

making maths simple

Milestone Maths: Counting to 10 Flashcards

Help your child master counting to 10, a key Foundation skill in the Australian Curriculum!

There are two sets of flashcards in this file: number cards and picture cards. Use them together or alone to help your child develop the basic counting skills they need to succeed in year 1 maths.

Set up instructions:

Print out the next two pages onto cardstock (single-sided) and cut along the straight lines to make flashcards. Laminate the sheets before cutting for extra durability. Store your cards in a small envelope or zip lock bag.

Some practice and game ideas:

- **Number line up:** Shuffle the number cards and ask your child to line them up on a table in order. If you are just starting out, you could start with just the numbers 1-5 and build from there.
- **Count 'em:** Choose a picture card at random and ask your child to count the pictures on the card.
- **Match it up:** Create two piles of shuffled cards: number cards and picture cards. Ask your child to line up the number cards on the table then put the corresponding picture card under each number card.
- **Count and sort:** Shuffle the picture cards and ask your child to line them up in order from the least to the greatest number of objects.
- **Game it**: Shuffle all the cards together and lay them face down in an array on the table. Have your child flip two cards. If they flip a number and a picture card and the two correspond, they get to keep the cards. If not, they turn them back over and it is your turn. Tips: This game also works as 'solitaire'. To make it easier, print the cards on coloured cardstock: one colour for numbers and a different one for pictures.

You'll find more ideas on the Milestone Maths webstite and in the book Milestone Maths B1. Scan the QR codes below to find them!

Have fun!

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