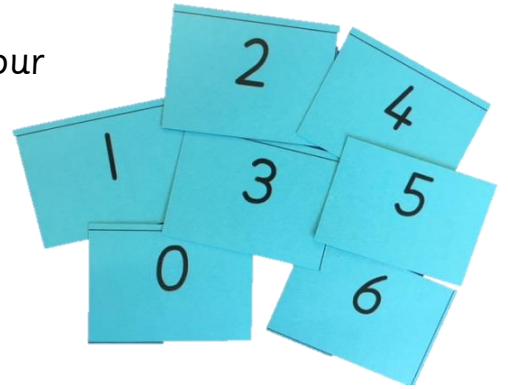


# Maths Number Cards & Activity Ideas

Cut out the number cards and use them to support your child to develop their number knowledge. Begin focusing on number cards 0-10, when confident progress to include cards 0-15, then 0-20.



Here are some ideas to try:

## **Recognising numbers:**

- Show them each card in a random order, can they tell you what number it is?
- Have a number hunt, hide the cards then child to find cards and attempt to recognise!
- Display numbers around the house, what number is on the fridge? (Remember to swap them around to challenge them!)
- Look for numbers when out and about e.g. bus numbers, house numbers, prices in shops,

## **Ordering numbers:**

- Ask them to put the number cards in the correct order, what comes next? Support by saying the order aloud together to check, this often prompts them to correct a mistake!
- Once ordered ask them to close their eyes and swap the order of some numbers, see if your child can spot the mistakes and correct them!

## **Saying 1 more or 1 less:**

- Begin by asking 1 more questions with numbers cards displayed in order (e.g. what is 1 more than 5?), then for a challenge ask child to turn around and answer it without looking at the cards!
- Develop to ask 1 less questions, beginning with numbers 1-10, then to 20

If you have any questions or would like to watch an example of any activities, feel free to come in and speak to us,

Many thanks,  
The Reception Team