

Print the April monthly pack and use it to teach the children a variety of concepts.

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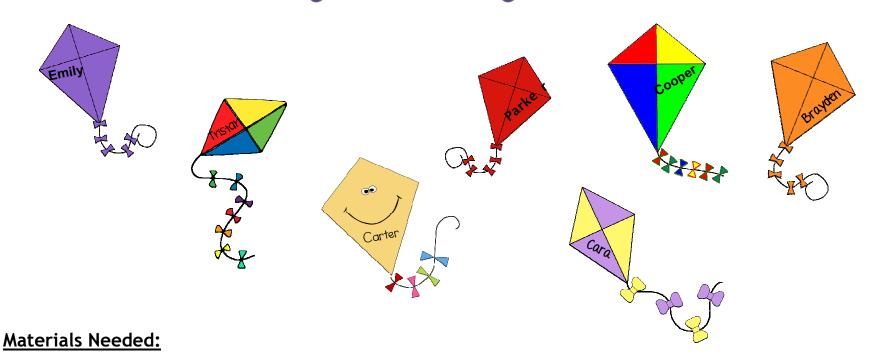
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April Bulletin Board Soaring Through Preschool



Construction paper Crepe Paper/Streamers

Description:

Encourage the children to cut kites out of colored construction paper and add a tail out of crepe paper or streamers. Invite each child to write their name on their kite.

Playdough Recipe



No Cook Lavender Playdough

Materials Needed:

2 cups flour

1 cup salt

2 tbsp vegetable oil

2 tbsp cream of tartar

1 to 1.5 cups of boiling water (start with up to 1, mix it as below, then add a little more until it is just right)

