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Guess My Number

Play a number game that challenges your number sense.

What to do

What you need

- Two players
- Crayons
- Markers
- Scissors
- Small paper bag
- Number copies

1

Decorate your bag.

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Player 2 guesses the number.

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Cut out the numbers and place them in the bag.

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Once the correct number is guessed, players switch roles and play again. *What are the most difficult numbers to guess? Why?*

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Player 1 picks a number from the bag.

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For an added challenge name the number that comes before or after that number.

For Parents

As children play with numbers and become more acquainted with number properties, they develop a stronger number sense to help with problem-solving. These skills will also help with counting, computation, algebra, etc. Play again, but keep track of the number of questions needed to figure out the number. What happens to the number of questions needed as you guess more numbers?

