

# **Home Learning Pack**

### **Dear Parents**

- We have provided several tasks that will support your child's learning during the current school closure.
- Many of the tasks are based on what the children would have been studying in class.
- Work can be recorded in your child's Home Learning book where appropriate.
- As teachers will not be able to oversee or feedback on this work, any support you can provide will be helpful.

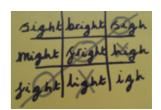
# Year group: Reception Curriculum area \*Each session will be split into 3 sections to be completed – keep it short and snappy, approx 15-20 minutes. These sessions will be revisiting sounds/words that have been taught in class\*

### Session 1

'Revisit' – All sounds taught so far – flashcards (Page 7-12)

'Practise' –. Introduce igh. Discuss the picture, what are the children doing? Our rhyme is: fly high. (Page 11) Use or make a Fred the frog to help you sound out igh words (Page 13)

'Apply' – Play phonics noughts and crosses with your child! Use igh words to create a noughts and crosses grid. Sound out the word before placing your naught or cross in the square.



### Session 2

'Revisit' – All sounds taught so far – flashcards (Page 7-12)

'Practise' – Introduce ow. Discuss the picture. Our rhyme is: blow the snow. (Page 11) Ow is special because there are two sounds that the letters o and w can make! Introduce second ow. Our rhyme is: brown cow. (Page 12) Discuss the picture. The same letters sometimes make different sounds! Play

gotcha. Hide both ow sounds within the flashcards taught so far. Show cards, children to shout gotcha and the correct rhyme when an ow sound appears. Eg. Gotcha, brown cow!

'Apply' –Place Ow (blow the snow) and Ow (brown cow) next to each other. Mix together ow – blow the snow green cards (Page 13-14) with ow – brown cow green cards (Page 14). Can your child sound out the words and match them to the correct ow pile?





blow slow

cow down

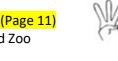
### **Session 3**

'Revisit' – All sounds taught so far – flashcards (Page 7-12)

'Practise' – Introduce oo. Discuss the picture. Our rhyme is: poo at the zoo. (Page 11) Show oo green words and use Fred fingers to sound them out. E.g. the word Zoo would be two fingers! (Page 13)



https://new.phonicsplay.co.uk/resources/phase/2/buriedtreasure Enter your own real and fake oo words. Press play! Or create your own buried treasure game at home. (Page 15)





### Session 4

'Revisit' – All sounds taught so far – flashcards (Page 7-12)

'Practise' – Introduce oo. Discuss the picture. Our rhyme is: look at a book. (Page 11) Show oo green words. (Page 14) Practise sounding the words out. Can you use a different type of voice to sound out each word? E.g. a GIANT voice, a mouse voice, a royal voice, a fairy voice, a slowwww voice. 'Apply' – Play phonics pop, select sounds, igh, ow, oo and oo to begin the game. Pop the bubbles that show the sounds they are saying! <a href="https://www.ictgames.com/phonicsPop/index.html">https://www.ictgames.com/phonicsPop/index.html</a> OR write igh, ow, oo and oo on large paper. Say a sound, get your child to splat that sound with their hand/foot.

### Session 5

'Revisit' – Revisit reading common/ RED words – is, it, in at, and, I, no, go, to, the, my, me, we, be, he, she, was, you, her, they, all, are, said, one, do, so, have, like. 'Practise' – Practise reading red words. (Page 13) You could place words in rice, sand, pasta etc. Get your child to uncover the word and read! 'Apply' – Write a sentence using one or more of our red words. E.g. She was cold.



\*As a school we follow Read, write, inc phonics. They have set up a Youtube channel: <a href="https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCo7fbLgY2oA">https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCo7fbLgY2oA</a> cFClg9GdxtQ to help children learning to read at home during school closure. They are streaming phonics, reading and spelling lessons every weekday. Each lesson is ten to fifteen minutes long and available for 24 hours. See <a href="https://www.ruthmiskin.com/media/filer">https://www.ruthmiskin.com/media/filer</a> public/1b/7d/1b7df13e-4381-4bb5-866b-ac0549394947/ss after easter1.pdf for their weekly timetable.\*

### **English**

### Focus book: The Very Hungry Caterpillar

### Key questions:

- What happens at the beginning, middle, end of the story?
- Can you name an item of food the caterpillar ate in the story?
- What did you like about this story? What was your favourite part of the story?