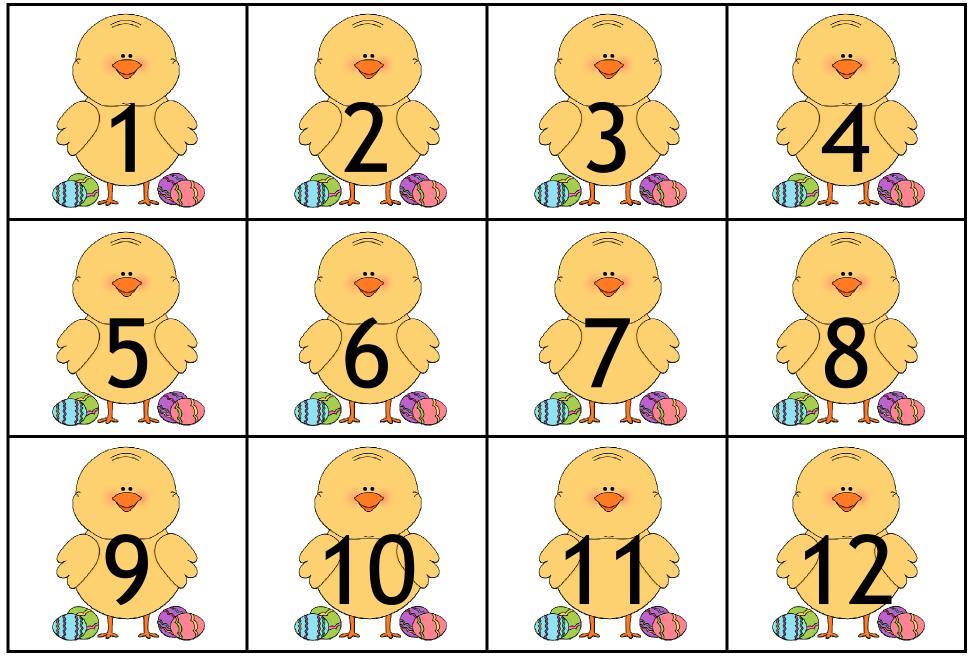
a big squeeze of liquid food coloring

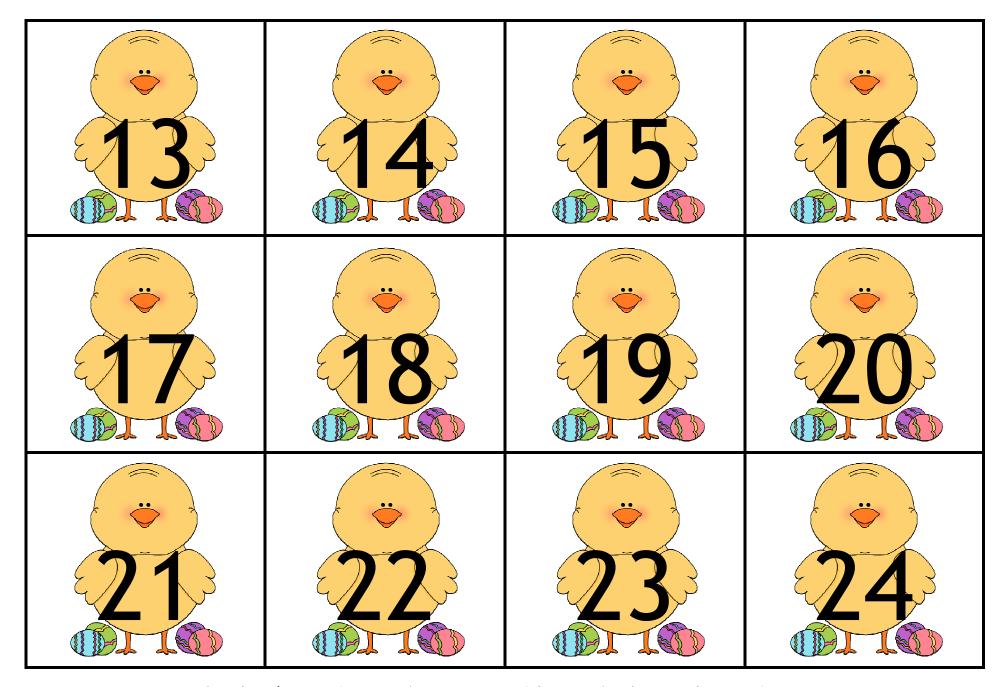
a few drops of glycerine

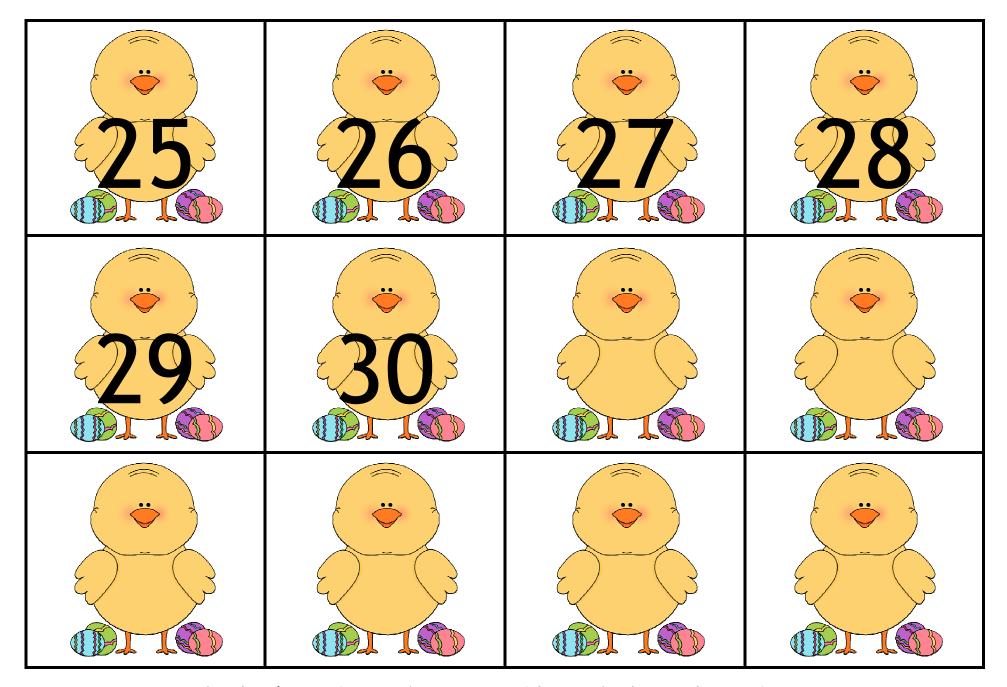
Lavender Essential Oil

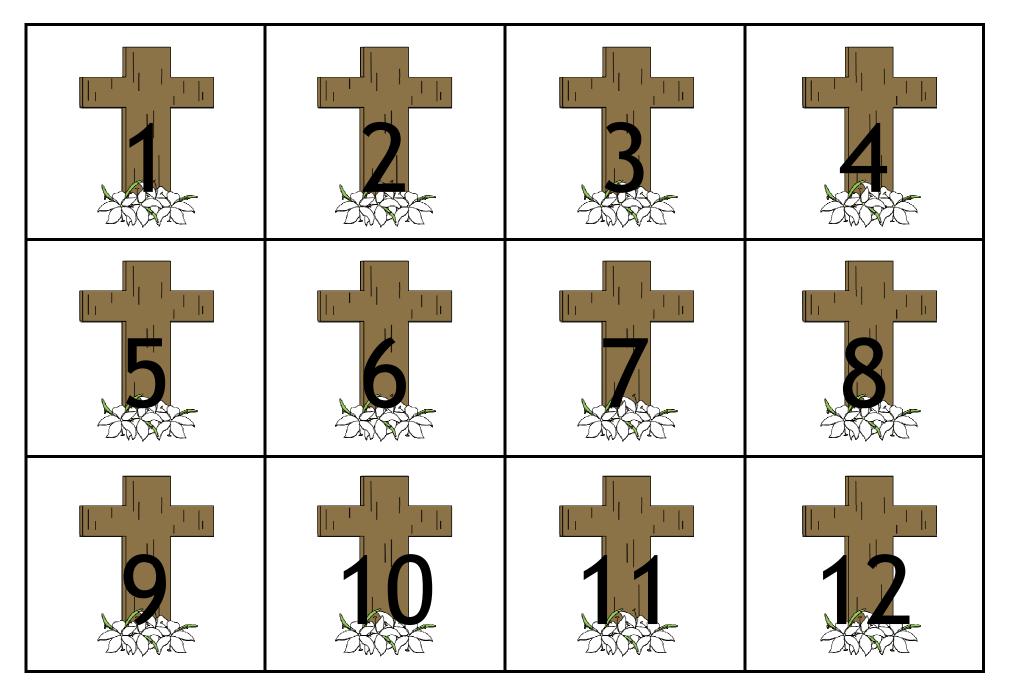
Mix the dry ingredients. Stir through the oil. Add the boiling water and stir vigorously until all lumps are gone and it begins to come together. Then knead it until it stops being sticky. Add coloring. Add in the lavender at this final stage.

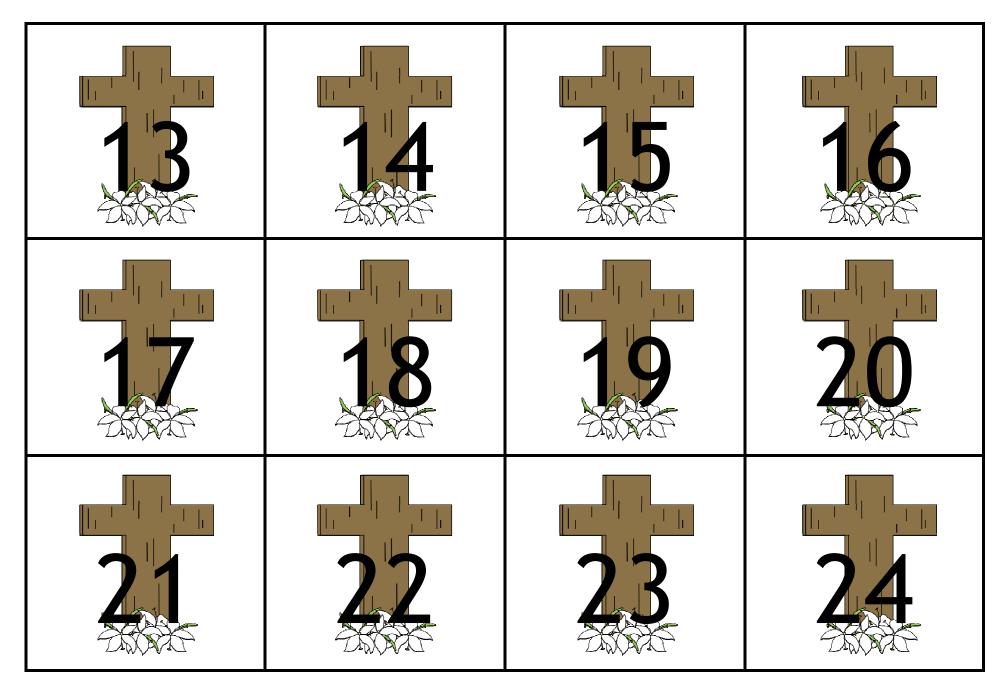
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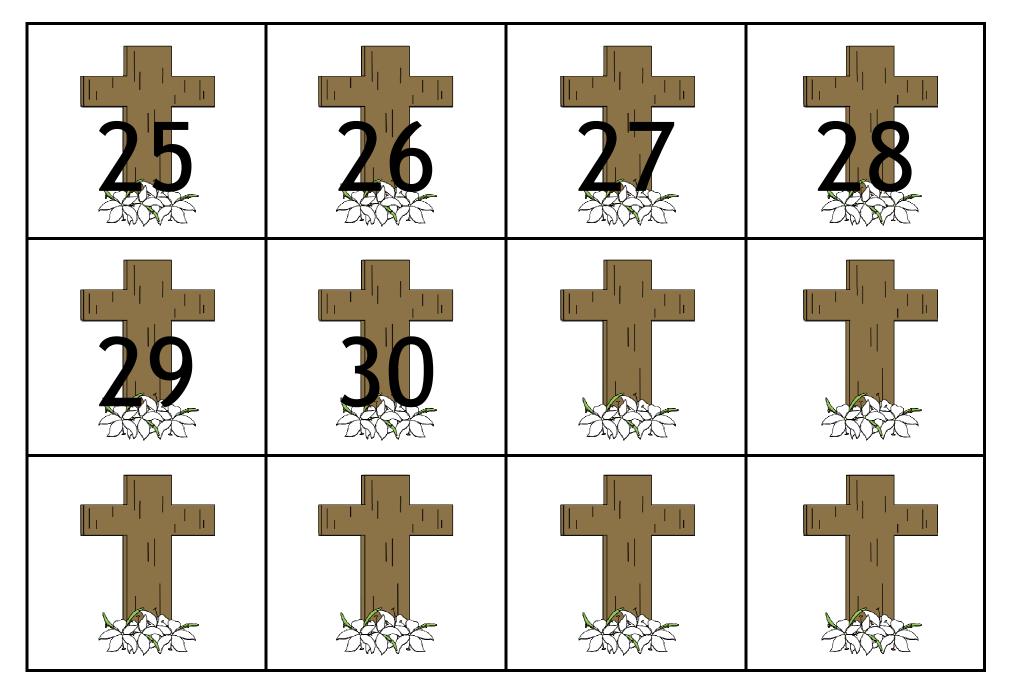








