Break It Up and Add

1. Which choice helps the most to solve $243 + 18$?

    A Think of 18 as $9 + 9$.

    B Think of 243 as $244 - 1$.

    C Think of 18 as $20 - 2$.

    Explain.

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    $243 + 18 = $ _____

2. Which choice helps the most to solve $357 + 239$?

    A Think of 357 as $353 + 4$.

    B Think of 239 as $240 - 1$.

    C Think of 239 as $235 + 4$.

    Explain.

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    $357 + 239 = $ _____

3. Which choice does **NOT** help you solve $463 + 328$ using mental math?

    A Think of 463 as $460 + 3$.

    B Think of 328 as $330 - 2$.

    C Think of 328 as $325 + 3$.

    Explain.

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    $463 + 328 = $ _____