

**Unpacking the New
Grade 1
Math**
Provincial

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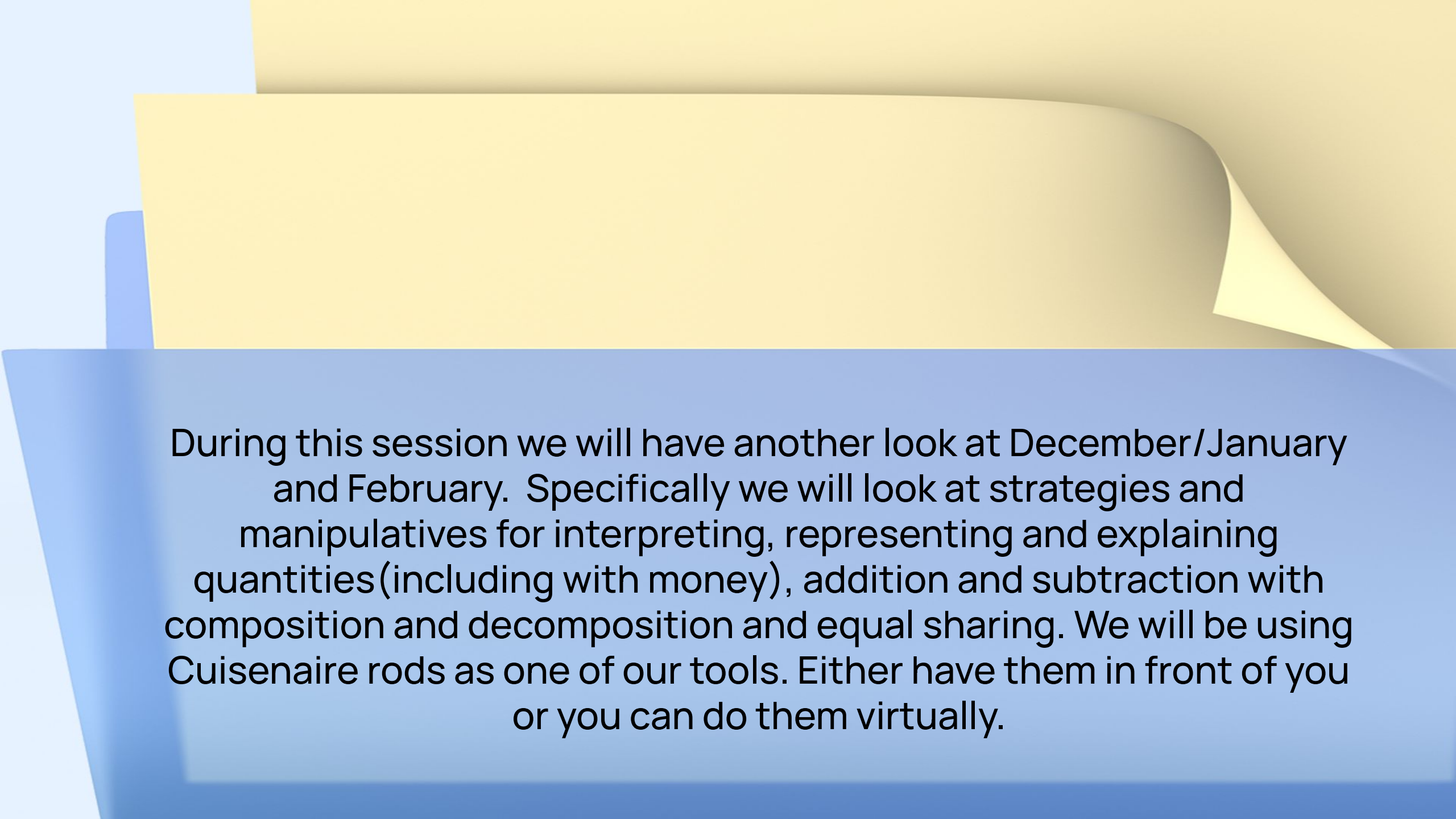


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During this session we will have another look at December/January and February. Specifically we will look at strategies and manipulatives for interpreting, representing and explaining quantities (including with money), addition and subtraction with composition and decomposition and equal sharing. We will be using Cuisenaire rods as one of our tools. Either have them in front of you or you can do them virtually.



Agenda for Today!

- identifying key skills and concepts in the part of our curriculum
- revisiting what research tells us about “counting” and effective **strategies** for teaching counting
- extending **strategies** for KN1 as students begin to move towards 10.
- providing resources that can help support ongoing **pedagogy** in teaching counting to 10
- games that support learning outcomes with acknowledgement to Dr. Nicki Newton (Counting is More Than 1 2 3, 2022)
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- A quantity can be determined by counting more than one object in a set at a time.

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- A quantity can be perceived as the composition of smaller quantities. Quantity can be partitioned by sharing or grouping.

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- Quantity is expressed in words and numerals based on patterns.
- Quantity in the world is represented in multiple ways. **including with money.**

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- A quantity can be perceived as the composition of smaller quantities.

1N1.5 Students interpret and explain quantities to 100. (to 50)

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- Equality is a balance between two quantities.

quantities within 20. (to 10)

- Quantity can be partitioned by sharing or grouping.

1N2. 1 Students examine addition and subtraction within 20. (introduce)

- Addition and subtraction are processes that describe the composition and decomposition of quantity.

Number: Quantity is measured with numbers that enable counting, labelling, comparing and operating.

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How can quantity be communicated?

1N1.1 Students interpret and explain quantities to 100.

Knowledge	Understanding	Skills & Procedures
A numeral is a symbol or group of symbols used to represent a number.	Quantity is expressed in words and numerals based on patterns.	Represent quantities using words, numerals, objects, or pictures.
The absence of quantity is represented by 0.	Quantity in the world is represented in multiple ways.	Identify a quantity of 0 in familiar situations.

1N1.2 Students interpret and explain quantities to 100.

Knowledge	Understanding	Skills & Procedures
Counting can begin at any number.	Each number counted includes all previous numbers (counting principle: hierarchical inclusion).	Count within 100, forward by 1s, starting at any number, according to the counting principles.
Counting more than one object at a time is called skip counting.	A quantity can be determined by counting more than one object in a set at a time.	Count backward from 20 to 0 by 1s. Skip count to 100, forward by 5s and 10s, starting at 0. Skip count to 20, forward by 2s, starting at 0.

1N1.3 Students interpret and explain quantity to 100.

Knowledge	Understanding	Skills & Procedures
Sharing involves partitioning a quantity into a certain number of groups. Grouping involves partitioning a quantity into groups of a certain size.	Quantity can be partitioned by sharing or grouping.	Partition a set of objects by sharing and grouping. Demonstrate conservation of number when sharing or grouping.

1N1.4 Students interpret and explain quantity to 100.

Knowledge	Understanding	Skills & Procedures
Familiar arrangements of small quantities facilitate subitizing.	A quantity can be perceived as the composition of smaller quantities.	Recognize quantities to 10.

1N1.5 Students interpret and explain quantity to 100.

Knowledge	Understanding	Skills & Procedures
<p>Comparisons of quantity can be described by using words such as</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • equal • not equal • less • more <p>Equality can be modelled using a balance.</p> <p>The equal sign, =, is used to show equality between two quantities.</p> <p>The unequal sign, \neq, is used to show that two quantities are not equal.</p>	<p>Two quantities are equal when there is the same number of objects in both sets.</p> <p>Equality is a balance between two quantities.</p>	<p>Investigate equal and unequal quantities, including using a balance model.</p> <p>Identify numbers that are one more, two more, one less, and two less than a given number.</p> <p>Represent a quantity relative to another, including symbolically.</p>

How can addition and subtraction provide perspectives of number?

1N2.1 Students examine addition and subtraction within 20.

Knowledge	Understanding	Skills & Procedures
<p>Quantities can be composed or decomposed to model a change in quantity.</p> <p>Addition can be applied in various contexts, including</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">◦ combining parts◦ to find the whole◦ increasing an existing quantity <p>Subtraction can be applied in various contexts, including</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">◦ comparing two quantities◦ taking away◦ one quantity from another◦ finding a part of a whole <p>Addition and subtraction can be modelled using a balance.</p>	<p>Addition and subtraction are processes that describe the composition and decomposition of quantity.</p>	<p>Visualize quantities between 10 and 20 as compositions of 10 and another quantity.</p> <p>Model addition and subtraction within 20 in various ways, including with a balance.</p> <p>Relate addition and subtraction to various contexts involving composition or decomposition of quantity.</p>

Grade 1 Skills and Concepts December - January

Represent quantities using words, numerals, objects, or pictures.

Represent a quantity relative to another, including symbolically.

Count within 100, forward by 1s, starting at any number, according to the counting principles.

Count backward from 20 to 0 by 1s.

Skip count to 100, forward by 5s and 10s, starting at 0.

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Partition a set of objects by sharing and grouping.

Demonstrate conservation of number when sharing or grouping.

Describe a quantity in relation to a purpose or need using comparative language.

Solve problems in familiar situations by counting.

Relate addition and subtraction to various contexts involving composition or decomposition of quantity.

Identify a quantity of 0 in familiar situations.

Identify numbers that are one more, two more, one less, and two less than a given number.

Investigate equal and unequal quantities, including using a balance model.

Recognize quantities to 10.

Visualize quantities between 10 and 20 as compositions of 10 and another quantity.

Model addition and subtraction within 20 in various ways, including with a balance.

