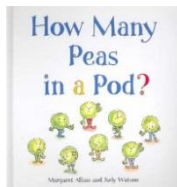


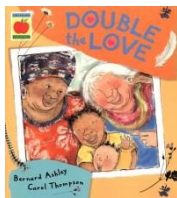
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UNDERSTANDING NUMBERS



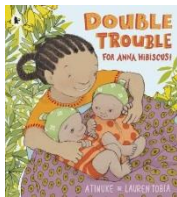
Allum, Margaret – How Many Peas in a Pod?
A fun lift the flap book which looks at estimation.

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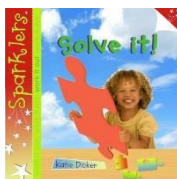
Ashley, Bernard – Double the Love
The joy of having two grannies coming to stay. Depicts a mixed race family.

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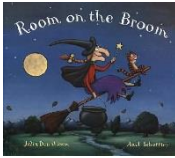
Atinuke – Double the Trouble
Set in Africa this is the story of sibling rivalry.

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Dicker, Katie – Solve It!
Looks at addition, subtraction, estimation, sharing, doubling etc

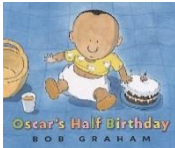
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Donaldson, Julia – Room on the Broom

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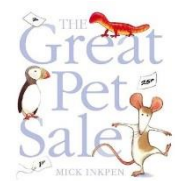
A classic title from an award winning author. Is there room for all the animals on the witch's broom?



Graham, Bob – Oscar's Half Birthday

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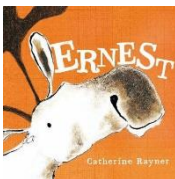
Explores the passage of time with a baby's half birthday.



Inkpen, Mick – The Great Pet Sale

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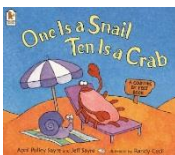
No longer in print but this title looks at what a young boy could buy for a £1!



Rayner, Catherine – Ernest

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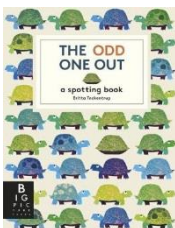
Ernest the Moose is too big for this book – how can he fit in?



Sayre, April – One Is a Snail Ten Is a Crab

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Counting using feet - goes up to 100.



Teckentrup, Britta – The Odd One Out

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Could be used for patterns/sequences.



Wells, Robert E. – Is a Blue Whale the Biggest Thing There Is?

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Introducing measures and the wonders of the universe.

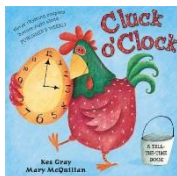
TIME



Child, Lauren – One Thing

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Fab for numeracy, by the Children's Laureate. Covers time, sharing, addition, patterns, estimation and subtraction!

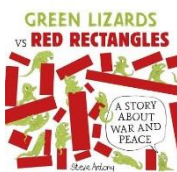


Gray, Kes – Cluck O'Clock

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A day in the life of a chicken.

SHAPES



Antony, Steve – Green Lizards Red Triangles

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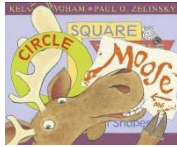
A story about living in harmony. The 2 colour tones enhance the shape of the rectangle and the different shapes they can make when put together.



Barnett, Mac – Triangle

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Muted illustrations may not appeal to all. This is the story of Triangle and Square visiting each other's houses.



Bingham, Kelly – Circle, Square Moose

Fun look at shapes all around us and in the animal kingdom.

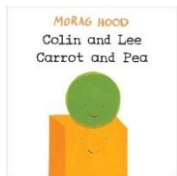
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Borando, Silvia – Shapes, Reshape!

Looks at how shapes can be mixed together and make new shapes.

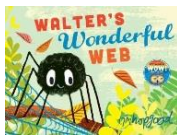
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Hood, Morag – Colin and Lee Carrot and Pea

Celebrating friendship. Carrot and Pea, although very different are best friends.