(online book links/ video clips)

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=75NQK-Sm1YY

Story print out (Page 17-18)

### **ACTIVITY IDEAS:**

• Retell the story in your own words to grown up. You can record/ draw story/ cut out caterpillar resources or use foods in the house to support your retelling. (Page 19)







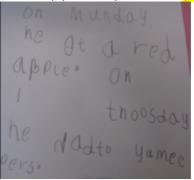
• Make a zig zag book to show all the foods the caterpillar eats.





• Choose your favourite part of the story and write a simple sentence about it, e.g. The caterpillar ate one apple. Use our sound mat to help you form your letters. (Page 20)





\*\* This story links with days of the week. Support your child to help write the date every day and learn a days of the week song\*\* <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mXMofxtDPUQ">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mXMofxtDPUQ</a>

### **Maths**

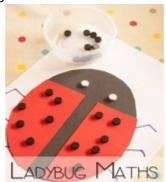
Recap concept of 'doubling'. Ask 'what does it mean?' (two lots of/ the same)

Have some raisins (or any other food item), bricks or any other items in the house. Show children one of the items and ask 'can you double it?'. Ch to show the double and together practise writing as a number sum. Write 1+1=2. Repeat to find doubles of numbers to 5 or 10.

### **ACTIVITY IDEAS**

• Cut out a butterfly shape – paint dots on one side, fold in half, work out the double and write the matching number sum OR draw a ladybird and adult to draw dots on one side of the ladybird. Children to draw matching number of dots on the other side to show the double and write the matching number sum.







• Lego/ cubes – turn over a number card (to 10) and make Lego towers/ tower of cubes to show the double – challenge children to write the matching number sum.



- Have two pieces of paper and objects adult to put a number of objects on one piece of paper and children to put the same on the other to show double. Repeat with another number of objects. Children to write the matching number sum.
- Doubling sheet (Page 21-23)

\*Your child doesn't need to do every page of these sheets, please choose the sheet to match their confidence level. \*

Recap concept of 'halving' - Cut a piece of fruit/ slice of bread etc in half and ask children 'How have I cut these?' 'what do you notice?' (explain to children that you have cut them in half and that the two halves are the same)

Have two teddies and a set of 4 objects. Count the objects with the children and explain that they need to find half of the number and share them equally between the two teddies. Repeat with 6/8/10 objects.

### **ACTIVITY IDEAS**

- Set up a tea party and share some snacks/ play food equally with your guests!
- Have even number cards to 20 and some resources (pasta shells, buttons, pens etc) choose
  a card and practise sharing resources equally so that both groups of objects are the same.
  They can be placed in bowls/ plates/ on two pieces of paper.



Halving number sheet (Page 24-25)

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Listen to 'Counting from 1 -20' song <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=D0Ajq682yrA">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=D0Ajq682yrA</a>
Have plastic bottles with numbers to 10/20 on them. Have them placed in the wrong order and together with children make a number line placing numbers in the correct order. Practise counting along to support children to help them find the next number in the sequence.

### **ACTIVITY IDEAS**

Practical ordering number activities







• make a caterpillar number line



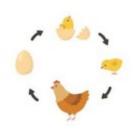


Cut and stick ordering number sheet (Page 26-27)

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### Topic based project based on research

• Discuss the life cycle of a chicken. Can you draw/ write about this lifecycle? You could add to this by boiling and decorating your hard-boiled egg using felt tips pens or paint!







• Make a caterpillar cucumber sandwich – support your child to develop their cutting skills using a knife.