Represent
Count
Identify
Relate/Visualize/Model



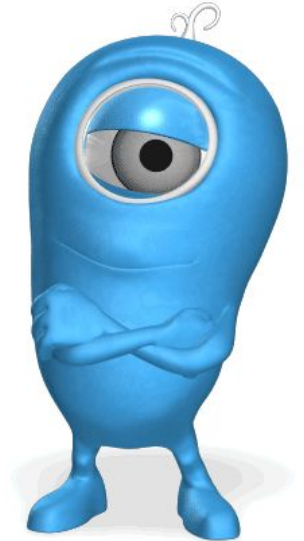
What are the Skills?

Learning to Count
is repetitive:

necessary -yes!

But we need to keep it
engaging, active and
targeted.

Using all our pedagogical
approaches for varied
strategies and choice!





So what does the research tell us?

Playful Learning or Guided Play

Researchers have found that

"playful learning or guided play actively engages children in pleasurable and seemingly spontaneous activities that encourage academic exploration and learning....Teachers using guided play have a set of learning goals in mind" (Hirsh-Pasek et al. 2009).

There are 20 levels of Counting!



First Five Levels

Level 1: Number Sayer

Level 2: Chanter



Level 3: Reciter


Level 4: Reciter to 10


Level 5: Corresponder

Using Manipulatives

“Manipulatives can be important tools in helping students to think and reason in more meaningful ways” (Stein & Bovalino, 2001). When working with young children at first the manipulatives should match the story (Fuson, 2009).


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Make Chocolate 10 frames!!!!

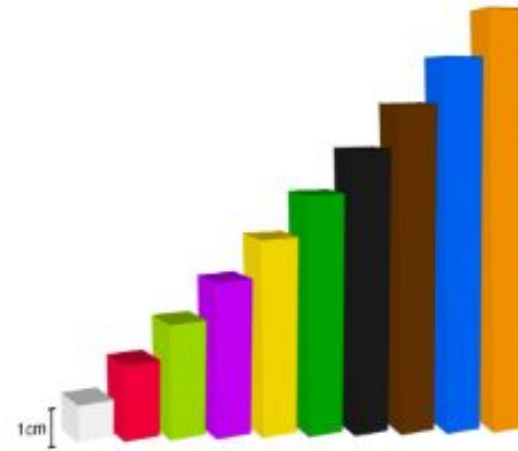
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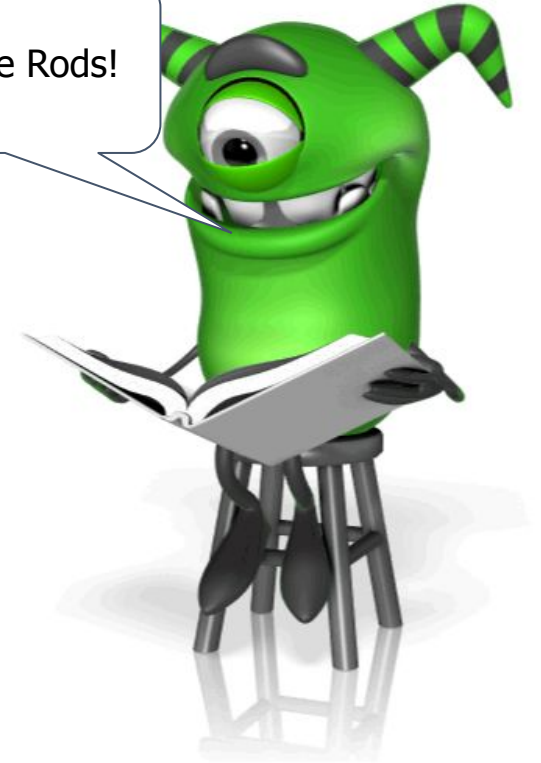


Names of coins, quantity, attributes ...

Cuisenaire Rods



Get your
Cuisenaire Rods!

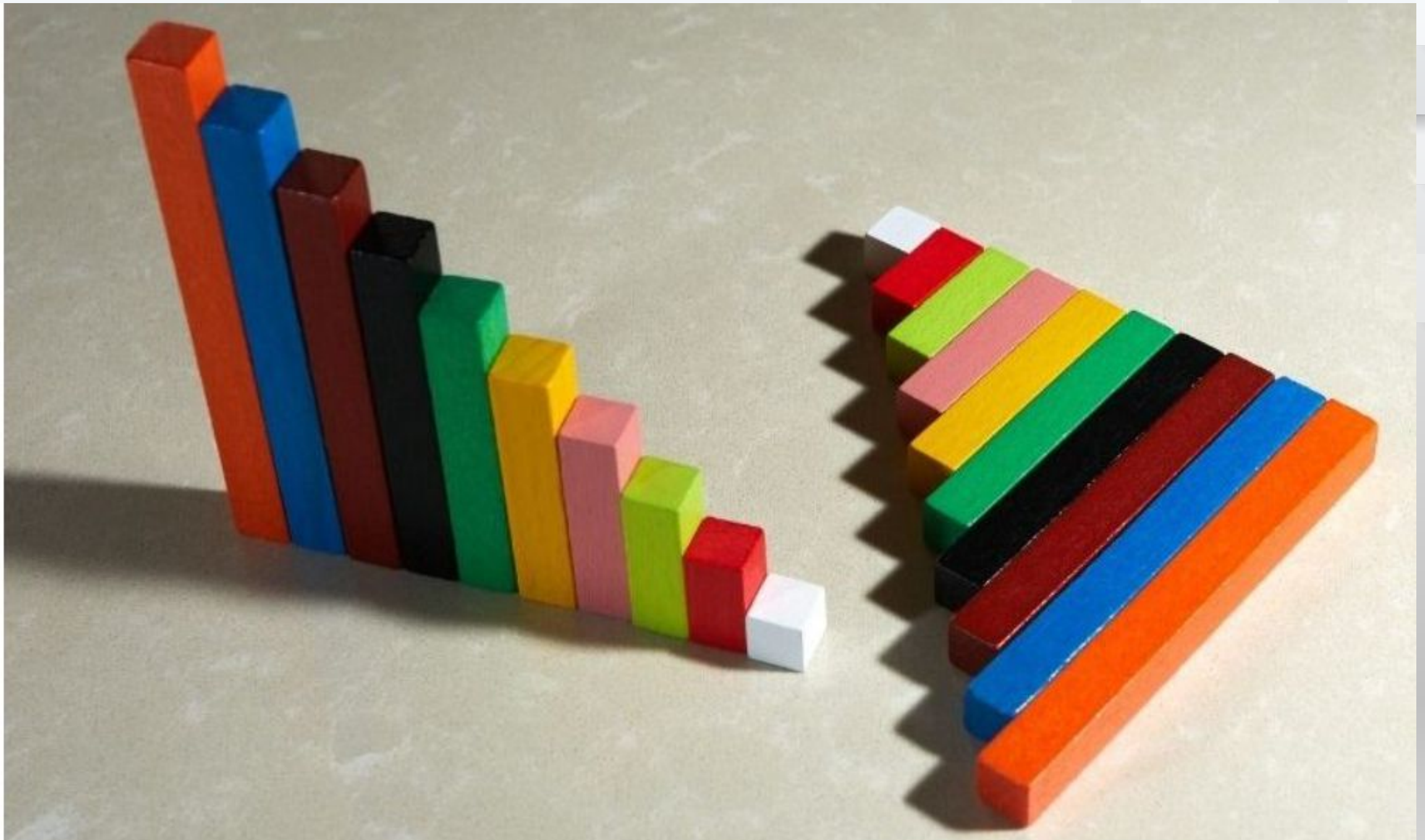


Using Cuisenaire Rods

The screenshot displays the 'Cuisenaire environment' interface. At the top, the title 'Cuisenaire environment' is centered, with a gear icon for settings on the right. The main workspace is a light beige area where a staircase of Cuisenaire rods is built on the right side. The rods are stacked from bottom to top in the following order: orange, blue, brown, black, dark green, yellow, pink, light green, red, and white. On the right edge, there is a vertical toolbar labeled 'Add rods' containing colored circles for each rod type, and a trash can icon at the bottom.

At the bottom of the workspace, there are five tabs: 'Home', 'Prefabs', 'Activities', 'Collaborate', and 'Hide'. Below these tabs is a control panel with several sections:

- A directional pad with four purple arrows.
- A 'Rotate' button with a circular arrow icon and a preview window showing an orange rod.
- A 'Save' button with a 'File' label below it.
- A 'Load' button with a 'File' label below it.
- A 'Grid' control with 'on' and 'off' buttons.
- A 'Labels' control with 'on' and 'off' buttons.
- A 'Zoom' control with '+' and '-' buttons.
- A 'Clear rods' button.



Giving quantity (number) to Cuisenaire Rods

First step is to just play. What can you create with these blocks?



Build a staircase and wonder. What do you see? What do you wonder?



