Numeracy K October 5

FLUENCY ACTIVITY: Snap It!

Materials Needed:

• Lego or other interlocking blocks, starting with a set of 5, moving up to a set of 10.

Task Instructions:

Use a small train or tower of 5 lego blocks. Hand to the child. Say snap, and have them break into two parts and hold one hand behind the back. They will show the remaining blocks in their other hand. You guess how many are behind the back. So, if you started with 5 blocks, and they show you 3 blocks, you guess that two blocks are behind their back. Then you switch turns, with the adult doing the SNAP and the child guessing. When the child is fluent with all parts that add to 5, move up to 6 blocks, 7, 8...and up to 10 and beyond if the child is comfortable.

