

Everyday Math Guideposts * Kindergarten

Guidepost #1

- Count forward from 0 to 21
- Count backward 10 to 0
- Read numbers 0 to 10
- Compare lengths, matching ends
- Recognize penny and know value
- Match one to one

Guidepost #2 (by November marking period)

- Count forward 0 to 35
- Count backward 10 to 1
- Read numbers 1 to 15
- Recognize and name shapes: triangle, square, circle, rectangle
- Recognize simple examples of symmetry

Guidepost #3

- Count forward 0 to 50
- Count backward 12 to 0
- Understand each "teen" number as 10+ a digit
- Use concepts of greater and less than to find a number
- Read and record amounts of pennies using the "cents" sign
- Generate, continue and copy patterns (2 part)

Guidepost #4 (by March marking period)

- Write the numbers from 0 to 10
- Count forward from 0 to 70
- Count back from 15 to 0
- Skip count with the group by 2's, 5's, and 10's
- Count with a calculator
- Explore using a variety of measuring tools

- Identify a dime and a nickel
- Participate in telling addition number stories
- Discuss graph outcomes with group

Guidepost #5

- Count forward 0 to 90
- Count back 15 to 0
- Count tally marks
- Count on, varying starting points
- Identify a quarter

Guidepost #6 (by June marking period)

- Count forward 0 to 115
- Count back from 20 to 0
- Read time to the nearest hour on an analog clock
- Participate in subtraction stories
- Make and continue 3-part patterns

Guidepost #7

- Count forward 0 to 115
- Count back from 20 to 0
- Skip count by 2's, 5's and 10's
- Write numbers from 0 to 20
- Read 3 digit numbers
- Recognize and understand "1/2"
- Estimate time, on analog clock, using the hour hand only
- Know the value of penny, nickel, and dime; recognize quarter