Two Out of Three: (pencil and paper)

Make a list of three numbers, two of which total the target number you have selected. For example 3 numbers for the target number 5 could be 2-4-3. Your child then selects the two numbers whose sum is your target number. Which in the example would be 2 and 3 because they make 5. Challenge him/her to justify answers.

The real value of this activity lies in the discussion and justification. You could have your child generate the numbers and you find the two numbers whose sum is the target number too.