- Make a caterpillar craft of your choice (Page 28)
- Learn the 'Caterpillar Life Cycle' Song. Add some actions to the song and perform this to your grown up! (Page 29)
- Play 'Keep the Balloon up!' outdoor on a calm, windless day, or inside. Have the children use their hands or feet to try and keep the balloon afloat. How long can they keep the balloon off the ground?

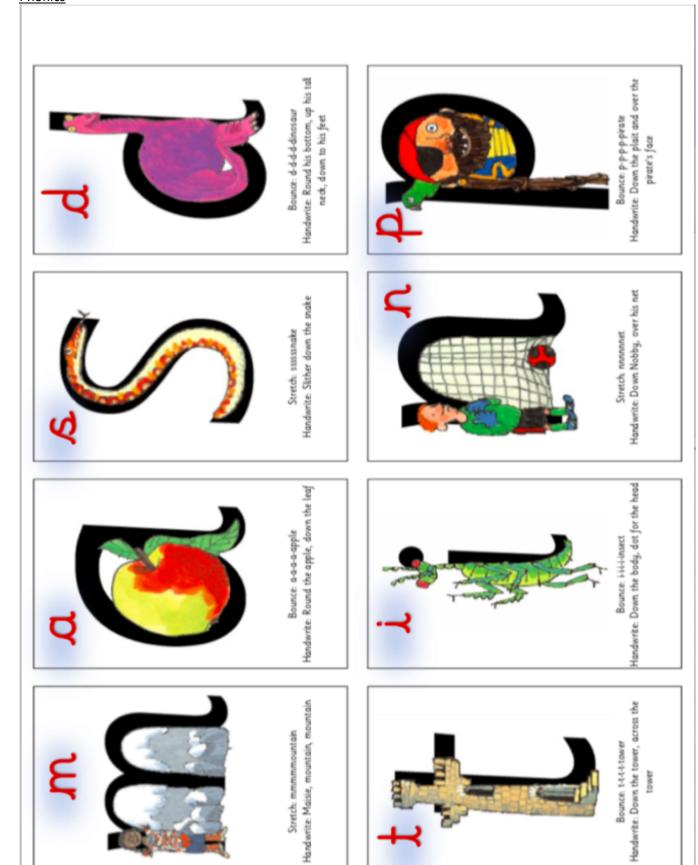
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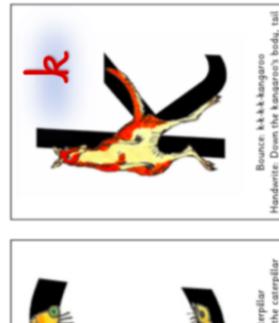
• Use things around the house to make your very own den! Put all of your favourite things in the den and enjoy!

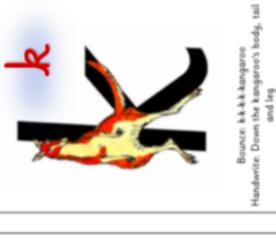














Handwrite: Curl around the caterpillar Bounce: c-c-c-caterpillar



Stretch: IIIflower Handwrite: Down the stem, and draw the leaves

Bounce: e-e-e-egg Handwrite: Lift off the top and scoop out

the egg





Handwrite: All around the orange Bounce: 0-0-0-orange

Bounce: 9-9-9-girl Handwrite: Round her face, down her hair

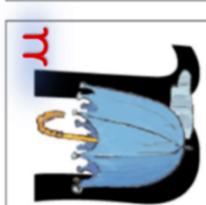
and give her a curl

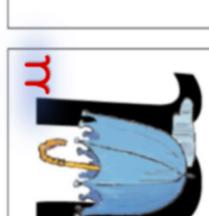


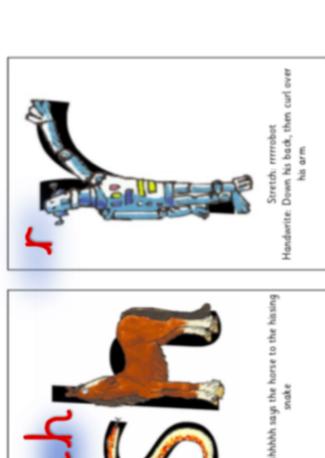
Handwrite: Down the laces to the heel, Bounce: b-b-b-b-boot round the toe