Using Comparative Language

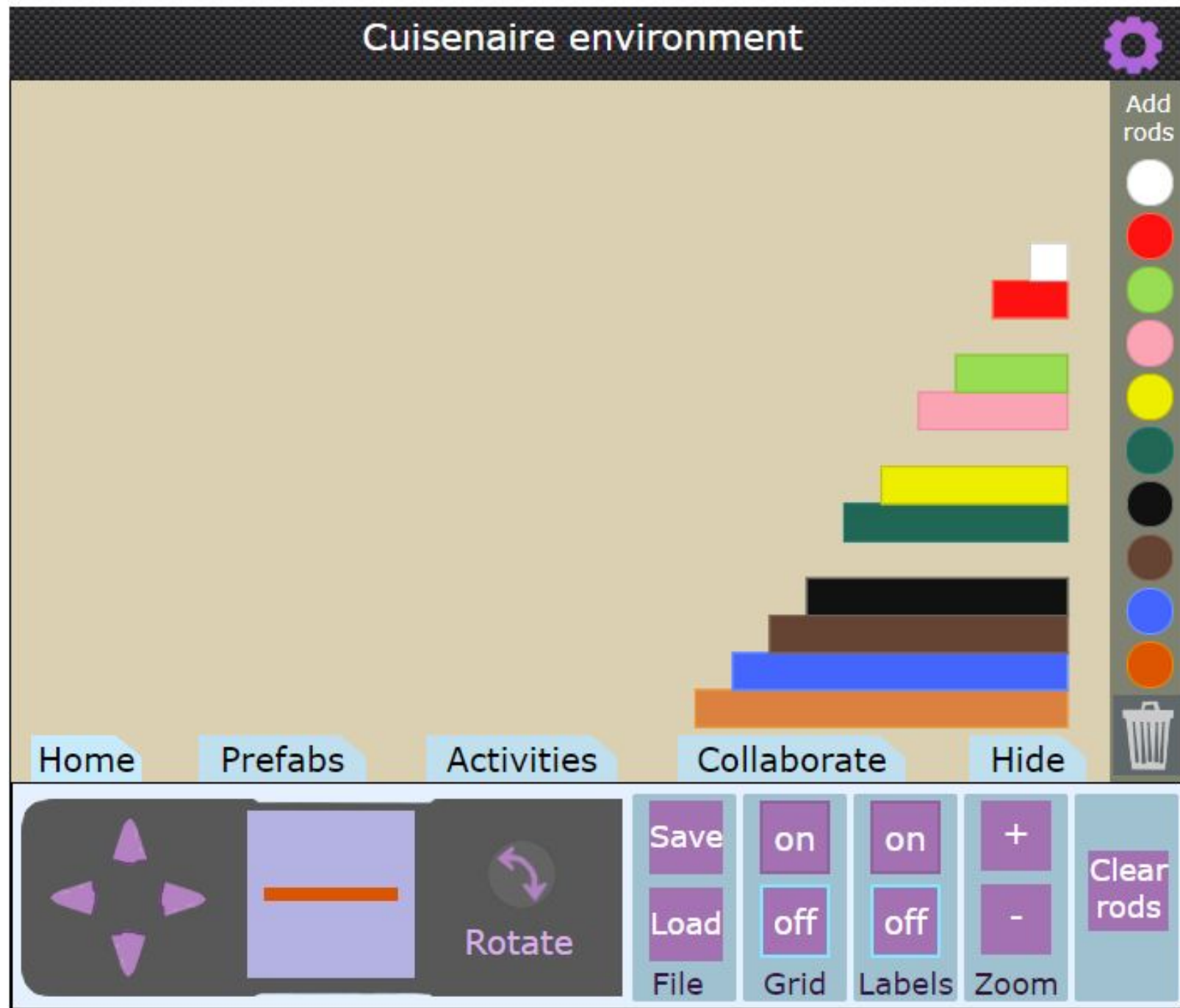
Quantity in

- objects
- pictures
- words (colours)
- numbers

Comparative Language

- more
- same
- less
- enough
- not enough

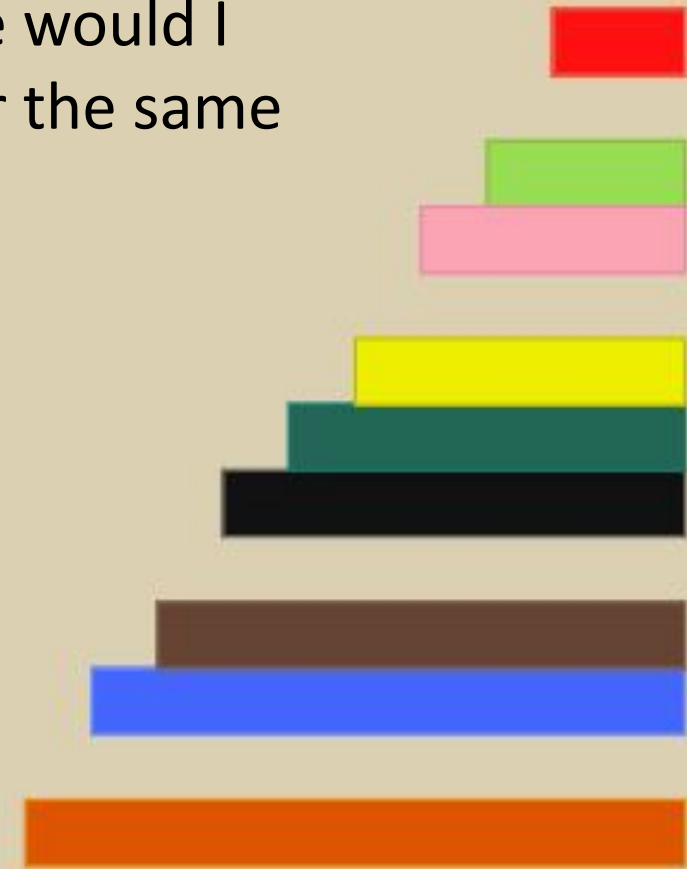
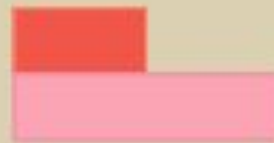
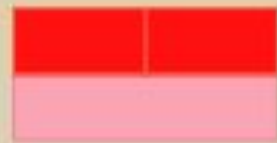
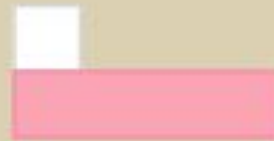
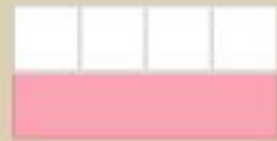
Can quickly involve measurement and patterns.



Cuisenaire environment



Does the white cover more or less of the pink rod than the red? How many white would I need for the red and white to cover the same amount on the pink?



Add rods

- White circle
- Red circle
- Light green circle
- Pink circle
- Yellow circle
- Dark green circle
- Black circle
- Brown circle
- Blue circle
- Orange circle
- Trash can icon

Home

Prefabs

Activities

Collaborate

Hide

Cuisenaire environment

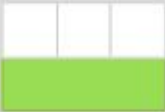


Add rods



Eventually want to move to what makes up a 3, for example.

What two colours make up an orange?