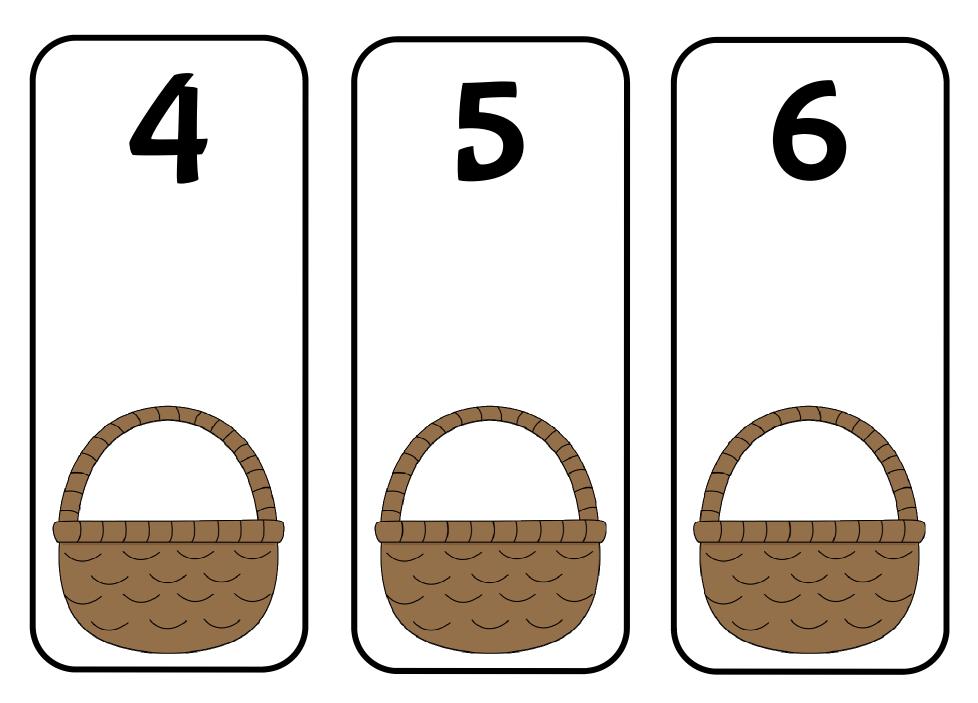


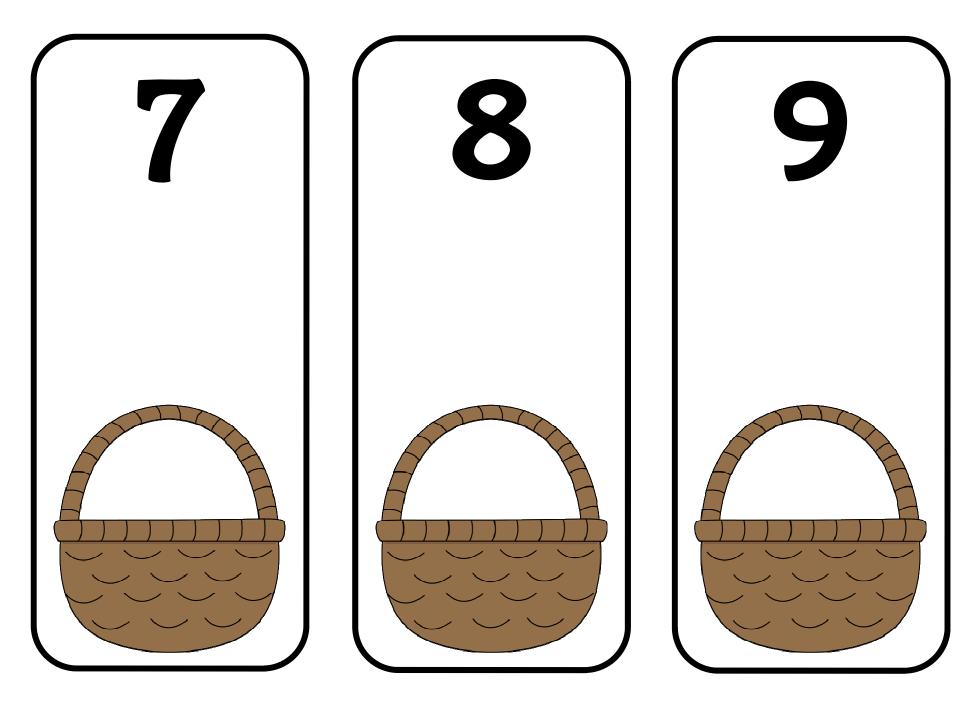


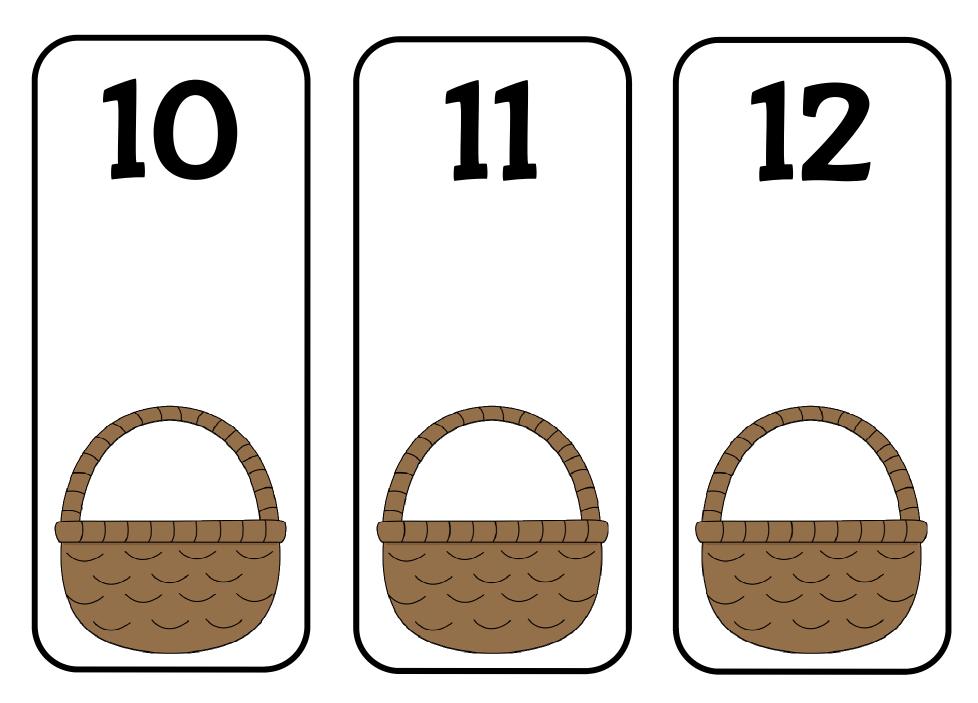
Sign In/Sign Out Sheet

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	Mon	day	Tues	day	Wedn	esday	Thurs	day	Fri	day
Child's Name	IN	OUT	IN	OUT	IN	OUT	IN	OUT	IN	OUT

