

# 20 THINGS TO DO WITH DOUBLE-SIDED COUNTERS 

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## SUBITISING

HOW MANY COUNTERS CAN YOU SEE?

## TWO

## PATTERNS

WHAT COMES NEXT?

## THREE <br> COMPARING



YELLOW


RED

# FOUR COMPOSITION OF NUMBER 



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## FIVE TENS FRAME



FIVES-WISE

## TWOS-WISE <br> 

## SIX <br> TENS FRAME




## $\begin{array}{ll}\text { SEVEN } & \text { PART-WHOLE } \\ & \text { RELATIONSHIP }\end{array}$



## ElGHT <br> UNITISING

There are 6 eggs in a box. I buy 3 boxes. Altogether I have 18 eggs. Show me.

## UNITISING



## TEN

## ARRAYS



## ELEVEN <br> DISTRIBUTIVE LAW

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\begin{aligned}
& 6 \times 3=(4 \times 3)+(2 \times 3) \\
& 6 \times 3=(\ldots \times 3)+(\ldots \times 3)
\end{aligned}
$$

## TWELVE

## KS1 BAR MODEL

There are 4 bananas and 5 apples in a fruit bowl. How many piece of fruit are there all together?


## THIRTEEN

## KS2 BAR MODEL



## FOURTEEN <br> DIVISION

## Show me $12 \div 3=4$

Sharing
Grouping


## FIFTEEN <br> RATIO

What's the ratio of red counters to yellow counters?


Georgie is decorating her room. She mixes 1 tin of white paint with 3 tins of blue. She needs 12 tins of paint altogether. How many tins of blue paint does she need?


## SIXTEEN <br> KS1 FRACTIONS

Which of these representations show $\frac{1}{2}$ ?

## SIXTEEN

## KS2 FRACTIONS

A book has 276 pages.
Amina has read $\frac{1}{3}$ of the book.
How many pages are left for Amina to read?


## SEVENTEEN

+ NEGATIVE NUMBERS


$3+(-2)=1$

$-7+2=?$


## EIGHTEEN

- NEGATIVE NUMBERS

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3-5=-2 \quad-3-(-2)=-1
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## NINETEEN

## Last year, Jacob went to four concerts.

Three of his tickets cost $£ 5$ each.


The other ticket cost $£ 7$

$(3 \times 5)+7=22$
$22 \div 4=4.5$
Mean $=£ 4.50$

## TWENTY

## INVESTIGATION

Take a counter and surround it by a ring of other counters that MUST touch two others. How many counters do you need to do this?

Imagine surrounding this ring with more counters. How many more counters are needed now? How many counters will there be altogether?


What about a bigger ring? And another? And another?
How would you predict how many counters there will be in any ring?

## THANKYOU!

All slides will be available to download after the conference but if you can't wait....or if you have any of your own ideas to share with me ;)