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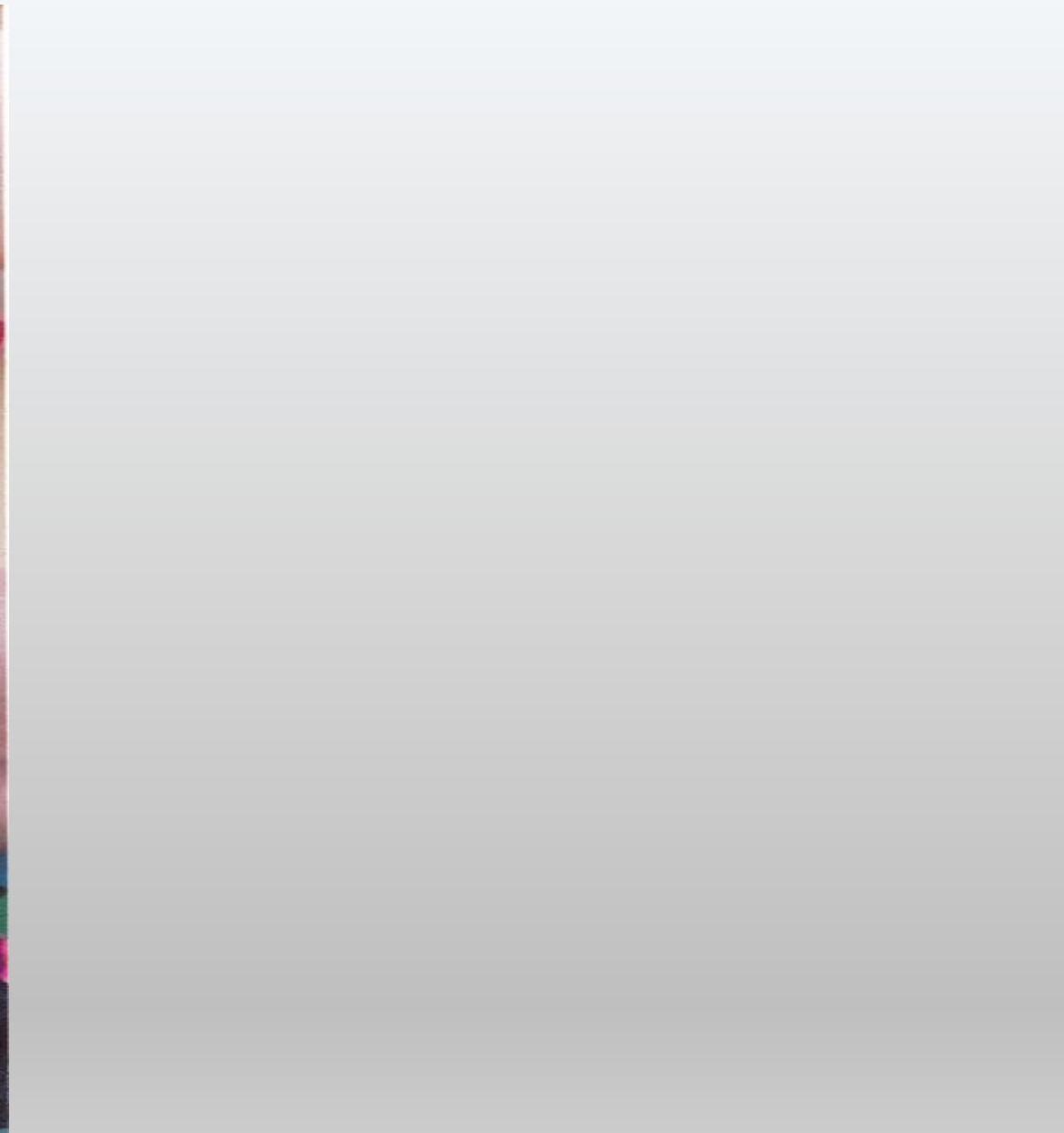
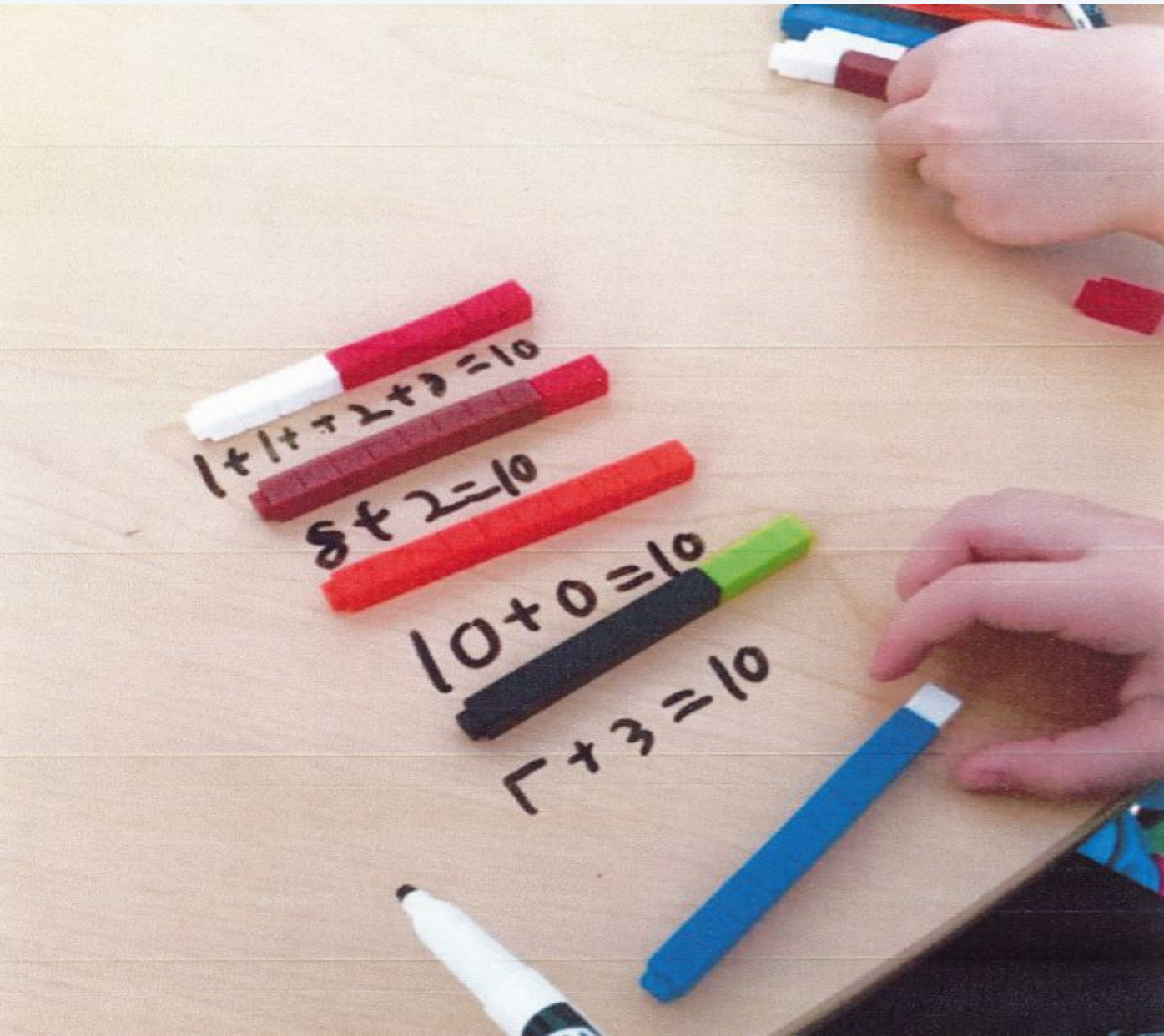
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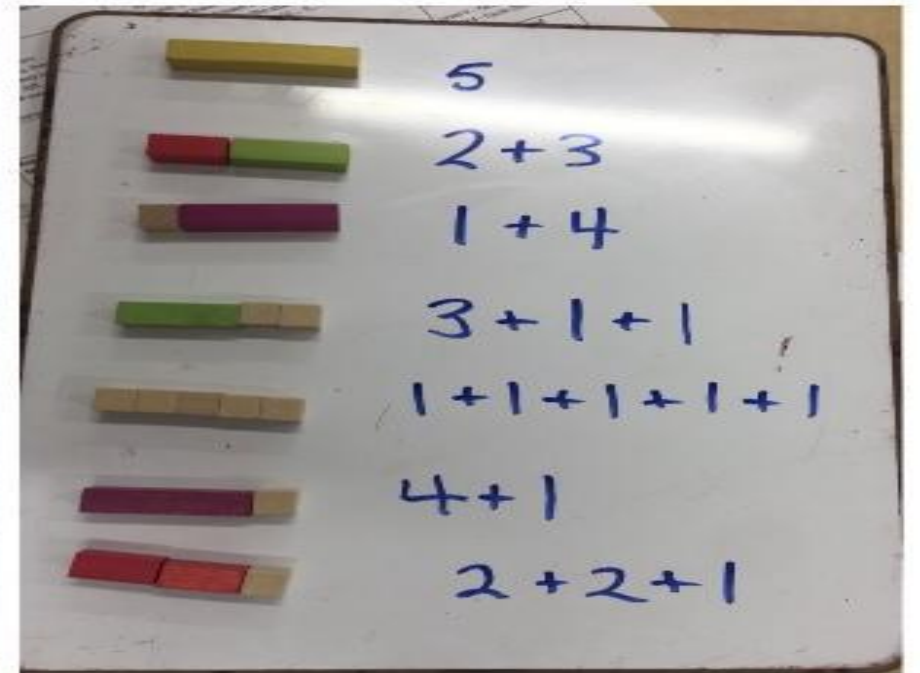
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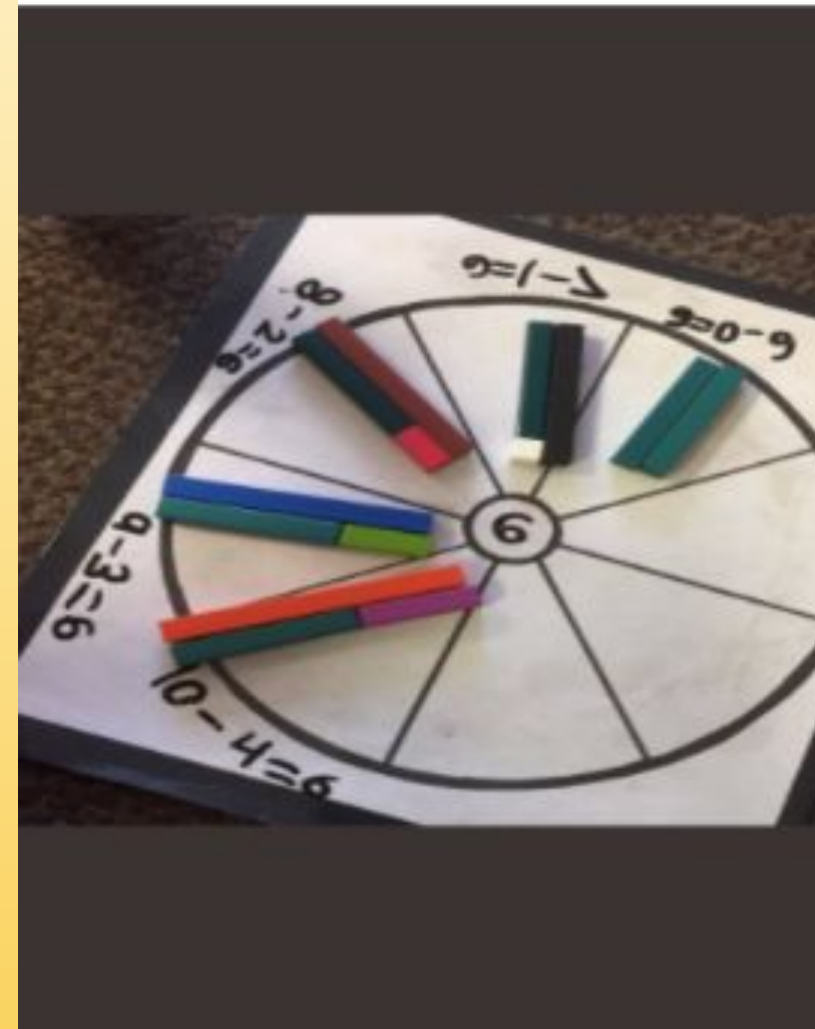




How many ways can you show a number, decomposing numbers.



