

P4 Family Learning Activities.



Take part in competitive games that incorporate scoring and counting

- Make a skittles game from objects in your house (e.g. some empty bottles and a pair of socks rolled into a ball). Throw the ball and count how many bottles fell down.
- Make a basketball game. Use a laundry basket or bucket. Throw small soft toys into the basket. How many went in?

Questions to ask your child - How many? (you will need to count with them to answer)

Copy an action

- Join in some number songs and rhymes together (try the links below). Do the actions and encourage your child to join in and do them too.
- <u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mZBZ8J1R_yU</u>
- <u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VKES0QpRNqE&index=3&list=PL-8VPysCNVem5RUtBRv8XCZkzXqjJ6Fxy</u>
- https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=f0I-940eqGo
- https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6wM0AIb3BTE

If you have a QR scanner App on your phone you can scan the songs here;









Join in one to one matching activities

- Set the table with your child. Place 4 bowls on the table and give your child 4 spoons. Show them how to put one spoon in each bowl. Help them to place one napkin on each plate, one straw in each cup, one cup on each saucer, one cup on each coaster, one biscuit on each plate etc...
- Get your child to help with other household tasks e.g. place one cushion on each chair, one sock in each shoe.

Questions to ask your child where does it go?

Assist with moving and counting objects

- Bake some cupcakes together or cut shapes from playdough and place them in a muffin tin. Count how many there are together. Encourage your child to join you in pointing to each one and counting. Perhaps they will touch each one with you. Maybe they will copy the numbers you say or the signs you make.
- Count cookies on a plate. Count cars in a row. Count trains on a track. Count plates on the table.
- Count when you are out and about. How many chips at McDonalds? How many potatoes in the bag at ASDA?
- Questions to ask your child How many? (you will need to count with them to answer)

Please have fun with your child on these learning tasks and record in their home/ school diary which activities you have done as a family and any other ideas/activities that you have come up with that we can share with other families.





