

Numeracy K February 15

Activity 2: Maybe I Will...

Materials Needed:

- A pair of dice and cards from below.

Task Instructions:

Use the “Maybe I Will” cards — cards with pictures of appealing items and their corresponding prices on them — included on the following pages. Cut the cards apart and place them face down in a pile.

Next, tell students how much money they have in their “wallets”. Use money amounts that are appropriate for your child, as suggested below.

Kindergarten: \$5 to \$20

Grade 1: \$20 to \$50

Now draw a card as the first item and read it and its price out loud.

Ask:

- Do you have enough money?
- Can you afford to buy it?

If they have enough money to buy it, students say “Maybe I will!”.

If they do not, students must say “Oh no! I can’t afford that!”

Summarize the thinking by saying:

- We trade money to get objects or services.
- We make choices when we spend money.
- It’s a good idea to share with others.

Parent Tips:

Planning to save up for something is an excellent experience for primary-aged children. For more details on how you can support your child’s financial literacy, check the tips [here](#).

Have you been using these lessons? If you are interested in winning a dice set to play games with your child, please send an e-mail to Donna.Morgan@burnabyschools.ca Your feedback is welcome.

Lesson from Carole Fullerton, mindful consulting.



Lego



\$15

Video Game



\$24

Frisbee



\$7

Bouncy ball



\$4

Play-dough



\$5

Paint set



\$8

Puzzle



\$11

Erasers



\$2

Lego set



\$25

Video Game



\$40

Skateboard



\$72

Aquarium



\$38

Art set



\$21

**Remote controlled
Toy**



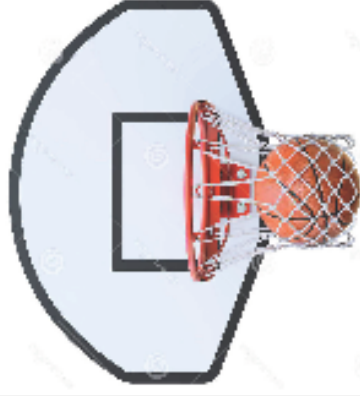
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**Save the Animals
Donation**



\$15

Basketball hoop



\$90