Concept Circles Promote Reasoning



Array Puzzles

You need a classmate

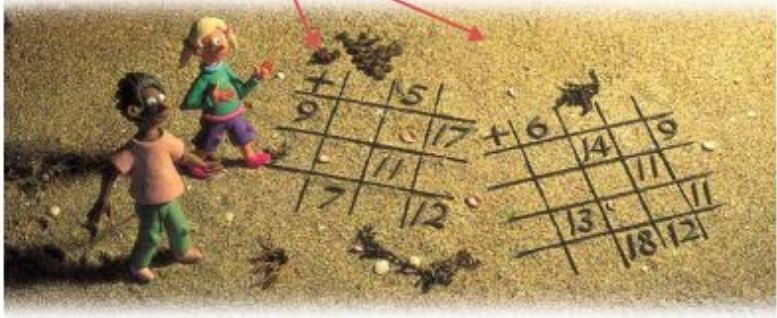
Activity One

- ★ This addition array shows these addends. Draw the array in your book and fill in the sums.
- ★ Heather and Patrick are walking on a beach. They find two array puzzles drawn on the sand. In each array, some addends and sums are missing. Solve these array puzzles.

+	4	7	3
5			
8			
6			

$$2 + 3 = 5$$

SUM



Activity Two

Anna follows these instructions to make an array puzzle:

+	4	
5	9	

Draw the grid in your book in pencil. Put in one addend (4) and one sum (9). This gives the other addend, 5. Circle the 5.

+	4	6
5	9	11

Put in another sum (11). This gives another addend, 6. Circle the 6.

+	4	6
5	9	11
7	11	13

Put in another addend (7). Write in and circle the two new sums that use this addend (11 and 13).

+	4	
	9	11
7		

Now rub out all the circled numbers. Your array puzzle is ready!

Use Anna's method to make a different array puzzle for a classmate to solve.

Using Basic Addition Facts to solve puzzles.

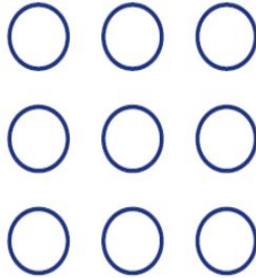
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Array Puzzles

A Square of [Circles](#)

Using the numbers 1 – 9 put a different number in each circle. Arrange the numbers so that the sums of the three numbers on each side are

- all different sums
- all the same sums
- all even sums
- all odd sums



What is the biggest and smallest side sums that you can make?

Basic Facts Level 3-4

Bunches

You need two dice marked 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, and 9 a classmate
 counters

Game
Bunches is a game played by two players. Each player uses one of the game bunches.

Take turns to:

- roll the dice and add the numbers on the dice.
- use counters to cover two or more numbers on your bunch that add up to the dice total. Each number can only be covered by one counter.

Continue taking turns until one player is unable to cover any more numbers.
The second player continues until they too are unable to cover any more numbers.
The player with the fewest uncovered numbers wins.

[Bunches](#)

[NZ Maths](#)

Next 5 Levels

(Our Journey to June)

Level 6: Verbally Count to 10 & Cardinality to 5 (counter of small amount).

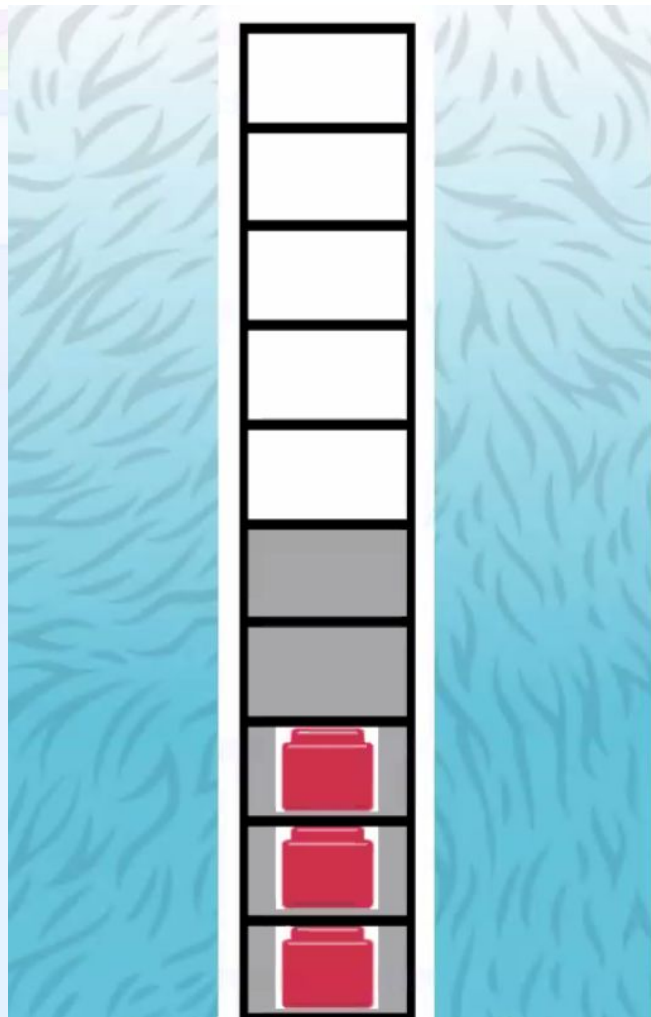
Level 7: Verbally Counting to 10, Cardinality to 10 and Producing a small set up to 4.

Level 8: Verbally Counting to 10, Producing a set to 10; Count structured arrangements to 10. Write a number to represent 10. Find the number just before or after only by counting up from 1.

Level 9: Counting Objects up to 10 and then in increasing steps up to 30. Counting objects in different arrangements. They can count and self-correct.

Level 10: Counting Backwards from 10.

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Morin and Samelson (2009) argue that this version of the ten frame helps students see various concepts with counting, and a variety of number relationships. So here students would see the number 3. They can see that it is 2 more to 5. They can see that it is 7 away from 10. They would always start at the bottom and count up. They can see that the next number is larger than the number below it.

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Alternate version of 10
Frames

5 frames & ten frames



Dr. N Newton suggests making an interactive 10 frame (20 frame) out of a shower curtain and duct tape.

Plastic plates

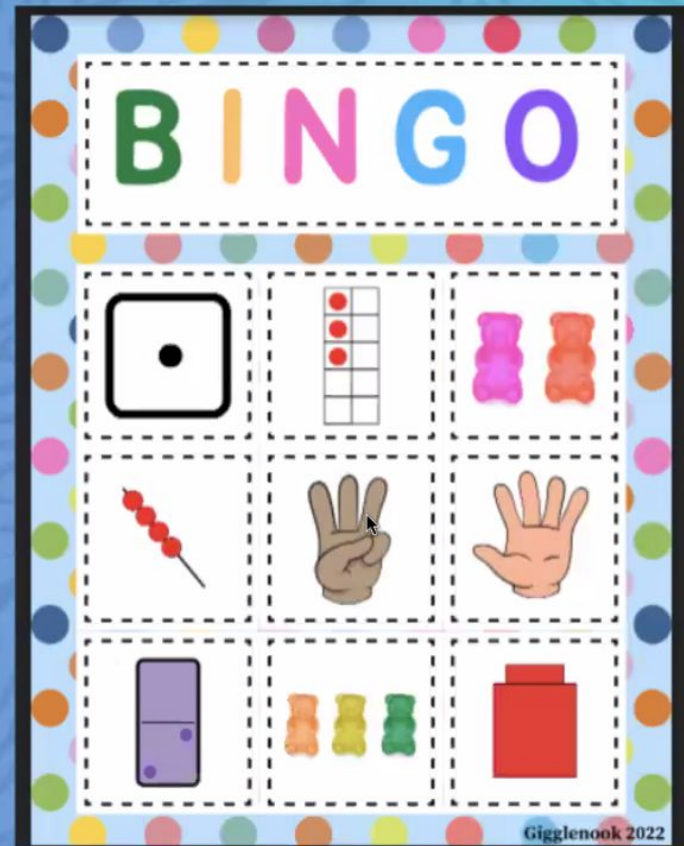
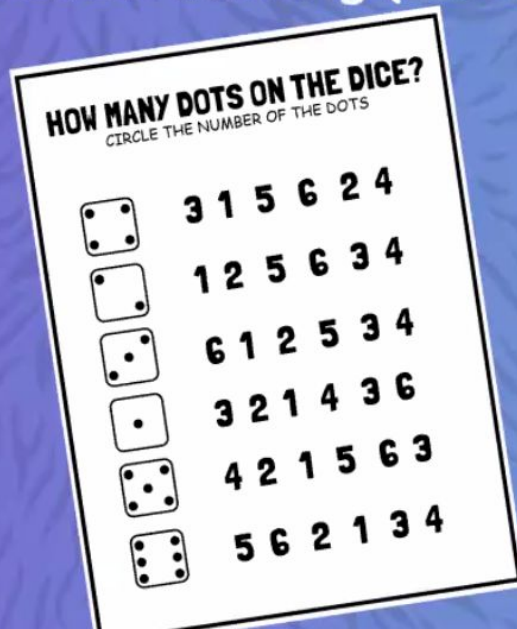


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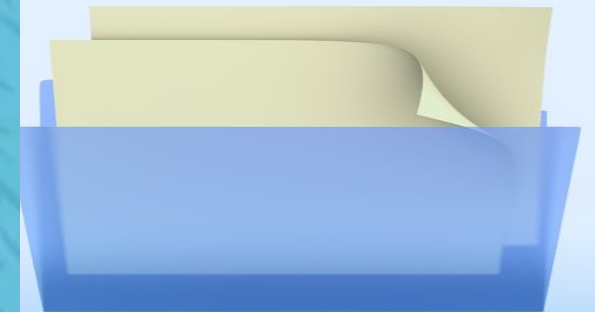


Worksheet or Bingo?

