



Key Instant Recall Facts (KIRFs)

EYFS Spring term 2

I know which pairs make a given number to, at least, 5

This term's KIRF is to know pairs of numbers that add together to make numbers up to, at least, 5.

<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>
0 and 1	0 and 2 1 and 1	0 and 3 1 and 2	0 and 4 1 and 3 2 and 2	0 and 5 1 and 4 2 and 3

Top Tips

- The secret to success is practising little and often.
- Incorporate this into your child's play / everyday activities. For example. I need 5 forks to lay the table. I have 3 already. How many more do I need?
- Ask your child to repeat the number sentence after they've answered a question. For example above, say, "3 and 2 make 5"
- Spot how numbers are made up in images. For example, I can see 3 birds: 2 flying in the sky and 1 on the fence. 2 and 1 make 3.

Questions to Ask

How many more do I need to make ___? (E.g. 5)

How do you see the 4 ___? (E.g. birds)

Game Ideas

- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=y1oa6o0fMKk>
- Roll a dice, how many more do I need to make ___?
- Find a number of objects. Split them into 2 groups in different ways. How have you made ___?