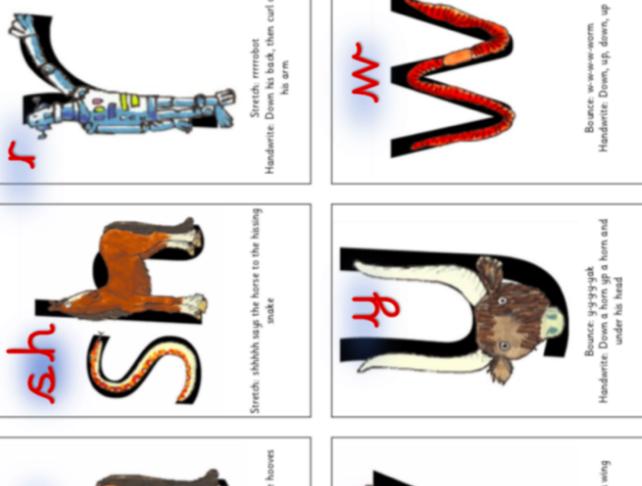


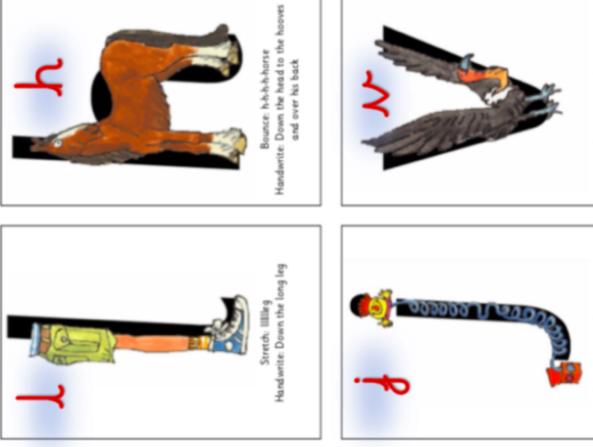
Handwrite: Down and under, up to the top Bounce: u-u-u-umbrella and draw the puddle





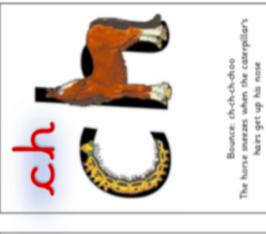






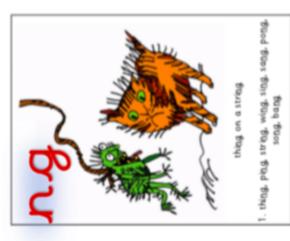








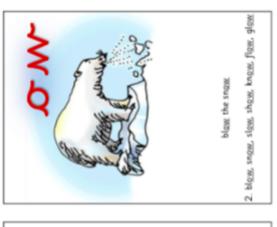


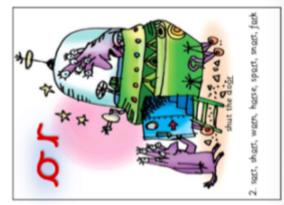




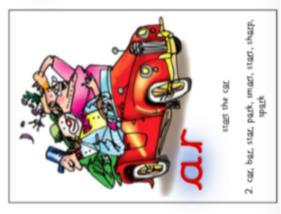


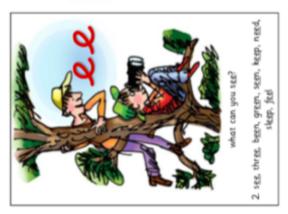
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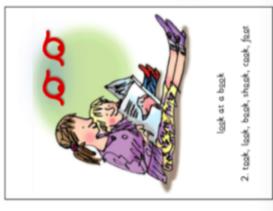