Games are a great playful way to get children to engage in powerful mathematical thinking (Reed & Young, 2018).



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Research on Number Lines

“Experience moving physically along numbers sequenced in a line helps children develop a ‘mental number line’—a spatial representation of quantity that helps them reason about which is more and how much more.”YM

Number Line

Students Internalize Concepts (near, far, more, less, before, after, one more or two more)

Students can compare numbers

Teachers must build vocabulary throughout the activity

What is a Numberline?

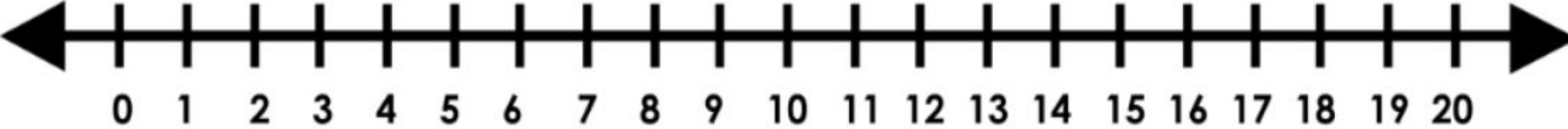
- A straight **horizontal** line
- It has arrows on the ends
- It has smaller **vertical** lines at **regular increments**
- Each of the vertical lines can have a number associated with it.

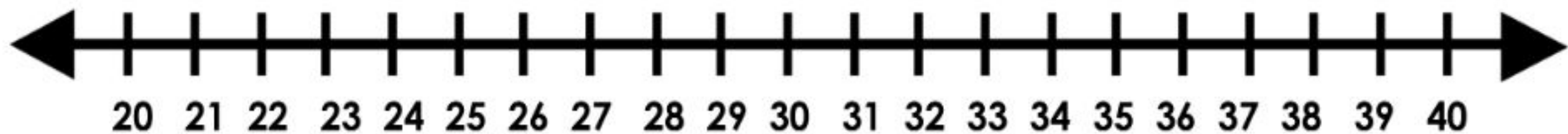
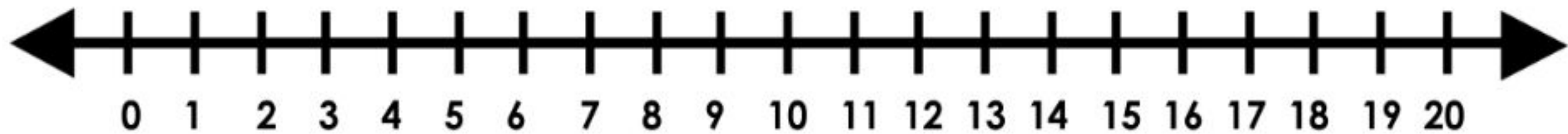


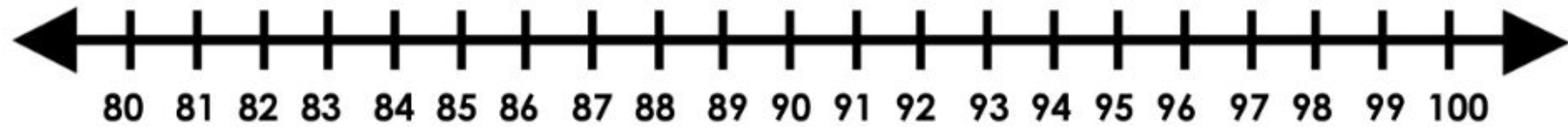
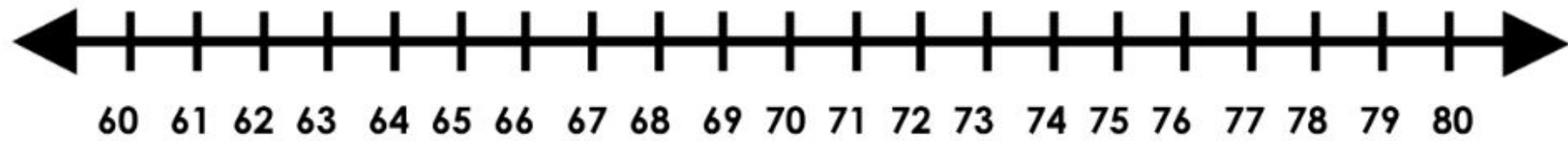
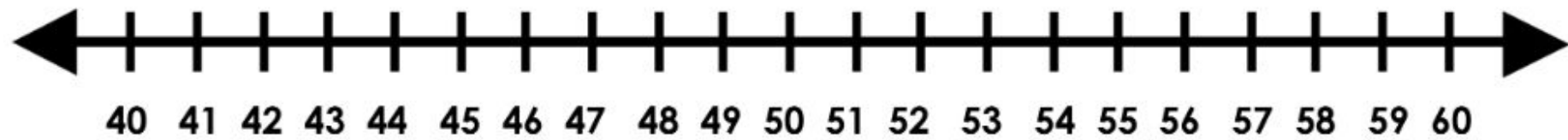
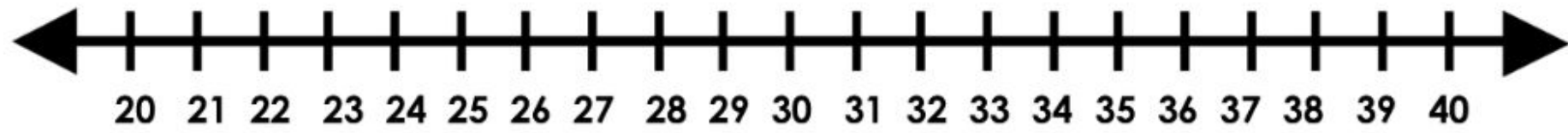
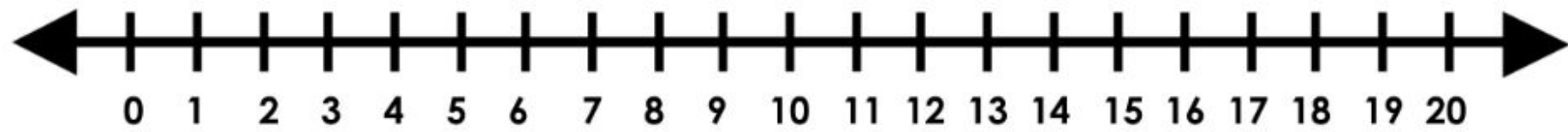
- From 0 to 1 is really important!



