

Maths Must Haves

Year1 - Summer



To count in 2s, 5s and 10s

By the end of Summer Term, pupils in Year 1 should be able to count forwards and backwards in...

2s to 20

5s to 50

10s to 100

Count in 2s	Count in 5s	Count in 10s
2	5	10
4	10	20
6	15	30
8	20	40
10	25	50
12	30	60
14	35	70
16	40	80
18	45	90
20	50	100

Questions and vocabulary

twos, fives, tens, odd, even, multiple

Count in 2s from 6.

If you count in 5s, what number would come after 30?

If you count backwards in tens, what will you say next...?

If I start at 10 and count in 5s, will I say the number 22? Why?

The aim of this maths must have is to count confidently in 2s, 5s and 10s. Children should pronounce numbers correctly, taking care with endings such as 'teen' and 'ty'. Children may begin to make a links with multiplication, although this is not expected at this stage.

Steps to success

In order to help your child embed their knowledge, practising little and often is key.

Here are different ways to practise the must have:

- Watch and listen to counting songs on YouTube. Scratch Garden and Hopscotch both have songs to support 2s, 5s and 10s.
- -Make up a song or sing along to your favourite tune as you count.
- Count using objects around the house. For example, to count in 2s children can count shoes or socks. Coins are also a fantastic way to practise counting in 2s, 5s and 10s!
- Online games may also help your child consolidate their knowledge. We recommend Nutty Numbers and Saucer Sorter on the ICT Games website (free).

https://ictgames.com/mobilePage/nuttyNumbers/index.html