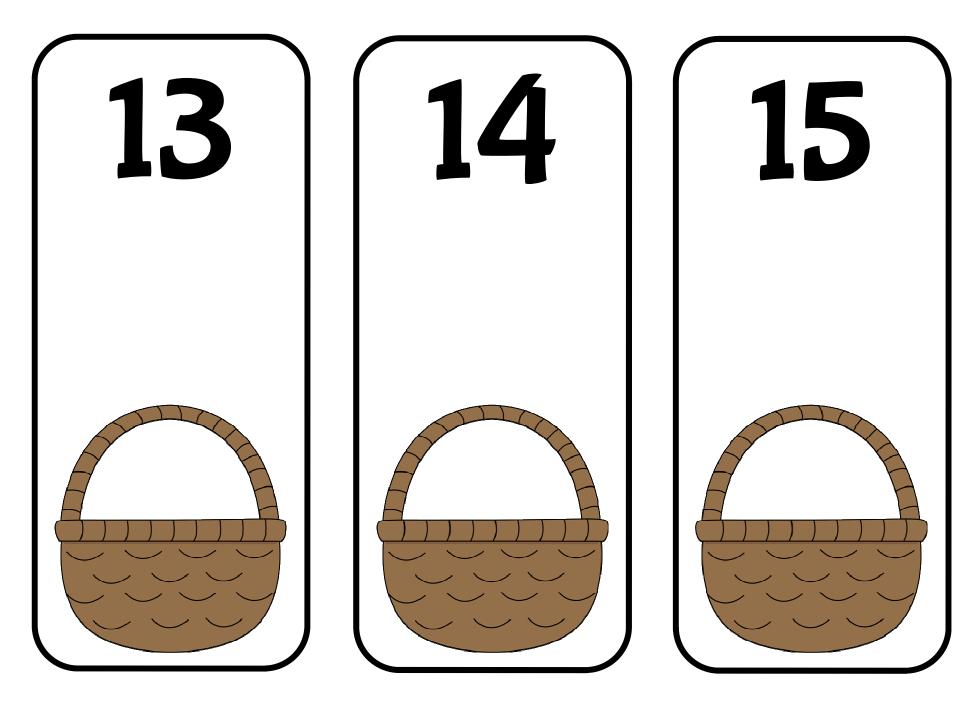


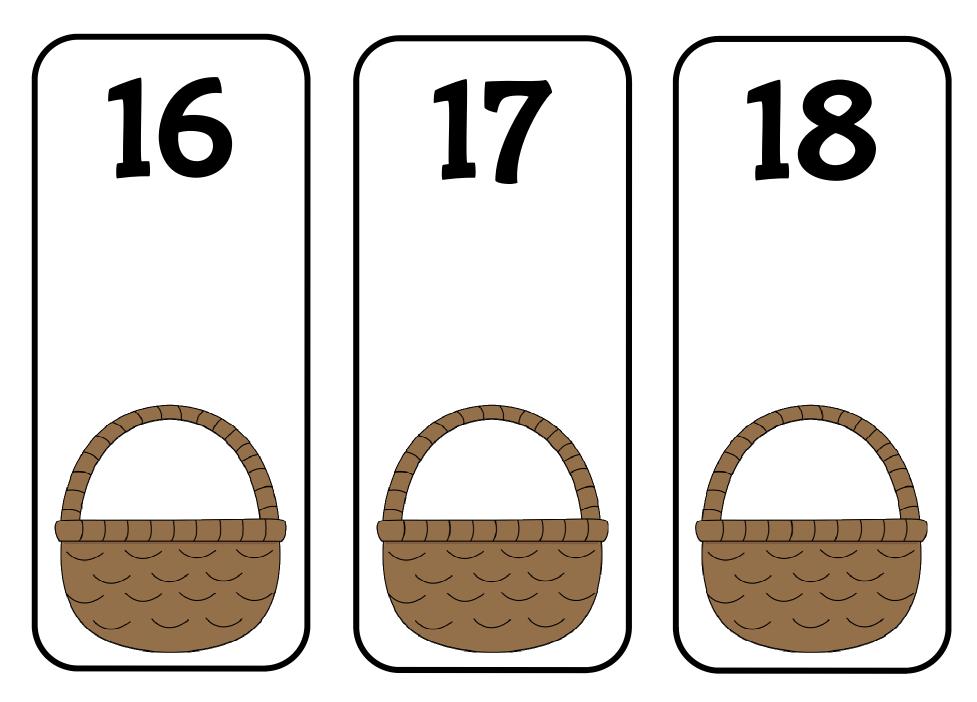


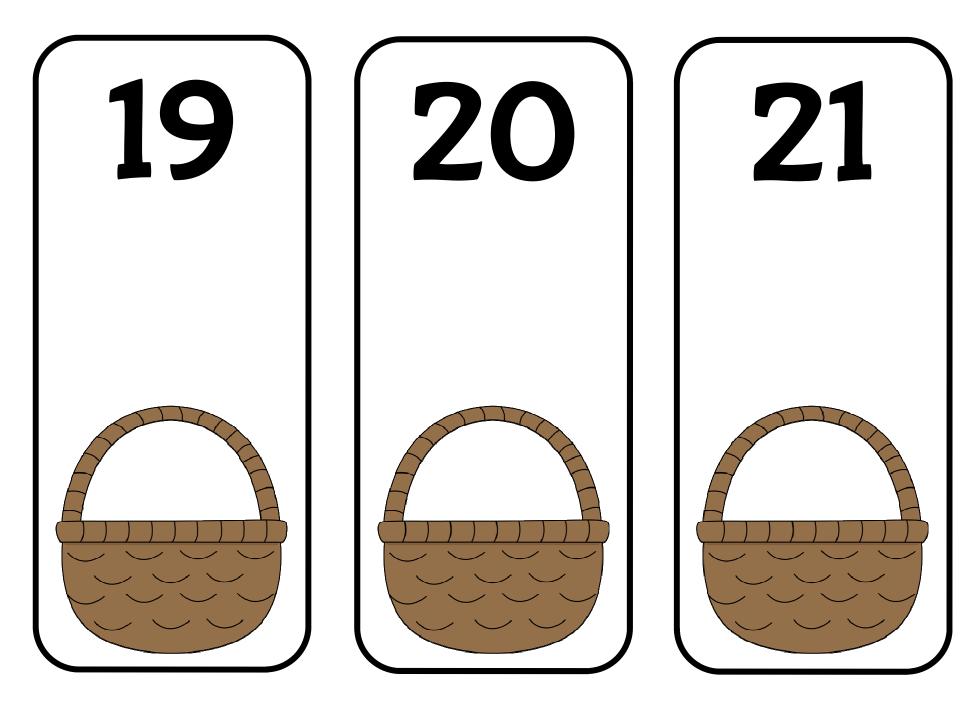


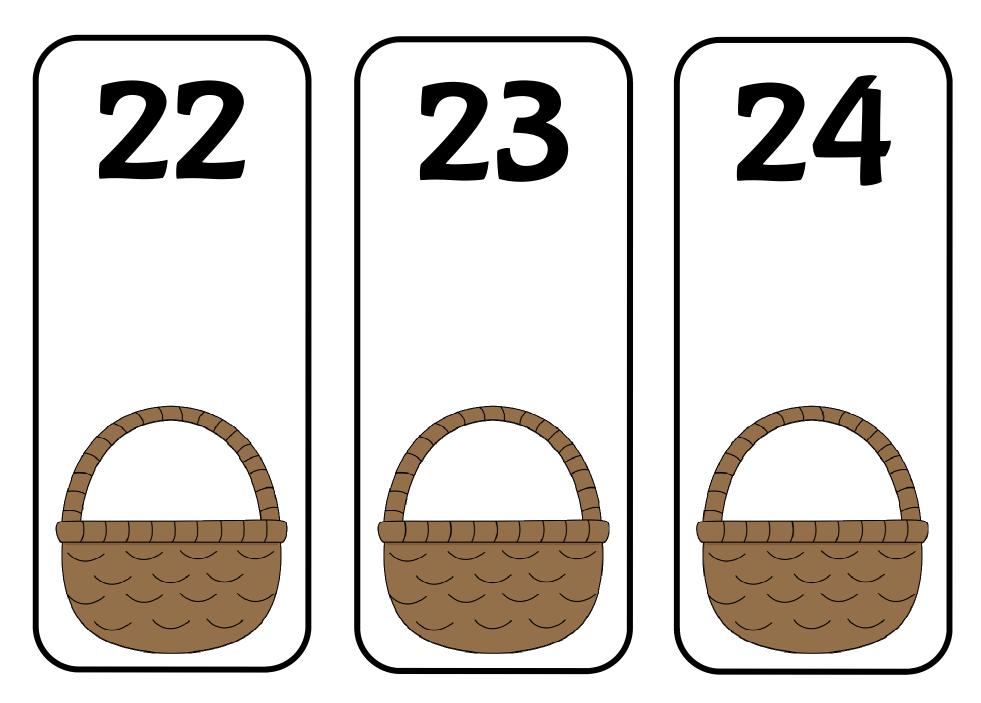