Looking at Numbers 1-20







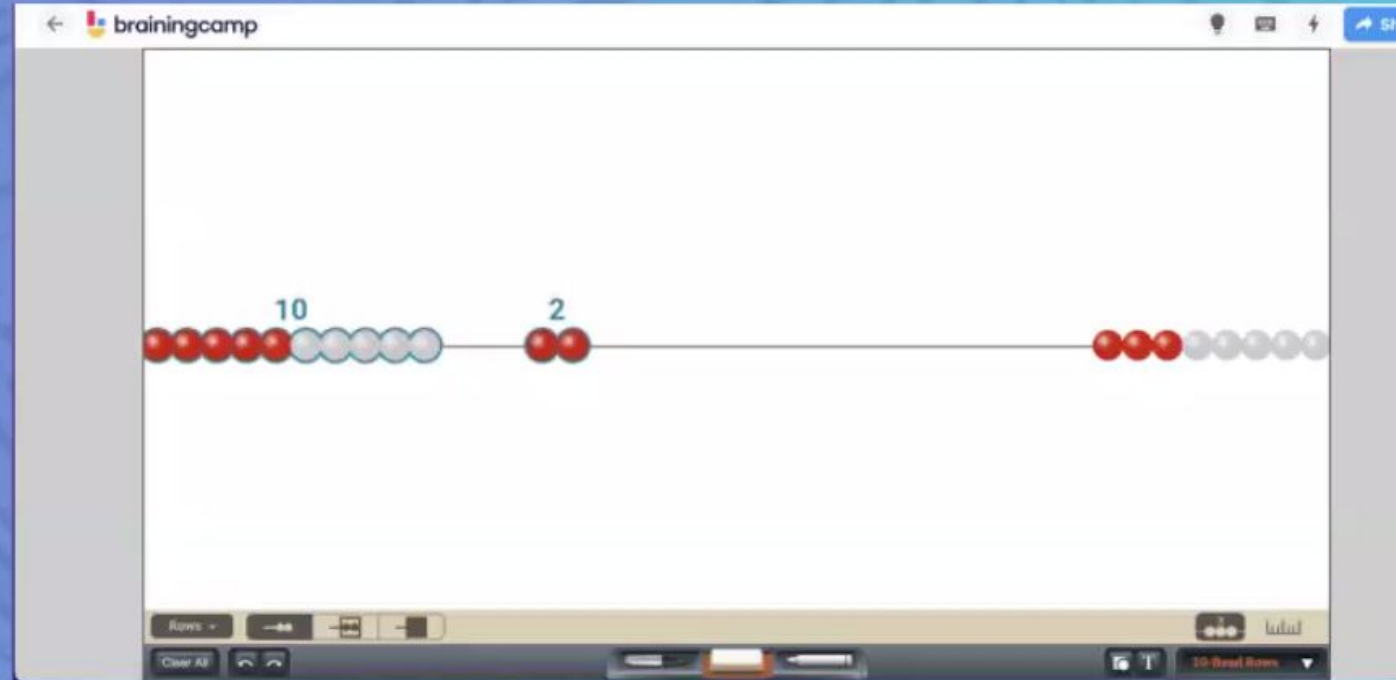
Counting Teen Numbers - Look out for

Omitting and Repeating Numbers

**Skipping Numbers (Clements & Sarama, 2014,
Fuson, 2012)**

**Students struggle with teen numbers... because
they do not follow a pattern (Bamberger, 2010).**

Working with teen numbers



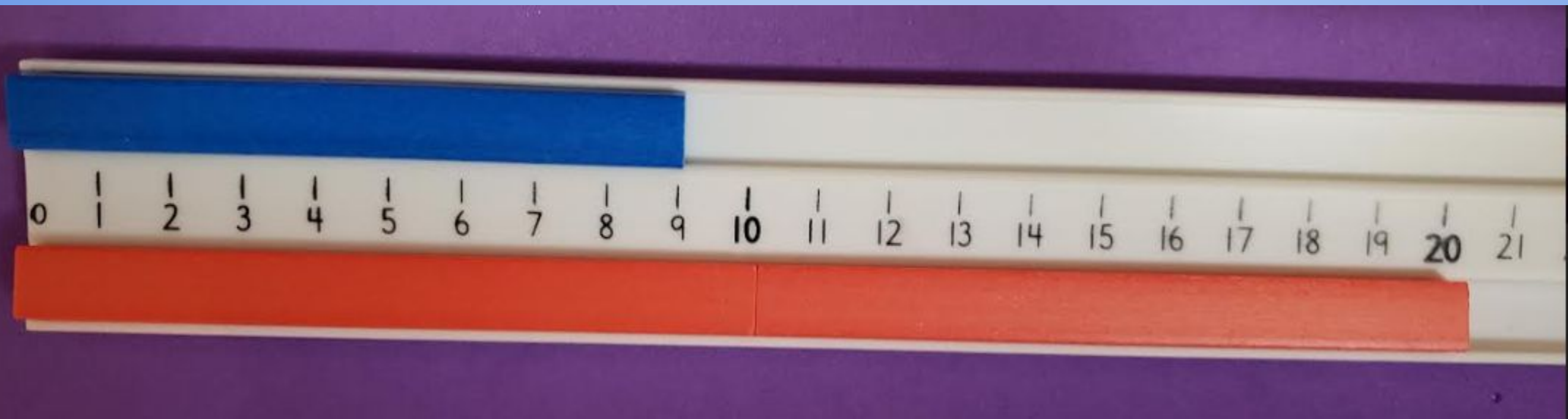


Ensure tens are not the same as the ones in colour. They should be visibly distinguishable.



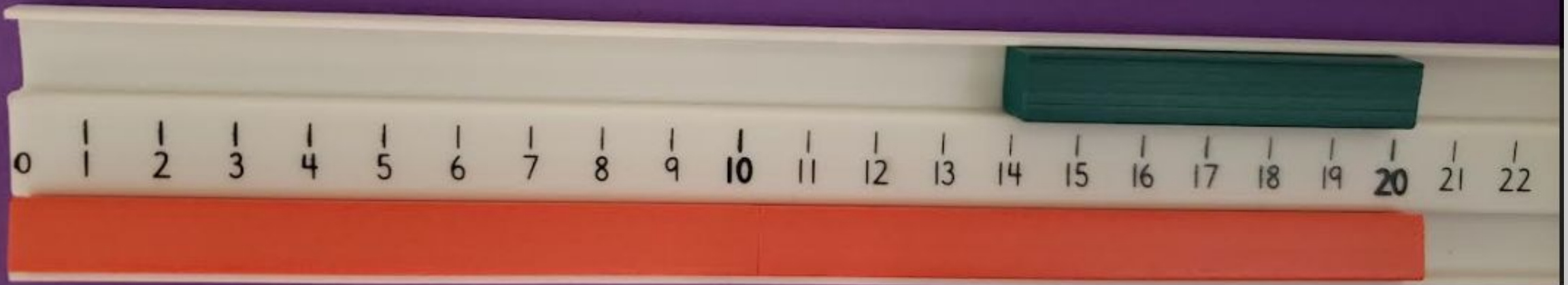
10 plus a
number





Every addition can be a subtraction





0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22

Skip Counting




A number line from 0 to 20. The numbers are 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20. Vertical tick marks are placed above each number. The number 10 is highlighted in bold. The number line is placed on a purple background with yellow and red horizontal strips.



A number line from 19 to 40. The numbers are 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40. Vertical tick marks are placed above each number. The numbers 20 and 30 are highlighted in bold. The number line is placed on a purple background with yellow, red, and orange horizontal strips.

2's, 5's, 10's



A number line from 31 to 50. The numbers are 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50. Vertical tick marks are placed above each number. The number 40 is highlighted in bold. The number line is placed on a purple background with orange horizontal strips.

Number Path Games

Should be “linear numerical board games with squares numbered from 1 on the left end to 10 on the right.”

The can also be vertical with 1 starting at the bottom and going up.

With intensive work with students playing these games helped students with “numerical magnitude comparison, number line estimation, counting and numeral identification.”



Teacher Questioning

Reed and Young suggest that we ask questions like:

- Which number did you start on?
- Which number did you land on?
- How far are you from where you started?





Activities and Strategies to Support learning

The following are a collection of games and strategies to support the transition from counting from 5 Mastery to 10.

x

1 g

5 g

10 g

15 g

20 g

25 g

30 g

50 g

100 g



New

10 = 10



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Set Equal

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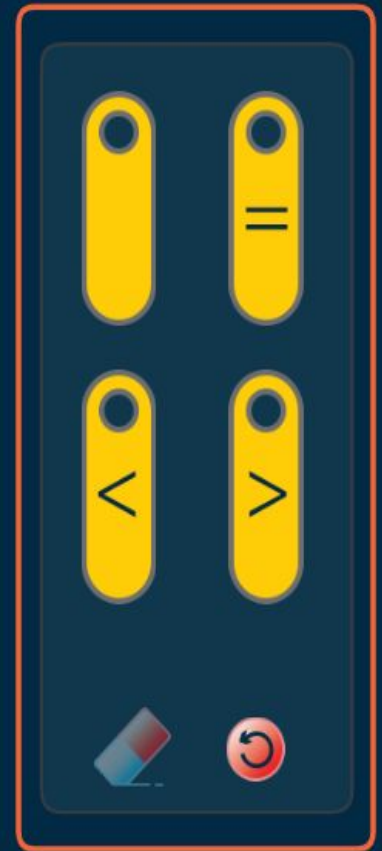
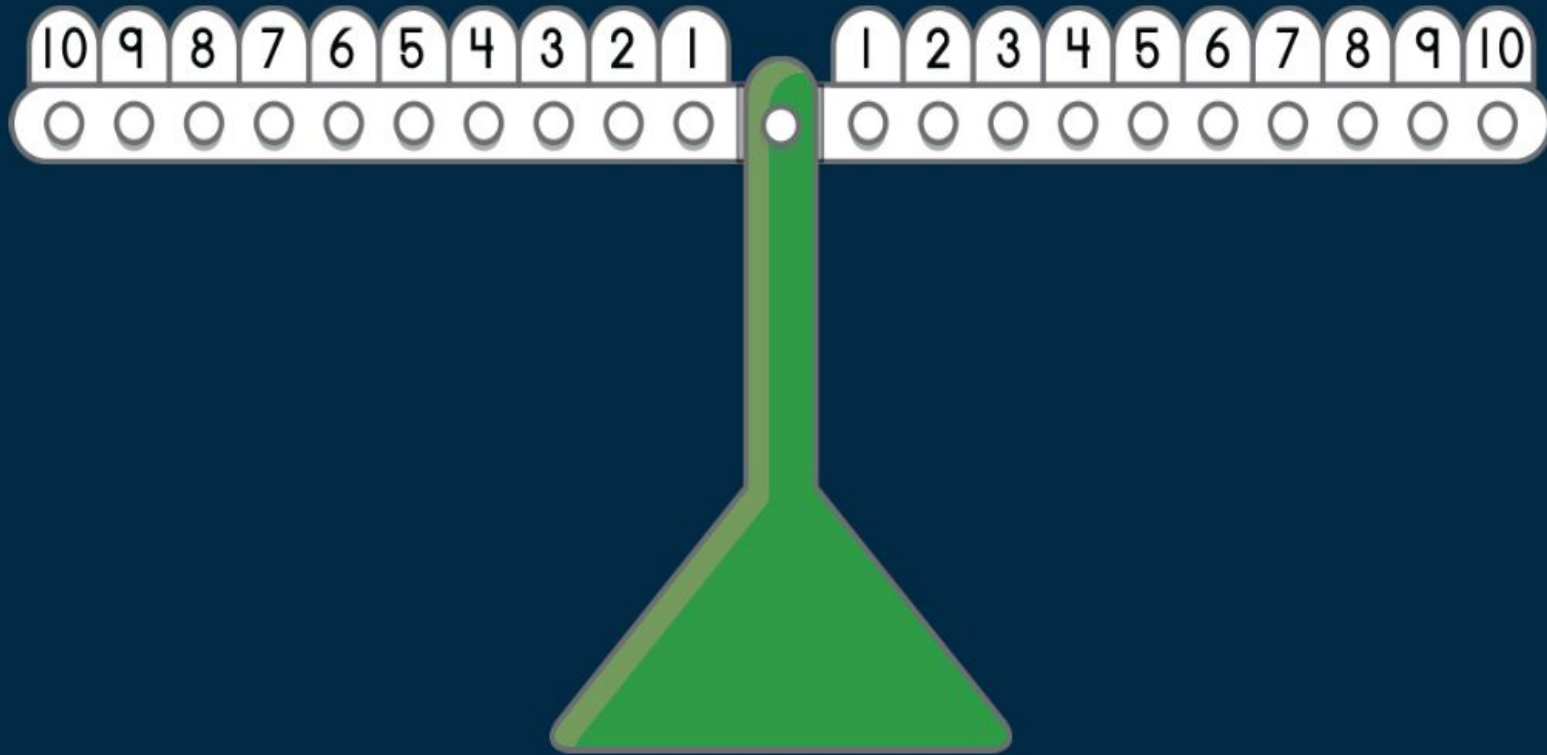
Known masses in grams

