

Maths Homework Options

A - Count On

Ask your child to start counting from any number between 0 and 10.

Example:

"3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10"

B - Count Back

Ask your child to start counting backwards from any number between 10 and 0.

Example:

"5,4,3,2,1,0"

C - Count Objects

Ask your child to collect objects from around the house.

Example:

Bring me 4 socks
Bring me 7 spoons

D – One to One Counting

Lay out objects. Ask your child to count them. They should point to each object as they count.

E - Reading Numbers

Write a number on the white board. Can your child read it?

-Numbers to 5?

-Numbers to 10 and beyond?

F - Writing Numbers

Ask your child to write numbers that you call out. Try writing them in salt/sand/flour/white board.

-To 5?

-To 10 and beyond?

Example: "Write 3. Write 9. Write 12."

G – Sing counting songs

Sing lots of counting songs together.

Example:

10 Green bottles
5 little ducks
1,2 buckle my shoe

H - Sequencing Numbers

Write a sequence of numbers (between 0 and 10) on flashcards or use your whiteboard. Have your child read the numbers as you randomly lay them on the table. Then have them sequence the numbers.

I - Doubles

Ask your child to say their doubles facts to 10.

Example:

"Double 3 is...?" "6"

"Double 5 is...?" "10"

J- Dice Games

Roll a die and count the dots.

Roll 2 dice and count the dots.

Roll a die, count the dots and write the number down.

K – Borrow a Game

Take home one of the maths games available in school for a week. Play 3 times.

L - Count On In 2s

Ask your child to count in 2s.

Example:

"0,2,4,6,8,10"

M – Fact Families to 5

Give your child a number between 0 and 5 and ask them to write the fact family.

Example:

$$2+3=5$$

$$3+2=5$$

$$5-3=2$$

$$5-2=3$$

N - How many hiding?

Use a set of counters. Show your child the complete set. Tell them, "There are ___ counters." Cover part of the set while your child looks away. Ask, "How many are here?" and "How many are hiding?"

O - Count Around

Counting with a group of people (or two!). One person starts and all those counting take turns. Stop at some point and reverse the counting! **Example:**

"1,2,3,4,5, <stop>, 4,3,2,"

P – ICT games

Choose one of the following games – play for 10 minutes, 3 times a week.

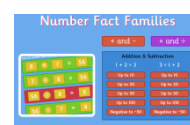
Hit the Button - <http://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/hit-the-button>



Caterpillar Ordering <http://www.topmarks.co.uk/ordering-and-sequencing/caterpillar-ordering>



Number Fact Families <http://www.topmarks.co.uk/number-facts/number-fact-families>



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