

Numeracy Gr 2 Oct 5

Activity 2: Skip Counting to 100 and beyond

Materials Needed:

- any small objects found around the house or outdoors (counters, paperclips, beans, rice)

Task Instructions:

Give your child a number of the small objects (between 80 and 120 items, more if this is easy for them). Have them organize them into groups of 10, and then count them by skip counting by 10's—10, 20, 30...80...81, 82, 83. Have them write down how many they counted.

If this task is too hard, go up to 20 only. If this is too easy, go beyond 120.

Questions to ask:

- Is it easier to skip count by 10?
- What did you do for your last group (if it didn't have 10 in it)?
- Did you get the same number when you counted a second time?

Story Connection: [One is a Snail, 10 is a Crab](#)