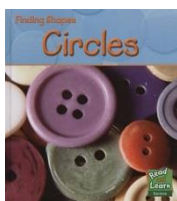
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Hopgood, Tim – Walter's Wonderful Web

Walter builds his web in all different shapes to stop the wind blowing it away.

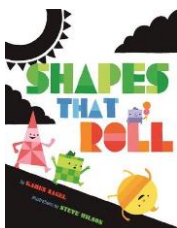
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Leake, Diyan – Circles

This series covers the basic shapes.

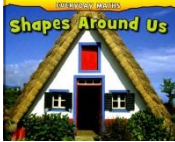
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Nagel, Karen – Shapes That Roll

Different properties of shapes told in a rhyming text. All the different shapes are listed and named in the back.

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Nunn, Daniel – Shapes Around Us

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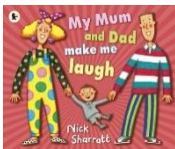
Clear photographs identifying shapes children will encounter in every day life.



Rissman, Rebecca – Shapes in Sport

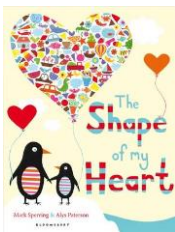
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Wheels, pitches, shapes you make when playing sport, balls etc all shown in photographs.



Sharratt, Nick – My Mum and Dad Make Me Laugh Patterns!

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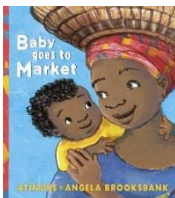


Sperring, Mark – The Shape of my Heart

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A sharing story with pictures to pore over and discuss.

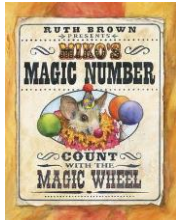
ADDITION AND SUBTRACTION



Atinuke – Baby goes to Market

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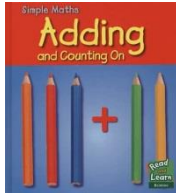
Wonderful, vibrant illustrations bringing to life a busy market. This covers subtraction as the baby eats the fruit in the basket. Could also discuss patterns and capacity.



Brown, Ruth – Miko's Magic Number

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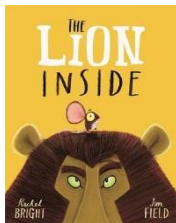
Who does not like a magic trick! Use the wheel to add and subtract to reach the magic number hidden at the end. A delight and interactive.



Leffingwell, Richard – Adding and Counting On

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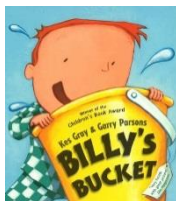
SIZE



Bright, Rachel – The Lion Inside

Y

The front cover tells it all. Will the tiny mouse be brave enough to stand up to the big scary lion?



Gray, Kes – Billy's Bucket

Y

Billy wants a bucket for his birthday and it is amazing just what he finds in his bucket, including a whale!



Hart, Caryl – Big Box Little Box

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Deceptively simple text to describe all kinds of boxes which this cat can not resist.



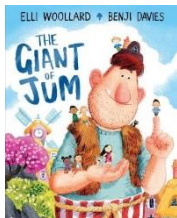
Hopgood, Tim – Big!
Looks at comparative size.

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Walter, Jackie – What Size Is It?
Part of the My First Maths series

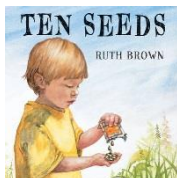
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Woollard, Elli – The Giant of Jum
Alternative version of Jack and the Beanstalk in which the giant decides that cake tastes much better than children!

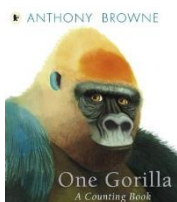
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COUNTING



Brown, Ruth – Ten Seeds
Counts backwards whilst describing the life cycle of a plant.