Set Equation



Link for [balance](#)

Link for most needed [Manipulatives](#)



[Link](#)



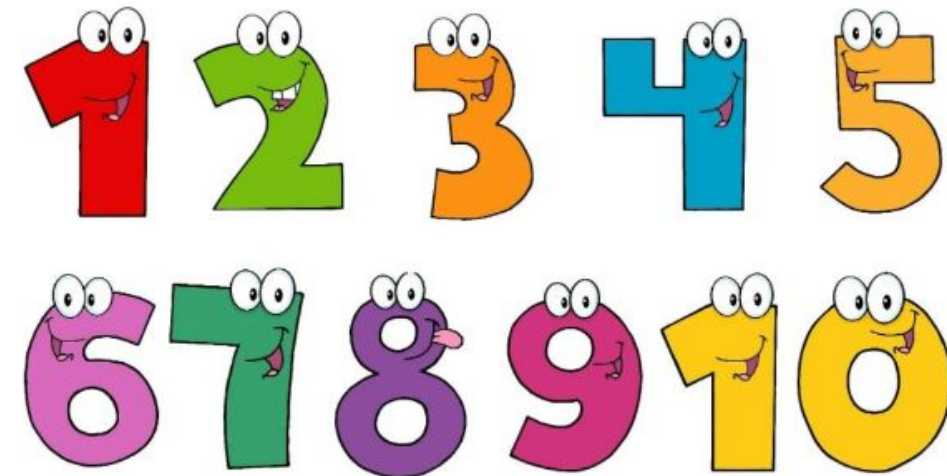
Concept of Equality

Intervention as Strategies and Assessment

Road Map to the Unfinished Learning: Counting



[Teacher Led](#)



Numbers 1-10

Click on the image above to access a folder
of ready-to-use daily lessons.

Educational Assistant Led [Interventions](#)

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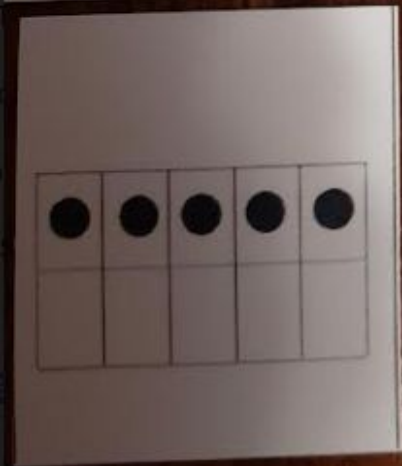
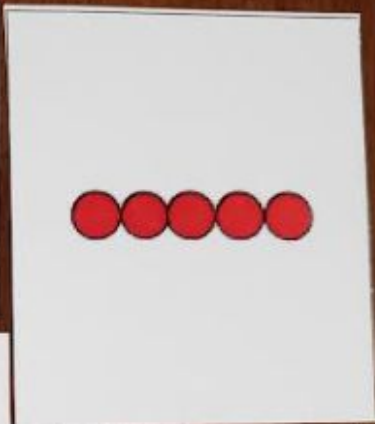


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Using subitizing cards to match various representations of a number.

Playing a game of card 'war'

- highest number
- sum
- difference

•Strategies or Activities to meet Outcomes

Counting to
120

Gameboard

Drop and
Add

Adding using objects to represent the problem.

Domino
Dots

Counting to answer “how many”

Turtle Number
Walk

Counting to 20

One Fish Two
Fish, Red Fish,
Blue Fish

Sorting



Look in
the [www.movingforward
curriculum.ca](http://www.movingforwardcurriculum.ca)
website for these
Activities

Next Five Levels

Level 11: At this level students start to count on , counting verbally and with objects from numbers other than 1 and they can tell you the number before and after another number without having to start at 1.

Level 12: Counting by 10s to 100; they can cross decades easily

Level 13: Counting to 100

Level 14: Count with snaps, taps and sounds

Level 15: Skip Count by 2's and 5's fluently

Level 15: Skip Count by 2's and 5's fluently

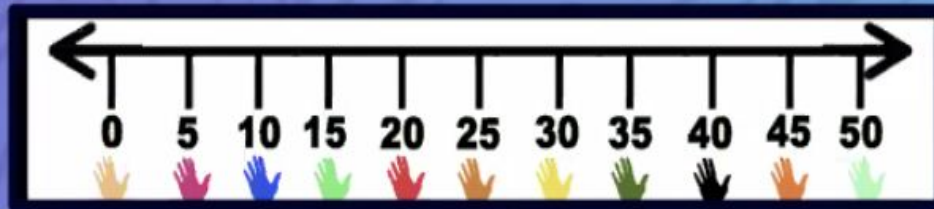
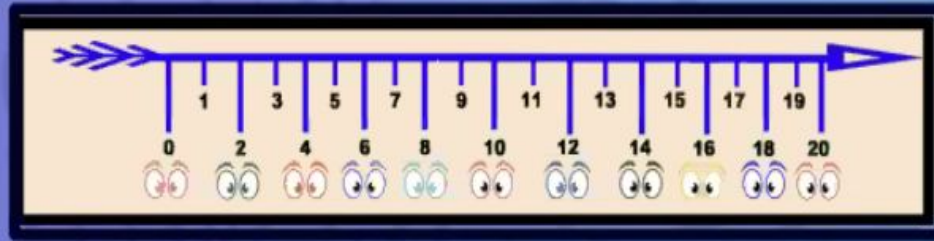
SKIP COUNTING BY TWO

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8 10 12

14 16 18

20 22 24



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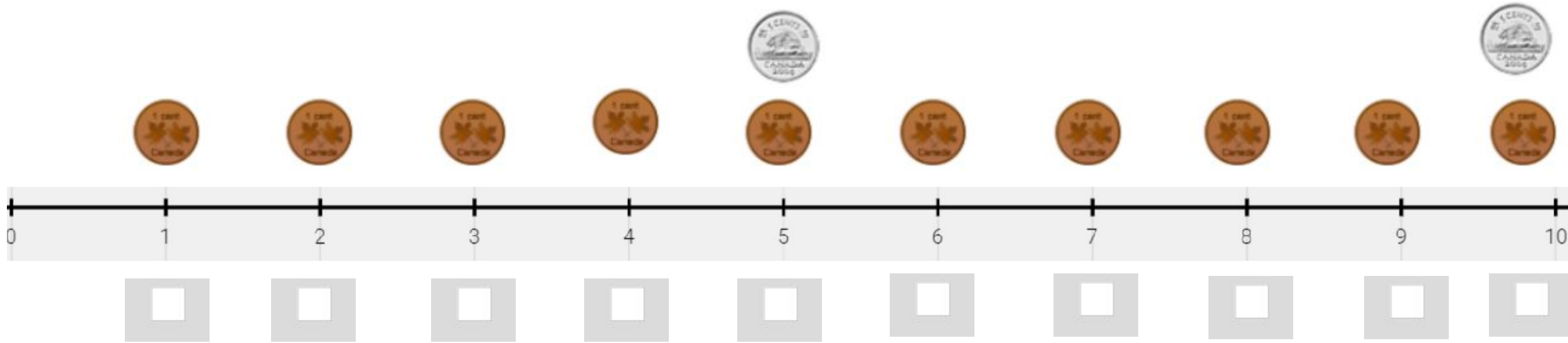
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Use 1 cm grid to make a number line and using cuisenaire rods to show how far you have gone on the number line.

Leveraging Money



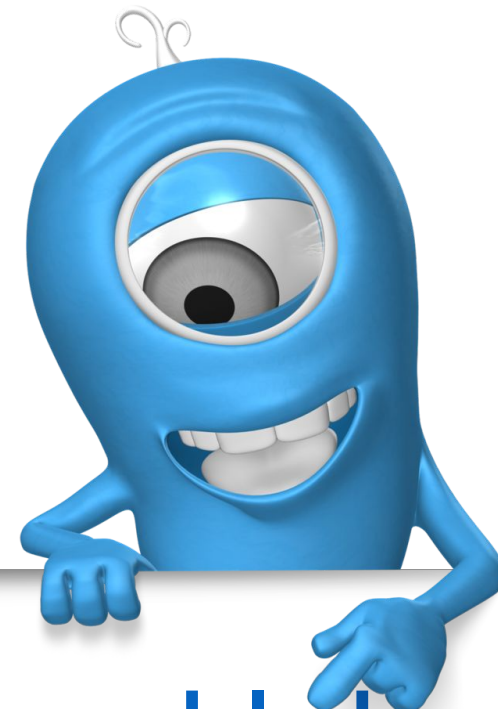


Skip Counting in a Real World Context



Learning Trajectories

Dr. Nicki Newton - Counting
<https://vimeo.com/564452067>



Sparklebox

Number Lines and resources

Ontario Kindergarten - [Counting](#)

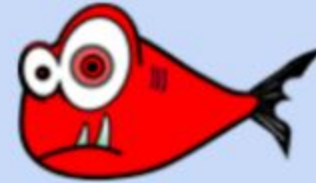
Grade 1 - [Counting](#)

One Fish



TWO Fish

Red Fish



Blue Fish

Sorting

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