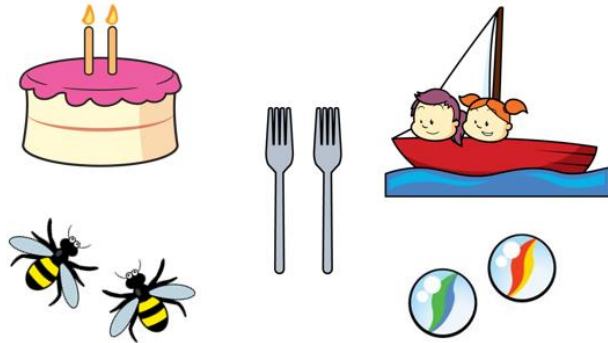


Maths Activities - Counting in 2s

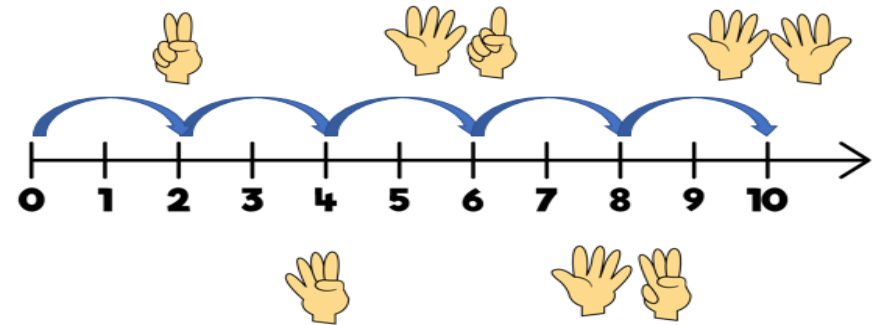
Activity One



How many matching pairs can you find in your house? Can you find 10 different pairs? When you have found them, count them in 2s as fast as you can!

Activity Two

Count in 2s with your fingers - get another person to help you to count all the way to 20! What do you notice about counting in 2s? (The numbers are all even! This means they can be shared between two people evenly and there are not any odd ones left!)



Activity Three

Colour in the 2x table - what do you notice about the pattern?

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40
41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50

Activity Four

Investigate odd and even numbers!

For each number, count out that number of objects. Can you share them in to two equal piles? If they share perfectly evenly, they are even! If there is an odd one left over that doesn't go in to a pile, the number is odd!

Investigate these numbers and add them to the table!

2	5	6	4	3	9	7	8	10	1
Odd (odd one left over)					Even (shares evenly)				