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Browne, Anthony – One Gorilla
For all primate lovers!

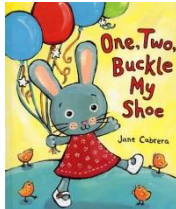
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Brownlow, Mike – Ten Little Monsters

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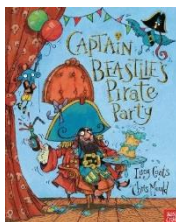
This author and illustrator have produced several in this series which includes princesses and pirates.



Cabrera, Jane – One, Two, Buckle My Shoe

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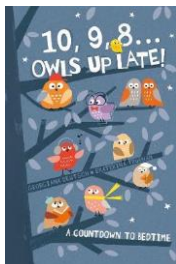
Classic nursery rhyme



Coats, Lucy – Captain Beastlie's Pirate Party

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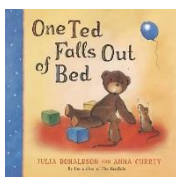
Counting down the days to the pirate's birthday.



Deutsch, Georgiana – 10, 9, 8... Owls Up Late!

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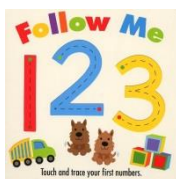
Bedtime rhyming text counting backwards. Repetitive text will encourage the children to join in.



Donaldson, Julia – One Ted Falls Out of Bed

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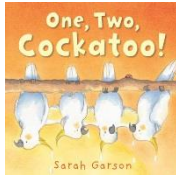
Lovely toy story counting from 1 – 10 and back again.



Follow Me 1 2 3

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Board book which also indicates how to form the numbers.



Garson, Sarah – One, Two, Cockatoo!

This is great to read aloud.

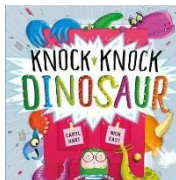
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Gray, Kes – How Many Legs!

Great fun counting all the different legs as the animals arrive at the party. Correct answer is found at the back.

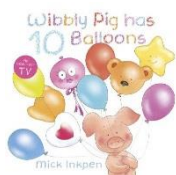
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Hart, Caryl – Knock, Knock Dinosaur

Dinosaurs causing mass destruction as they arrive at a little boy's home. Rhyming text.

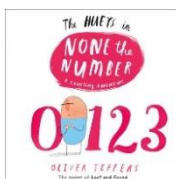
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Inkpen, Mick – Wibbly Pig has 10 Balloons

Popularity of balloons never fades until they go 'pop'. Does Wibbly end up with a balloon?

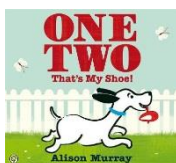
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Jeffers, Oliver – The Hueys in None the Number

Introduces the concept of 0 as a number.

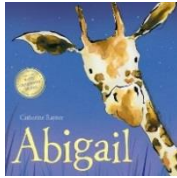
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Murray, Alison – One Two That's My Shoe

Alternative version of nursery rhyme.

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Rayner, Catherine – Abigail

Giraffe is trying to count the animals but they are moving too fast or there are too many of them. Lovely for patterns too.

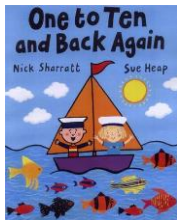
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Sandall, Ellie – Everybunny Count!

Playing hide and seek and counting to 10.

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Sharratt, Nick – One to Ten and Back Again

Perfect title to describe the book.

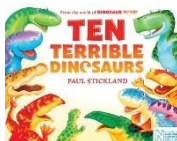
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Slater, Nicola – Where' My Jumper?

Whilst looking for his jumper, Rudy discovers lots of other animals.

Y



Stickland, Paul – Ten Terrible Dinosaurs

A classic and as good as ever.

Y

Y = Picture Book/ P = Picture Book for Older Readers
M = First Steps/N = Next Steps
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