## Money in the bank

## Annotation

Josie knows addition facts so she readily partitions 9 into 8 + 1 and uses her doubles to solve this start unknown problem. She shows the partitioning in her recording of the problem.

## Problem: Money in the bank.

The teacher shows this problem to the student and reads it with her as required:

I now have \$17 in my bank account after just banking \$8. How much did I have to start with?

## **Student response**

Josie: Well it's 9. I started with \$9. Teacher: Tell me how you worked it out.

Josie: I just know that 8 + 8 = 16 so 8 + 9 will be 17. I just used my doubles.

Teacher: How would you record that?

Josie: Like this.

8 + 8 + 1 = 17