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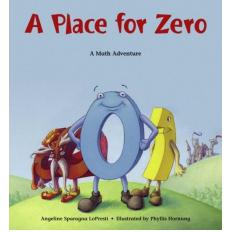
A Place for Zero

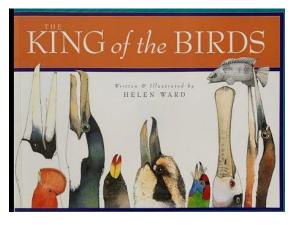
Author: Angeline Sparagna LoPresti

ISBN: 1-57091-196-7

Synopsis: Zero is all alone in the land of Digitaria. He can't play Addemup with the other numbers, because he has nothing to add. Join Zero as he goes on a journey to discover his place. His quest takes him to the mysterious workshop of Count Infinity to the place of King Multiplus, where Zero meets a stranger who looks surprisingly familiar.

Maths Links: Using and applying, counting and understanding number, knowing and using number facts and calculating.





The King of the Birds

Author: Helen Ward

ISBN 1-84011-703-6

Synopsis: Who should be the King of the Birds? The biggest bird? The smallest? The one with the longest beak? Only a competition can decide...but who will be the winner?

Maths Links: Using and applying, counting and understanding number measuring and handling data.

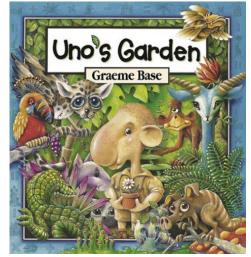
<u>Uno's Garden</u>

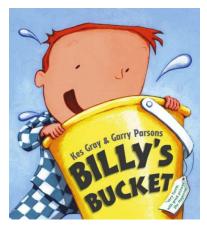
Author: Graeme Base

ISBN: 978-0-8109-5473-1

Synopsis: When Uno arrives in the forest one beautiful day, there are many fascinating and extraordinary animals there to greet him. And one entirely unexceptional Snortlepig. Uno loves the forest so much, he decides to live there. But, in time, a little village grows up around his house. Then a town, then a city...and soon Uno realises that the animals and plants have begun to disappear...

Maths Links: Using and applying, counting and understanding number, knowing and using number facts and calculating.





Billy's Bucket

Author: Kes Gray and Garry Parsons

ISBN: 978-0-099-43874-8

Synopsis: Billy wants one thing for his birthday. Not a computer game, not new trainers, not a new bike, but a bucket. Billy's bucket is special. "You must never ever borrow my bucket!" he warns his mum and dad/ But do they listen?! An imaginative birthday story

Maths Links: Using and applying and measuring.

Eat Your Peas

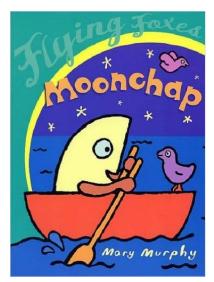
Author: Kes Gray and Nick Sharratt

ISBN: 978-1-862-30804-6

Synopsis: This is a story about a mum trying to persuade her daughter to eat her greens but just how much does mum want Daisy to eat her peas? Well, it starts off with a small bribe of an extra pudding but then the incentives grow and grow and the number gets bigger and bigger. Will Daisy eat her peas or will she turn the tables on mum?

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Maths Links: Using and applying, counting and understanding number and knowing and using number facts.



Moonchap

Author: Mary Murphy

ISBN: 0-09-943966-2

Synopsis: Monnchap is looking for a new place to live. Square and Circle offer to share the island, but Moonchap isn't so sure. They fight a lot. Can he help them to becomes good neighbours? A dynamic story that weaves in shapes and numbers, and encourages readers to develop good citizenship.

Maths Links: Using and applying, calculating, understanding shape and handling data.

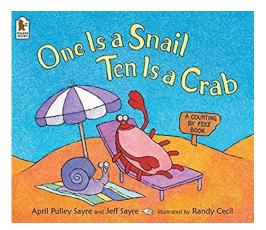
One Is a Snail, Ten Is a Crab

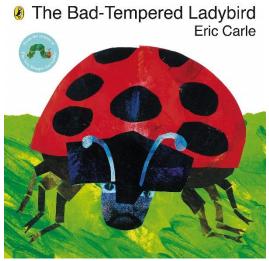
Author: April Pulley Sayre and Jeff Sayre

ISBN: 978-1-84428-164-0

Synopsis: If one is a snail and two is a person...we must be counting feet! Join in with the mathematical mayhem, and count the feet of snails, crabs, dogs and spiders from one to one hundred.

Maths Links: Using and applying, counting and understand number, knowing and using number facts and calculating.





The Bad-Tempered Ladybird

Author: Eric Carlie

ISBN: 0-14-050398-6

Synopsis: The bad-tempered ladybird picks fights with every animal it meets, but soon learns the importance of friends. In this humorous story, Eric Carle explores the concept of size and time through brightly coloured pictures.

Maths Links: Using and applying, counting and understanding number, knowing and using number facts, calculating and measuring.

