

Math Activities Resource

Math concepts should be learned through exploration and experience with hands-on materials, learning math concepts in this way is much more meaningful than having children discuss concepts centered on the calendar.

Some simple ways to include math in preschool classrooms:

- Fingerplays and songs that use counting.
- Puzzles
- Patterns
- Block building
- Manipulatives
- Math books
- Sorting
- Graphing

Items to include in the math center:

- Balance scale
- Pattern blocks
- Bear counters
- Clocks
- Sand timers
- Geometric shapes
- Dice
- Writing materials
- Dominos
- Mathlink cubes
- Calculators
- Geo boards
- Number magnets
- Measuring tape
- Math books
- Puzzles



Sorting: Small, Medium, Large Activity

Print out the chart below and allow children to sort objects by size. Suggestions for objects: stones, pom poms, beans (consider the age group and choking hazards), buttons, or coins.

• Small	• Medium	• Large