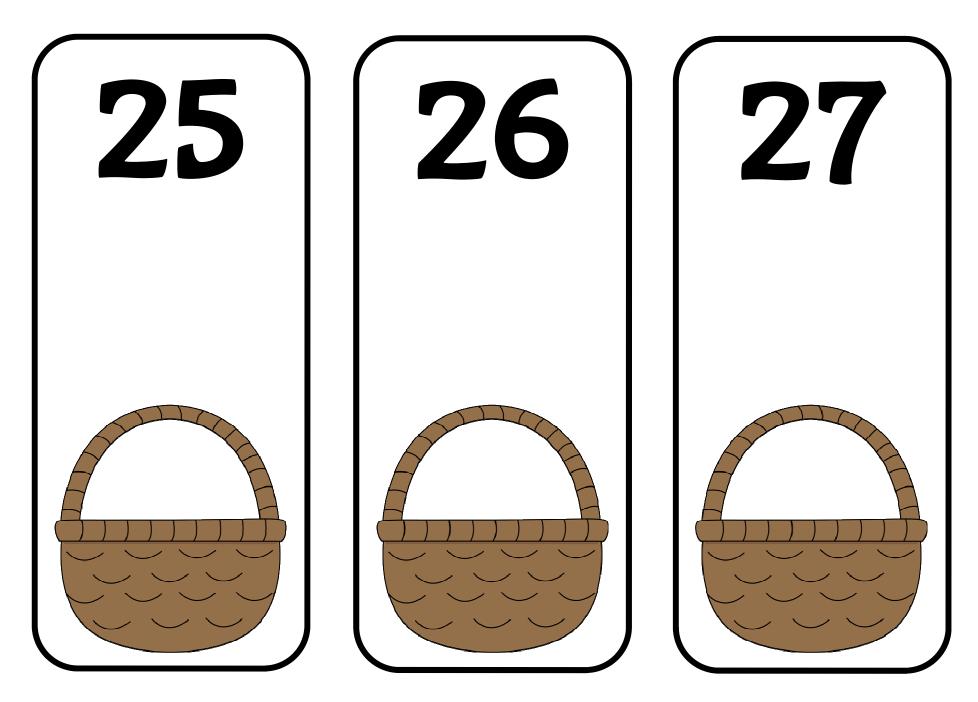
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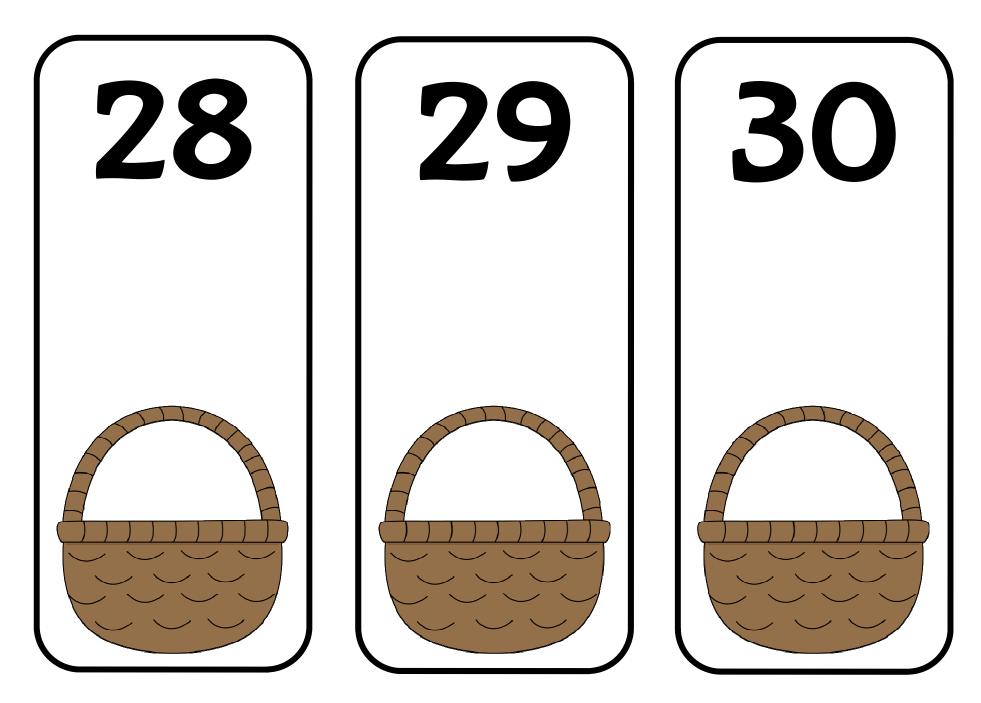










