

## Maths – Summer Term - Week 8

### The Number 3

Watch the number blocks number 3 song.

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/watch/numberblocks-the-three-song>

**Representing the number (please see separate sheet, if you would like to print)**

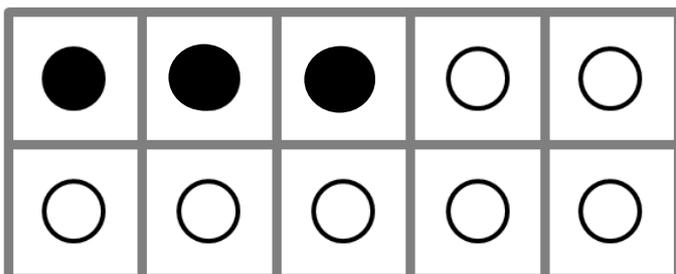
Represent 3 on your fingers and explain this is three.



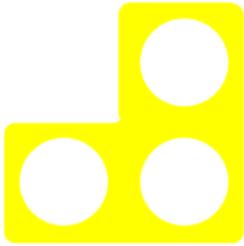
Show 3 toys or 3 pieces of fruit.



Represent 3 on a 10 frame.



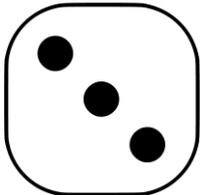
Show and discuss a number 3 numicom piece. Why is it number 3? What colour is it?



Show the number blocks character.



Show a number 3 on a dice.



### Recognising the number

Show the numeral 3. Describe the number using the rhyme we use in school. 'Bumpety bump, number 3.' Can you write the number in the air.



### Number hunt

Can you find something in your home, which shows the number 3? This could be a dice, a piece of paper with the number on, a jigsaw piece, a foam letter, a clock etc. How many can you find?



### Physical counting

Can you do one jump? One hop? One roll?



### Counting

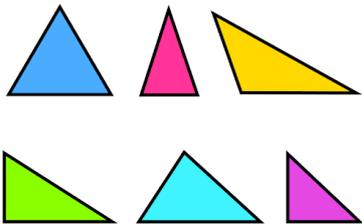
Ask your child to go and find three things and bring it to you. E.g can you bring me 3 Superheros?

Group some objects together, some with 1 in, some with 2, some with 3 etc. Which pile or group of objects has 3 in it?



### Shape

Draw a triangle. Explain that any shape with 3 sides is a triangle. Draw different types of triangle, is this still a triangle? Draw a circle, why is this NOT a triangle?

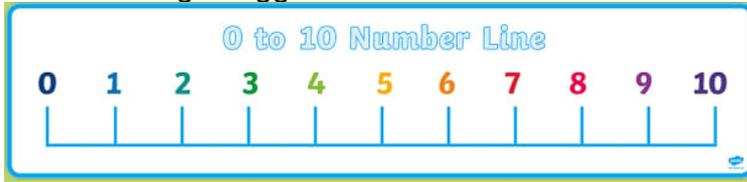


Can you use 3 lolly sticks to make a triangular bird feeder? Simply use peanut butter to stick the bird seed onto your lolly sticks.



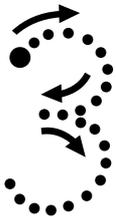
**One more, one less (see downloadable number line)**

Show a basic number line. Can you find the number 3? What comes before the number? What comes after? Introduce the language, one more and one less. Does the number get bigger or smaller?



**Writing the number**

Using the number rhyme above practise writing the number. You can practise in the number 3 booklet.



**Number bonds**

Which numbers can we add together to make 1. Present this with your child's favourite toy in 2 circles.

$$0+3 = 3$$

$$1+2 = 3$$

$$2+1 = 3$$

$$3+0 = 3$$

**Celebrate**

You are now a number 3 expert. Can you give yourself 3 claps? 3 pats on the back?

