

All about the Number 17

Home Learning Challenges

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Explore outside for some natural materials, such as stones, twigs, leaves and flowers. Can you make the numeral 17 out of the materials you have found?

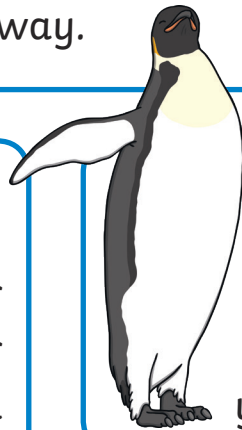
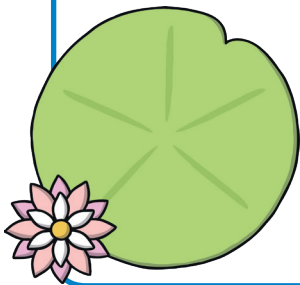


17 challenge! From your toy box, count out 17 items. Then, count out 17 building bricks and 17 books. If you added one more item, how many would there be in each pile? Next, practise counting backwards from 17 when you are putting each item away.



Can you see the number 17 on this page? Can you trace over the numbers at the bottom of the page? You could try writing the number 17 on your own too.

Create number lily pads by writing numbers 1-17 on pieces of paper or paper plates. Can you hop or jump from number lily pad to lily pad? Make sure you say each number that you land on. Can you count and jump forwards? What about backwards?



There were 20 penguins on an iceberg. 3 dive into the water. How many are left on the iceberg? Draw a picture to help you work out the answer.

Take 17 tiny steps and count as you do them. How far do you travel in 17 tiny steps? Now try with 17 big steps.