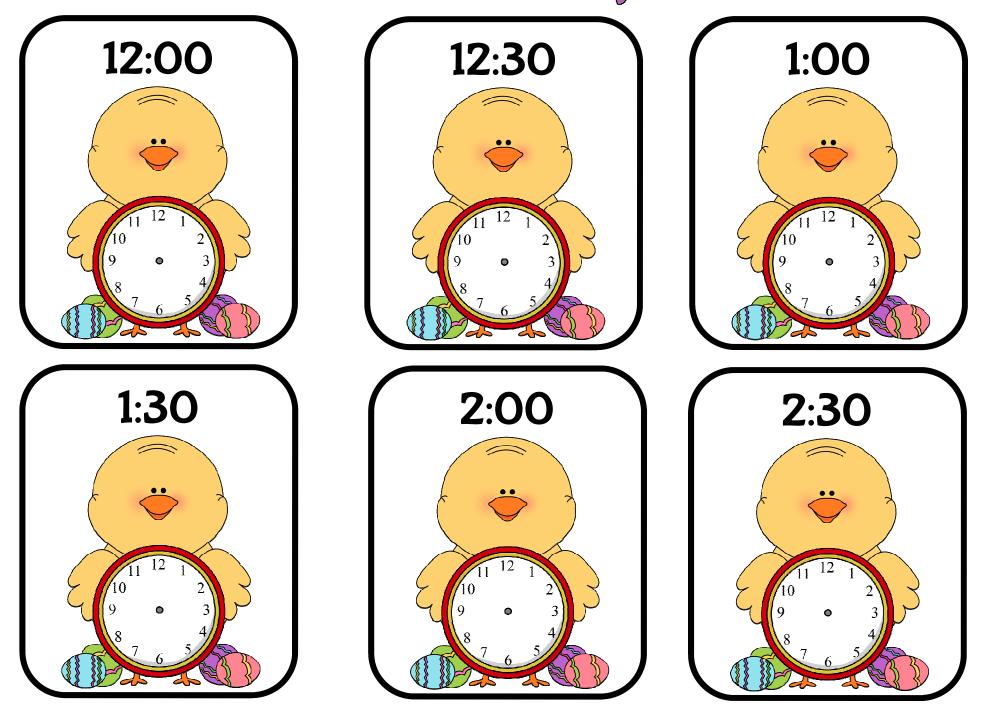


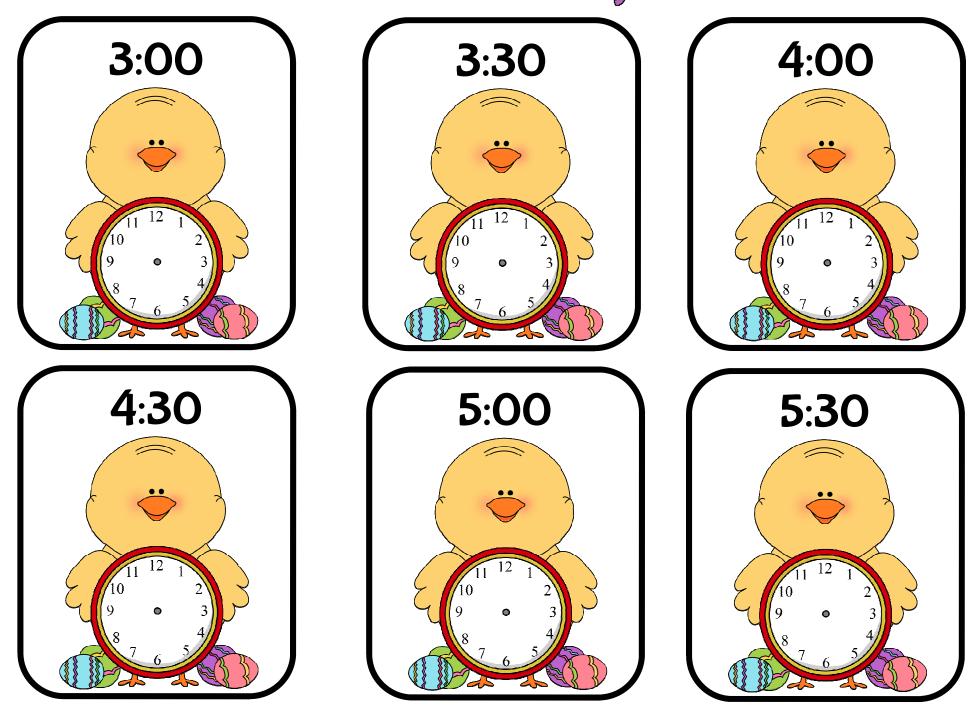


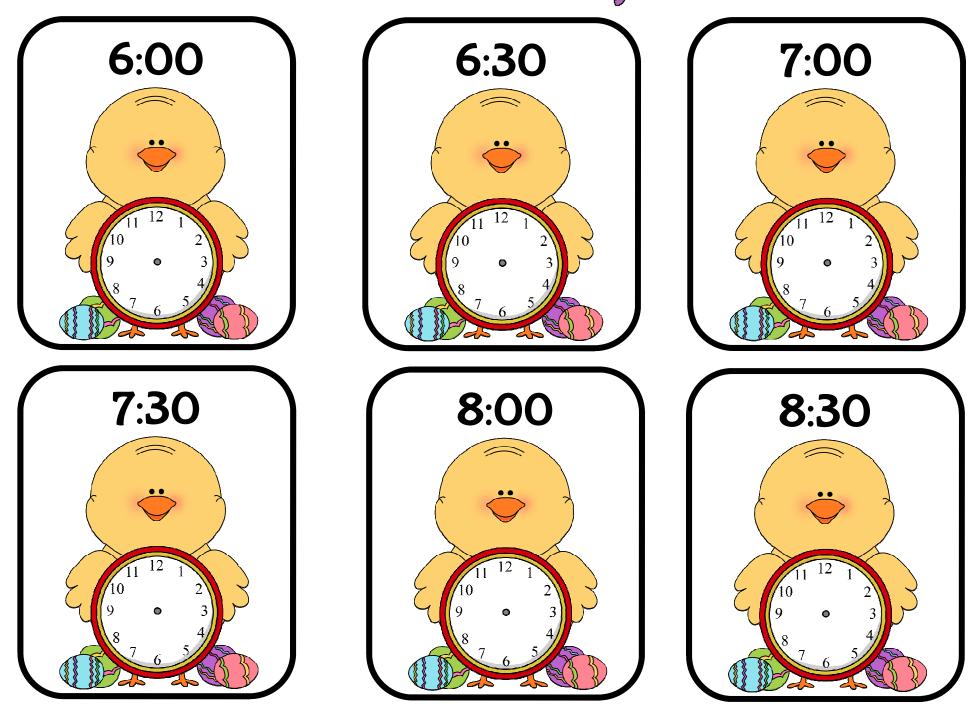


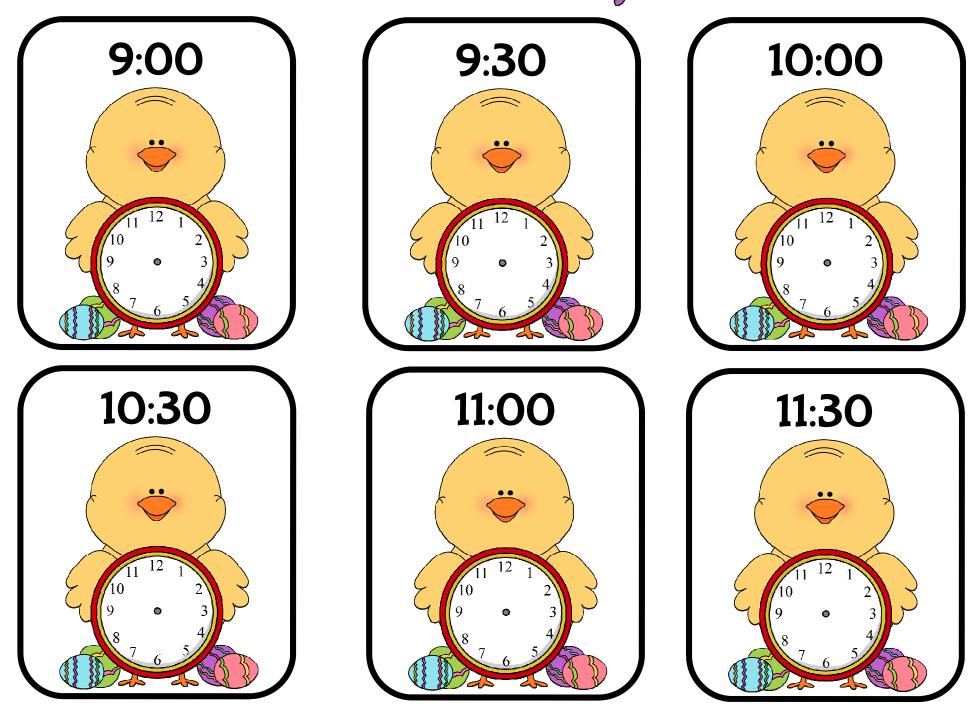






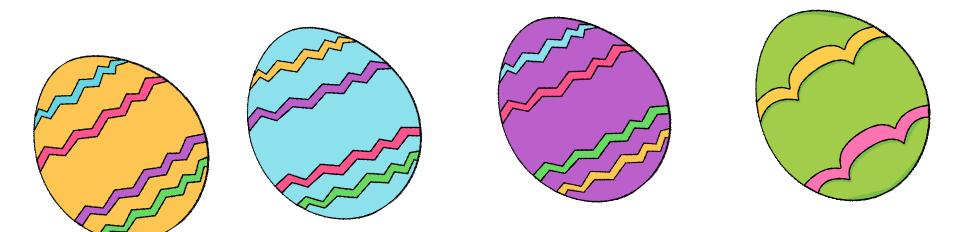






