

Getting Ready for Kindergarten



Enjoy these resources, focusing on Counting!

There are so many ways to teach and practice numbers with kids! Check out these links for inspiration:

[Counting activity using muffin liners and pompoms.](#)

[Free printable dump truck counting mat.](#)

[Number matching with paper cups.](#)

[18 Fine Motor counting skills for preschoolers.](#)

[Create a number line from 1-20 using Playdoh & popsicle sticks!](#)

Action Song: "Ten In the Bed"

There were ten in the bed and the little one said, "Roll over, roll over."

So they all rolled over and one fell out.
(count down until)

There was one in the bed and the little one said, "I've got this all to myself"

Five Big Lemons

Five big lemons in the bowl
(Hold up five fingers)

One fell out and started to roll.
(Fold down one finger, and roll hands)
It bumped the table and hit my toe.

How many lemons in the bowl?
(Count down from five to no more lemons!)

Brantford Public Library Books about Counting

[Counting with Barefoot Critters by Teagan White](#)

[Everybunny Count by Ellie Sandall](#)

[Jump, Leap, Count Sheep! A Canadian Wildlife 123 by Geraldo Valerio](#)

[I Spy 123 Totally Crazy Numbers! by Manuela Ancutici](#)

[Bear Counts by Karma Wilson](#)