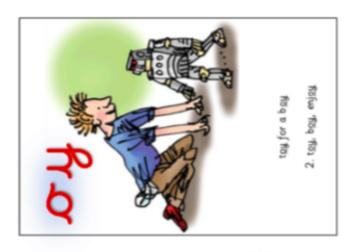




















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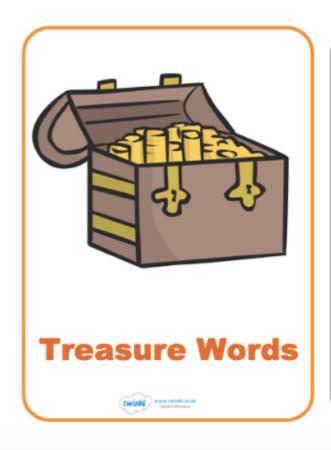
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### The Very Hungry Caterpillar

In the light of the moon a little egg lay on a leaf.



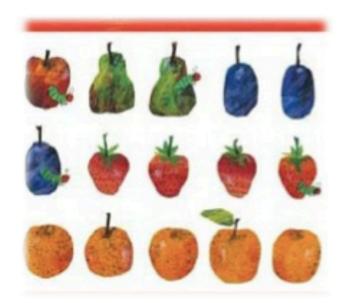
One Sunday morning the warm sun came up and - pop! - out of the egg came a tiny and very hungry caterpillar.

He started to look for some food.

On Monday he ate through one apple, but he was still hungry.

On Tuesday he ate through two pears, but he was still hungry.

On Wednesday he ate through three plums, but he was still hungry.



On Thursday he ate through four strawberries, but he was still hungry.

On Friday he ate through five oranges, but he was still hungry.



On Saturday he ate through one piece of chocolate cake, one ice-cream cone, one pickle, one slice of swiss cheese, once slice of salami, one lollipop, one piece of cherry pie, one sausage, one cupcake and one slice of watermelon. That night he had a stomach ache!

The next day was Sunday again. The caterpillar ate through one nice green leaf and after that he felt much better.

Now he wasn't hungry anymore and he wasn't a little caterpillar anymore. He was a big, fat caterpillar.



He built a small house called a cocoon around himself. He stayed inside for more than two weeks.

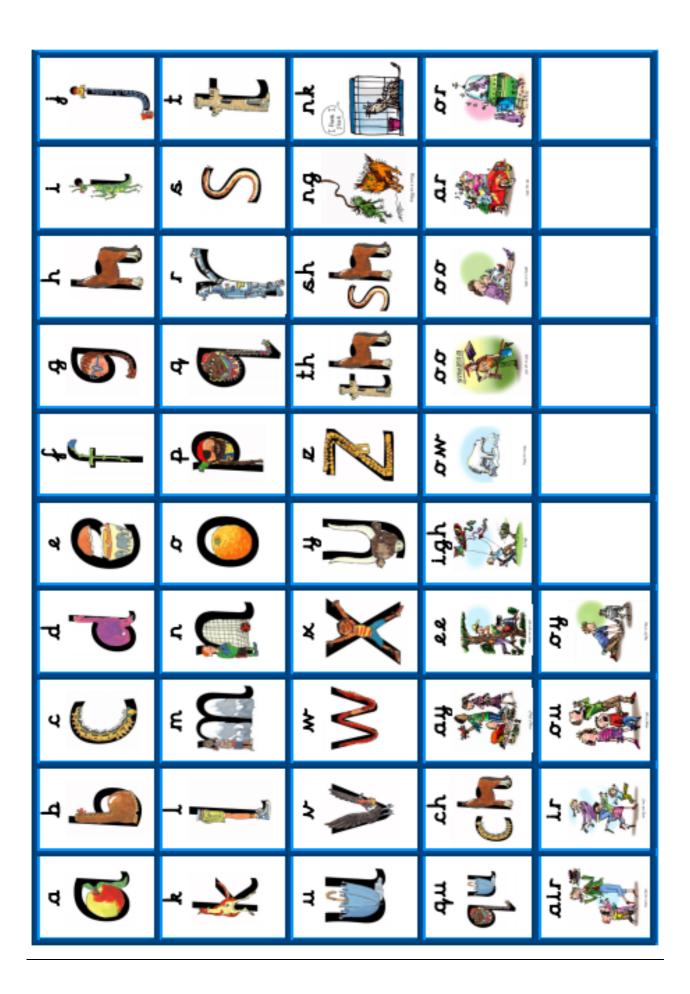


Then, he nibbled a hole in the cocoon, pushed his way out and...



he was a beautiful butterfly!





