

## Number Early Learning Goal

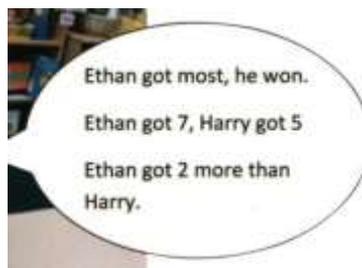
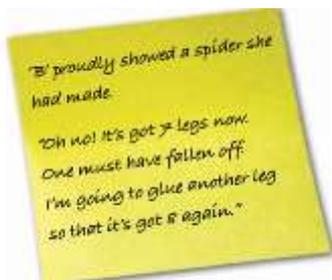
Your children are very confident at using numbers to ten, we need to extend this to twenty and get them solving problems involving numbers.

### What is the Early Learning Goal?

Children count reliably with numbers from one to 20, place them in order and say which number is one more or one less than a given number. Using quantities and objects, they add and subtract two single-digit numbers and count on or back to find the answer. They solve problems, including doubling, halving and sharing.

Skills	Advice for parents!
I can use numbers from 1 to 20 in the right order when I am counting things or singing rhymes.	Sing number rhymes with your child every day! Get your child to count out pennies or sweets
I can tell you what "one more" or "one less" is when you say a number.	Play a fast paced game with your child where they have to say one more/one less than the number you give them. Play it with a friend who can get the answer first!
I can add groups of 2 things together and tell you how many I have got altogether and take things away from a group to tell you how many things I have got left.	Practice basic addition with your child – play an addition game with two dice, roll the dice and add the numbers together `practice subtraction by choosing a number and rolling the dice and taking that amount away! Keep it simple and fun!
I can solve problems that are important to me like sharing snacks between me and my friends so that we all have the same number of pieces of fruit.	Let your child set the dinner table – how many plates, forks, spoons will they need? Ask your child to share out their sweets with their friends can the make it fair?

### Here are some examples of maths work from children who have achieved the Early Learning Goal



During a registration Christopher was able to confidently answer how many children would be in the class if we had 1 more or 1 less. Also when asked how many children were away today and how many were left Christopher confidently replied "2 are away that leaves 27".

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