

Maths Mastery Home Learning Challenge

Adult Guidance

What Are We Learning?

We are learning how to estimate how many objects we can see and then how to check by counting them.

How to Set up the Challenge

- Collect ten different socks.
- Place them in a basket.

How to Get Your Child Thinking

- Were the socks easier to estimate in the basket or on the floor, why?
- Did looking for groups of socks help you to make an estimate? How did this help?
- Can you explain how you checked how many socks there were?



Estimating and Counting Socks



- Can you explain what an estimate is?
- Can you estimate how many socks are in the basket?
- Tip the socks out on to the floor.
- Now can you spot any groups of socks together?
- Can you estimate again then check how many there are by counting them?