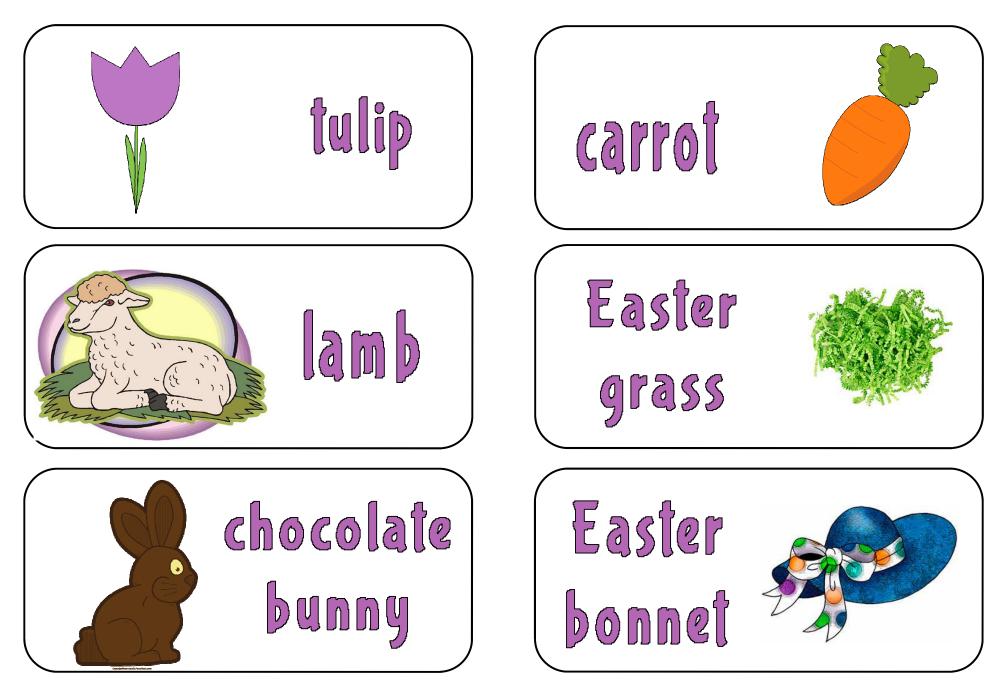


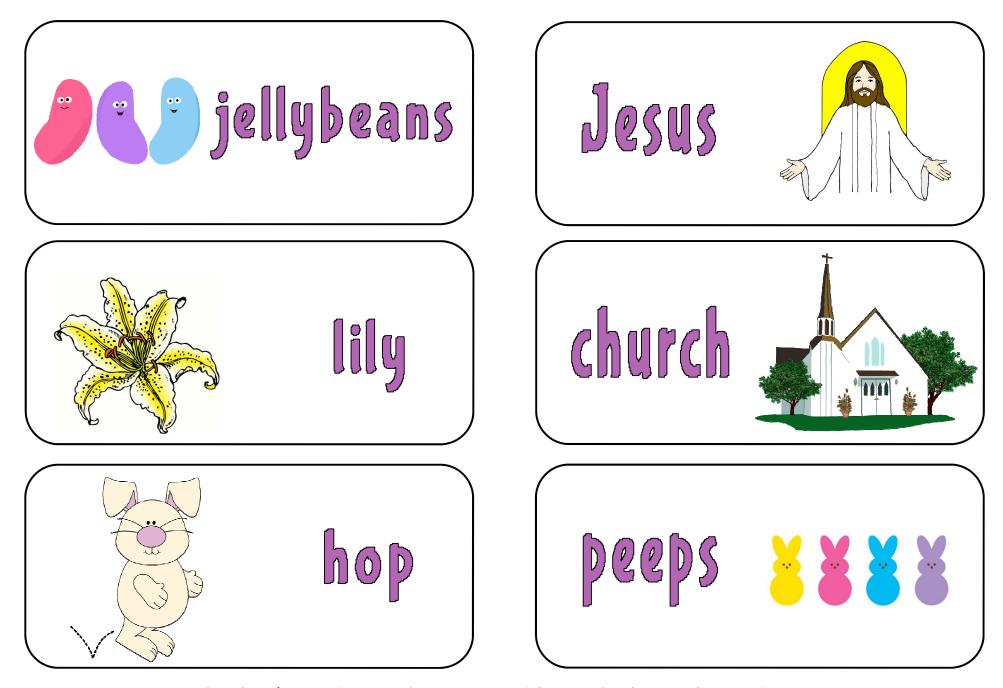




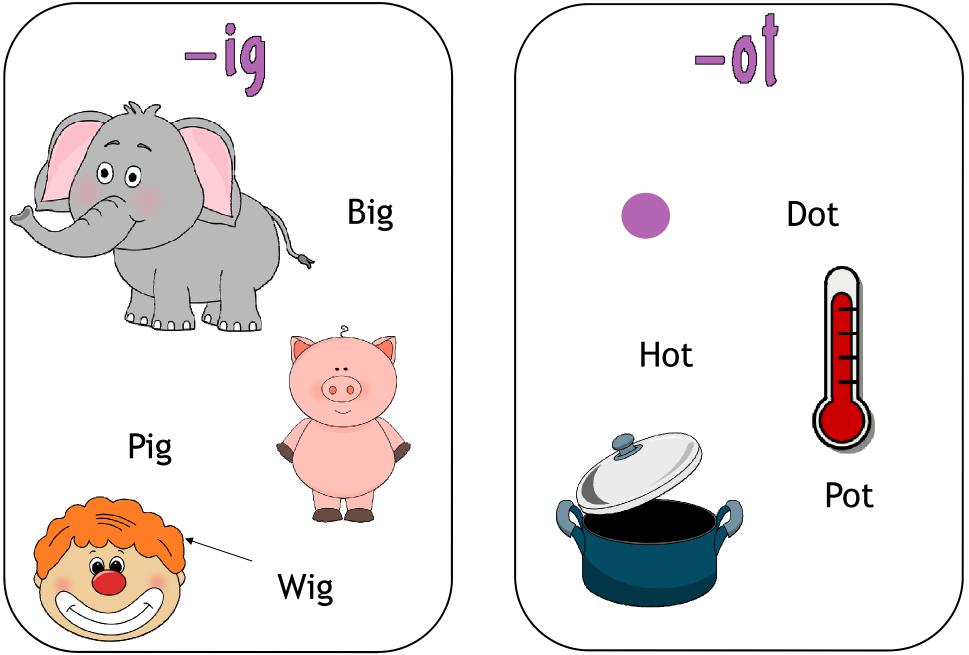


Easter Word Wall Easter Easter C99 basket hunt Easter Easter bunny eggchick Cross

