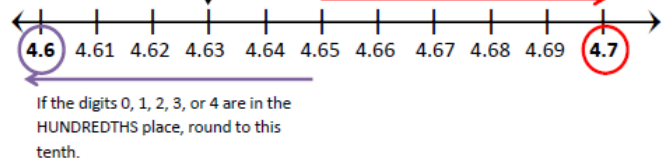


2. Next, locate 4.63 on the number line.



3. **THINK:** Which tenth is 4.63 closest to?

If the digits 5, 6, 7, 8, or 9 are in the **HUNDREDTHS** place, round to this tenth.



If the digits 0, 1, 2, 3, or 4 are in the **HUNDREDTHS** place, round to this tenth.

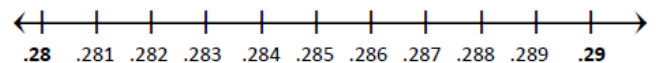
4. **THINK:** There is a "3" in the hundredths place, so 4.63 is closest to 4.6. **SO, 4.63 rounds to 4.6.**

Rounding to the nearest **HUNDREDTH**:

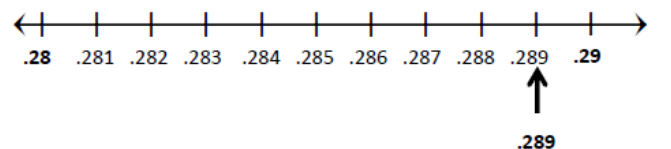
Round 0.289 to the nearest **HUNDREDTH**.

1. **THINK:** 0.289 is in-between what two hundredths?

0.289 is in-between 0.28 and 0.29.

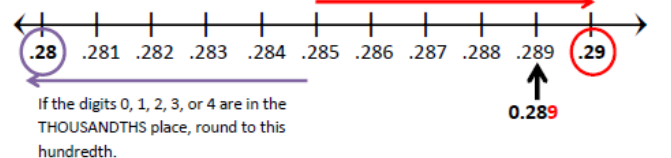


2. Next, locate 0.289 on the number line.



3. **THINK:** Which hundredth is 0.289 closest to?

If the digits 5, 6, 7, 8, or 9 are in the **THOUSANDTHS** place, round to this hundredth.



If the digits 0, 1, 2, 3, or 4 are in the **THOUSANDTHS** place, round to this hundredth.

4. **THINK:** There is a "9" in the thousandths place, so 0.289 is closest to 0.29. **SO, 0.289 rounds to 0.29.**