Write the number sentence for each dice double.

Write the number sentence for each ladybird double.

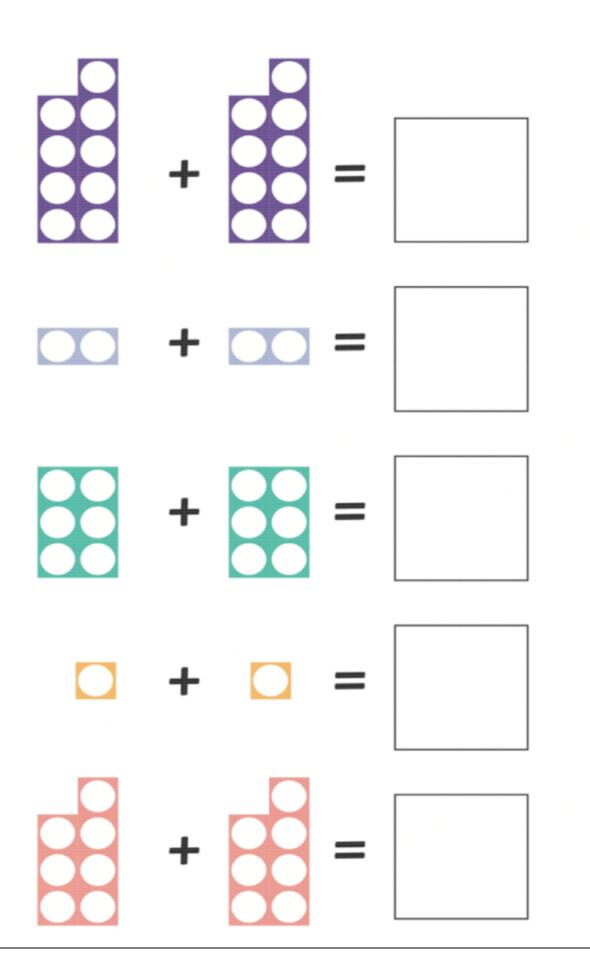




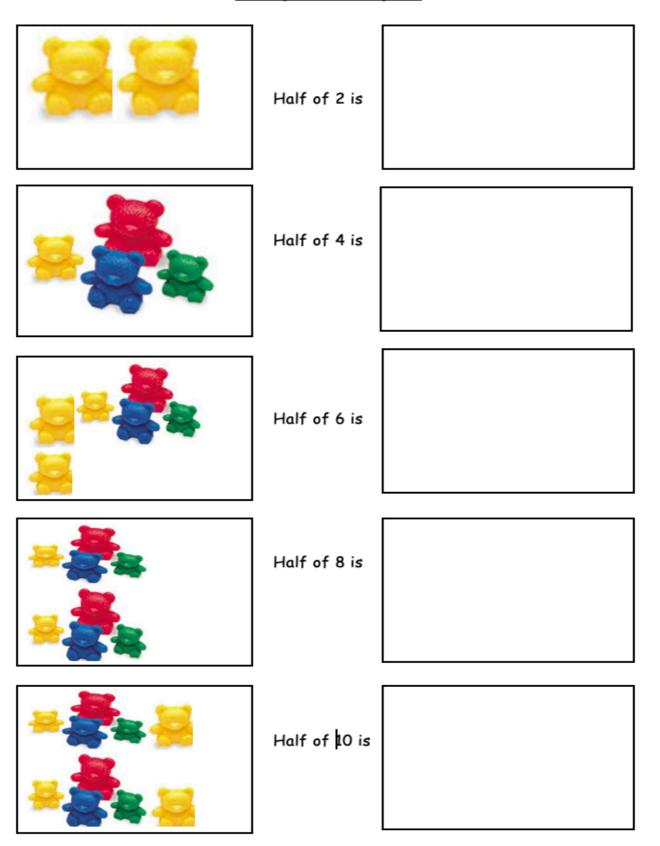




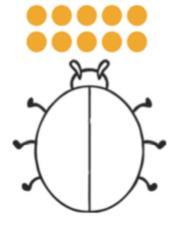




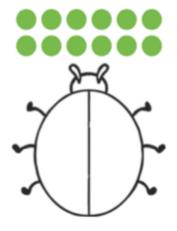
### Halving a set of objects



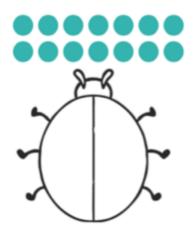
# **Ladybird Halving to 20**



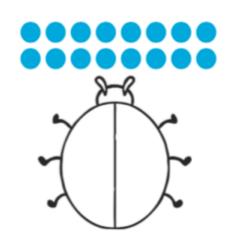
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Half of 12 is \_\_\_\_\_



Half of 14 is \_\_\_\_\_



Half of 16 is \_\_\_\_\_



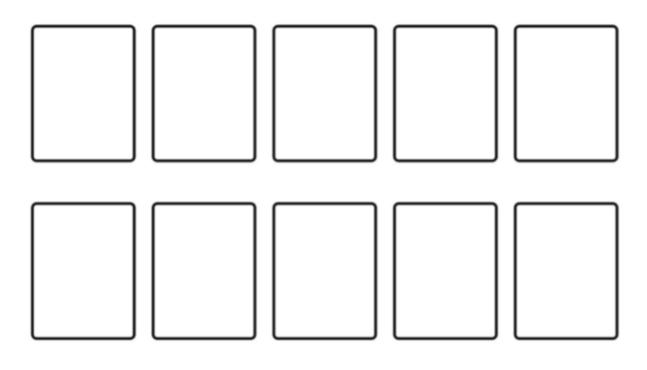
Half of 18 is \_\_\_\_\_



Half of 20 is \_\_\_\_\_

# Ordering Numbers 1 to 10

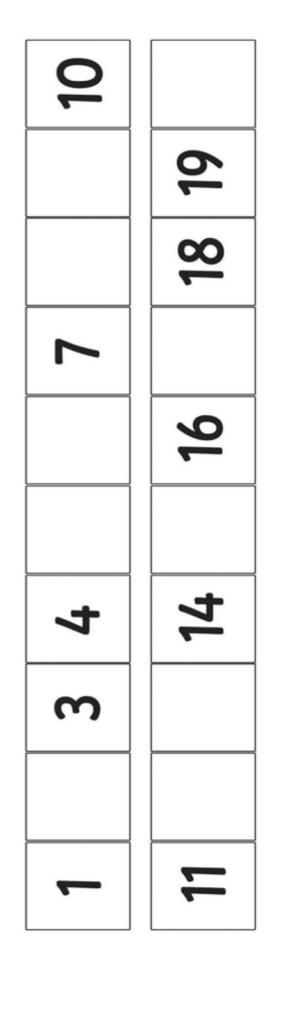
Cut out the cards and order the numbers from the smallest to the biggest.



3 2 7 4 8

5 | 10 | 9 | 1 | 6

# Ordering to 20 Cut and Stick Activity Sheet



Cut out the numbers below. Stick them in the correct order above.



### Caterpillar craft ideas













# Caterpillar Life Cycle Song

(Sing to the tune of 'Mary had a little lamb'.)

A caterpillar has 12 eyes, Has 12 eyes, has 12 eyes. A caterpillar has 12 eyes, So that he can see!

A caterpillar chews on leaves, Chews on leaves, chews on leaves. A caterpillar chews on leaves, To get some energy!

> Now he rests in a cocoon, A cocoon, a cocoon. Now he rests in a cocoon, And becomes a butterfly!!

