Early Years Math

Activity 2 - Counter Collectors

The following mathematical activities and games are available for teachers and parents to use with early years-aged children.

For this activity you will need: a die or number cube, plastic cubes or counters, a piece of paper and pencil and two players.

Activity Instructions:

The first player rolls the number cube and removes the number of counters indicated. Each player takes a turn. The game ends when each player has had eight turns. The players count their counters and the winner is the player with the most counters. Players can use paper and pencil to keep track of the number of turns.

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Can you believe THIS is math?