



Paint by Number Together Time

Color by Number

Look through your child's coloring books and choose one with pictures having large spaces to color. Then put the numbers 1 through 10 inside these large spaces. On a separate piece of paper, write the numbers 1 through 10 in order and ask the child to decide what color should go with each number. Then have the child color in the picture according to the chart you have just made. Use numbers 10 through 20 for the next picture!



Many Pennies

Start a penny jar! When your penny jar has enough pennies to work with, empty the pennies on the kitchen table and count them with your child. Count the pennies ones (one, two, three, four, etc)—count as high as your child can go. Then count the same group of pennies by twos (2, 4, 6, etc) and by fives (5, 10, 15, etc). You may have to help the child stack up groups of two pennies or five pennies before counting. Point out that you can get an accurate count in several ways. Look for other items in the home that can be counted by ones, twos, and fives. Examples may include buttons, paper clips, toy blocks, and more.