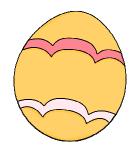


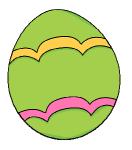


Word Families



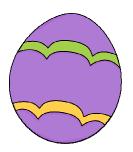
Easter Fingerplay

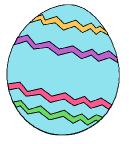






Five little Easter eggs, lovely colors wore Mother ate the blue one, then there were four Four little Easter eggs, two and two you see Daddy ate the red one, then there were three Three little Easter eggs, before I knew Sister ate the yellow one, then there were two Two little Easter egg, Oh what fun Brother ate the purple one, then there was one One little Easter egg, see me run I ate the last one, and then there were none





Natural Easter Egg Dye

Materials:

Begin by looking through your kitchen for brightly colored materials that stain when spilled. Coffee, tea, grape juice and red wine make interesting egg dyes. Plant materials from fruits, vegetables and kitchen spices can also be used to make interesting dyes.

To get different colors, use these materials:

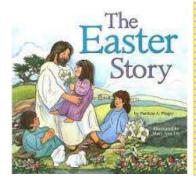
Brown or tan: strong coffee Dark purple: red wine Green: spinach leaves Blue: red cabbage Orange: yellow onion skins Yellow: grated carrots Pink: beets or cranberry juice

Directions:

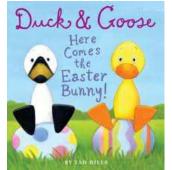
Place hard boiled eggs into your desired "dyes" overnight to reach desired colors. Fruit and vegetable materials should be ground up and added to water. Adding a little vinegar to each dye color helps the dye set.

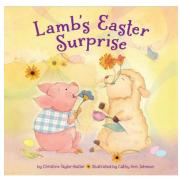


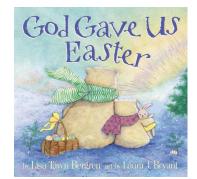
Books to Read

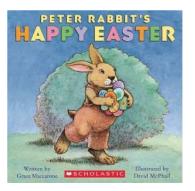




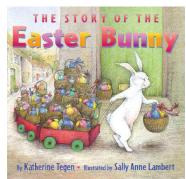


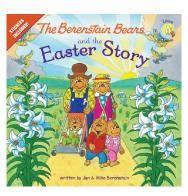


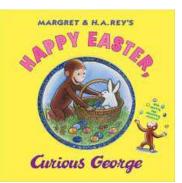


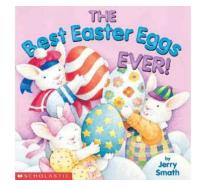


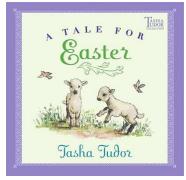


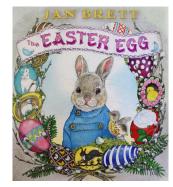


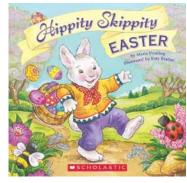


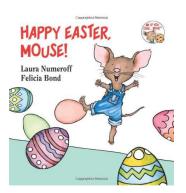






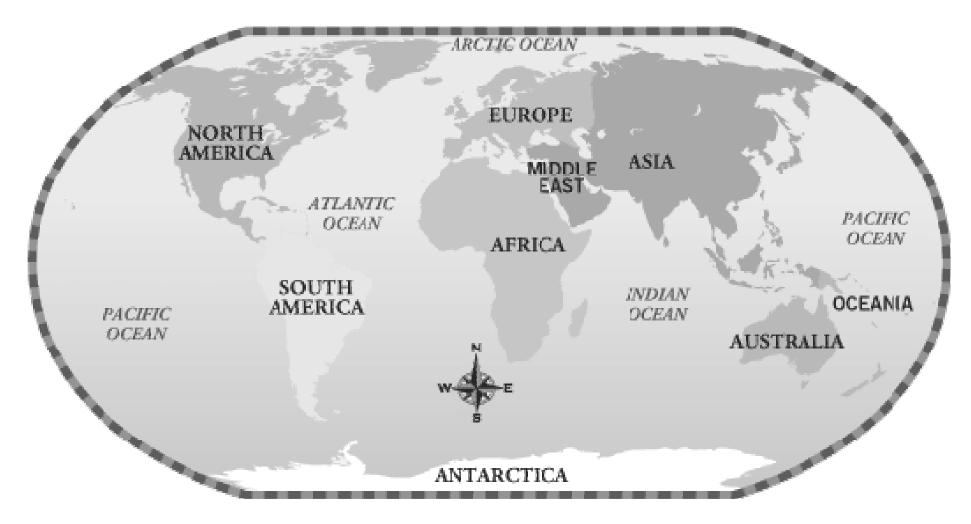






Easter Around the World

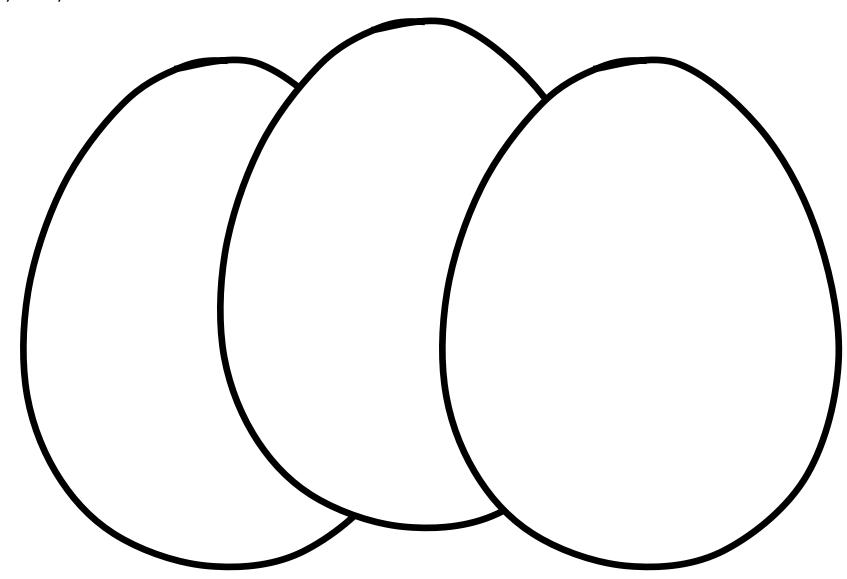
Directions: Do some research online with your children to see how different parts of the world celebrate Easter. Some interesting country are: Norway, Finland, Germany, France, Italy, China, Japan, and of course the United States.



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Easter Egg Art

Directions: Provide the children with crayons, markers, or paint to decorate their eggs anyway they wish.





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