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NUMBERS: LEARNING AT HOME

NUMBER GAME IDEAS

Hopscotch

Great for learning numbers and getting exercise!

Balloon tap

Count how many times you can tap a balloon to each other without it touching the floor. When it hits the floor, start again.

Dominoes

Count and match the dots.

Let your child play with blocks. You can ask questions while they play. For example: Which block is the longest? Let's see who can make the tallest tower and Can you make a pattern with your blocks?

Board games

When you play board games using dice, help your child recognise how many without counting each dot. For example: *I know that's four because I can see two and two*. Count aloud the spaces as you move in a game.

Electronic games

Include adventure games, tablet applications, web-based competitions and sporting games. Play computer adventure games with your child and ask questions such as: *How many stars will you need to get to the next level?*

Playing games such as Simon Says are great for using position, numbers and measurement. For example you could say: Simon says hop three times and Simon says sit on the mat and Simon says stretch up tall.

Dice games

Use two dice to help your child recognise which number is bigger, which number is smaller or which number is the same.

Card games

Great for learning numbers and learning to take turns.



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