



# Key Instant Recall Facts (KIRFs)

## EYFS Autumn term 2

**I know the number names in order to, at least, 10.**

This term's KIRF is to be able to say the number names in order to at least ten.

**Zero, one, two, three, four, five, six,  
seven, eight, nine, ten.**

### Top Tips

- The secret to success is practising little and often.
- Use time wisely. Practise on the way to school or during a journey.
  - Count whenever possible:  
Count stairs as you're climbing them.  
Count socks and shoes as you're putting them on.  
Count cars going past.  
When reading a book, count items in the pictures.
- Model counting as much as possible to your children so they hear the number names in the correct order.

### Questions to Ask

How many forks have I got? Let's count them together.

How many cows are in the field in this picture?

How many fish fingers have you got for tea tonight?

### Game Ideas

- Use songs to help. For example:  
1,2,3,4,5 once I caught a fish alive  
One, two buckle my shoe