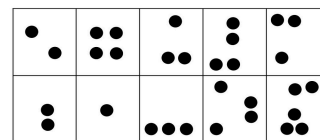


Subitising

What does the word 'subitising' mean? Well...

Subitising is the ability to immediately recognise the number of objects in a small group without needing to count them. Beyond five, other mental strategies come into play for identifying the number of items in a group without counting them individually, for example, recognising subgroups within the larger set, and joining those subgroups together to get the total.

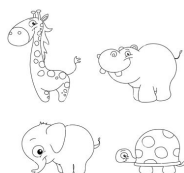


Sharing your work

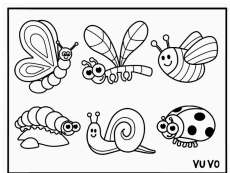
Please remember to photograph your work as you go and share it with your teachers through Seesaw.

You might also like to share what you have done with others in your home, in an email or skype with family.

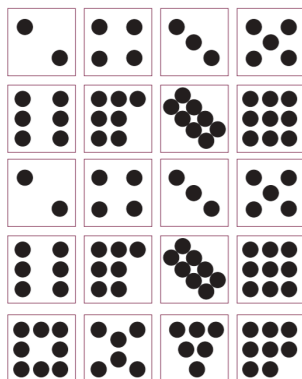
Literacy



- Draw your own little picture patterns of groups of objects up to 10 on a set of little cards. Can you write a number equation to go with each card? The equation will explain to us the groups that you saw to get the total number of objects on the card, for example, to the left here, you might see $3 + 3 (= 6)$, OR you might see $2 + 2 + 2 (= 6)$.



Numeracy



- Make your own set of random dot pattern cards: click this [link](#) and then practise recognising the number of dots quickly and without having to count. Time yourself and see if you can get faster and faster each time you practise
- Use your tens frame cards to also practise recognising regular dot patterns at speed. These ten frame cards can be found [here](#). The resource you will be after is called 0 - 10 Numbers by Fingers and Frames.
- Play **Spot the Spots**, [by printing these cards](#). Shuffle the cards. Hold them up one at a time. As each card is held up, have your child show how many dots, by holding up the same number of fingers
- Use these [picture cards](#) of sets of toys up to 5, to practise speedy recognition of small groups of objects.

Other curriculum areas



Music:

- [Subitising up to 5](#) with Jack Hartman
- [Subitising up to 10](#) with Jack Hartman
- [Subitise Super Fast](#) with Jack Hartman

Art:

- [Make your own ladybird shapes](#) - you can add your own random spot patterns to each ladybird's wings and then practise your dot recognition at speed
- [Make your own turtle shapes](#) - add your own random dot patterns to each turtle's shell and then practise your dot recognition at speed.