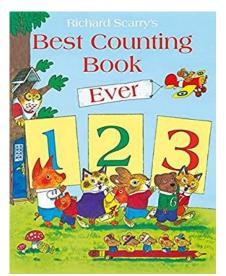
Best Counting Book Ever

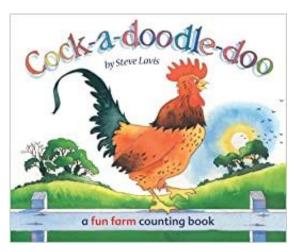
Author: Richard Scarry

ISBN: 0-00-718942-7

Synopsis: When Willy Bunny finds no one to play with he decides to start counting instead. He counts from one bunny to 100 fireflies and everything in between. This fun introduction to the world of numbers will soon have children counting everything they see.

Maths Links: Using and applying, counting and understanding number, knowing and using number facts and calculating.





Cock-a-doodle-doo

Author: Steve Lavis

ISBN: 0-14-055942-6

Synopsis: Lots of animals to count and noises to make down on the farm! Don't forget to keep an eye out for the mischievous mice on each page!

Maths Links: Using and applying, counting and understanding number, knowing and using number facts, calculating, understanding shape and handling data.

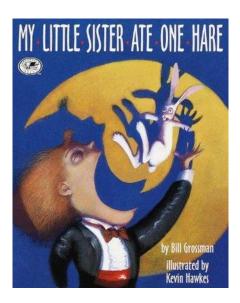
My Little Sister Ate One Hare

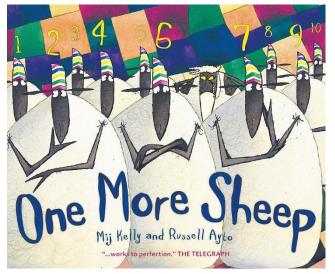
Author: Bill Grossman

ISBN: 0-517-88576-X

Synopsis: My little sister ate one hare. We thought she'd throw up then and there. But she didn't. My little sister ate 2 snakes. She ate two snakes, for heaven sakes! She ate five bats, 4 shews, 3 ants. She even ate their underpants. And that's just the beginning...

Maths Links: Using and applying, counting and understanding number, knowing and using number facts and calculating.





One More Sheep

Author: Mij Kelly and Russell Ayto

ISBN: 0-340-80586-2

Synopsis: It was a windy night in the middle of a thunderstorm Sam went out to bring home his sheep. He tucked them up with woolly socks and hats. He thinks he has brought them all home but then one by one they come to his door. The last knock on the door is the big bad wolf!

Maths Links: Using and applying, counting and understanding number, knowing and using number facts and calculating.

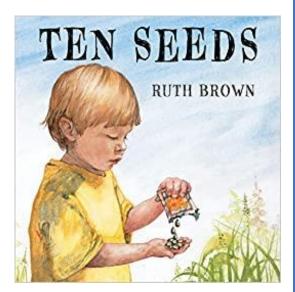
<u>Ten Seeds</u>

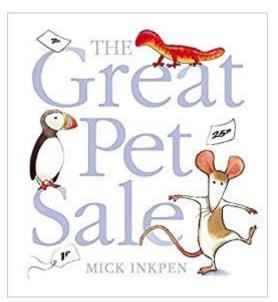
Author: Ruth Brown

ISBN: 978-0-86264-849-7

Synopsis: If you plant 10 seeds what do you get? In this engaging picture book, young readers can join in a garden countdown, from the planting of 10 seeds and watching their progress, to the harvesting off...? 10 seeds!

Maths Links: Using and applying, counting and understanding number, knowing and using number facts, measuring and handling data.





The Great Pet Sale

Author: Mick Inkpen ISBN: 0-340-91817-9

Synopsis: A little boy visits the pet shop that is closing down. EVERYTHING MUST GO! Each animal is priced from 1p to 25p and the boy tries to decide what to buy. Along the way Ratty tries to convince him that he is the best choice, especially as he is the cheapest, only 1p! Read on to find out who is chosen.

Maths Links: Using and applying, counting and understanding number, knowing and using number facts, calculating and measuring.

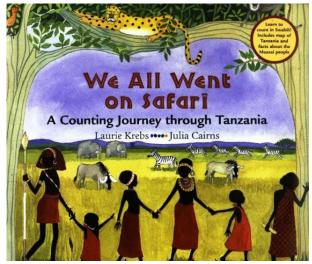
<u>We All Went on Safari – A Counting Journey Through</u> <u>Tanzania</u>

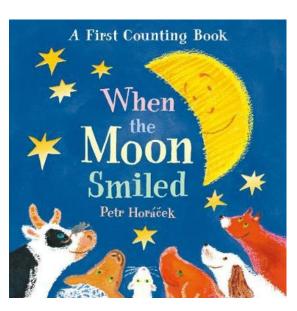
Author: Laurie Krebs

ISBN: 1-84148-782-1

Synopsis: Learn to count in Swahili and discover all kinds of African animals on Safari through the grasslands of Tanzania. A lively rhyming text with a map and facts about the Maasai people and animals living in Tanzania. This book has an illustrated guide to counting in Swahili.

Maths Links: Using and applying, counting and understanding number, knowing and using number facts and calculating.





When the Moon Smiled

Author: Petr Horacek

ISBN: 978-0-7445-7047-2

Synopsis: One night on the farm everything is topsy-turvy and the moon will only smile when things are put right. It's time for him to light the stars one by one.

Maths Links: Using and applying, counting and understanding number and calculating.