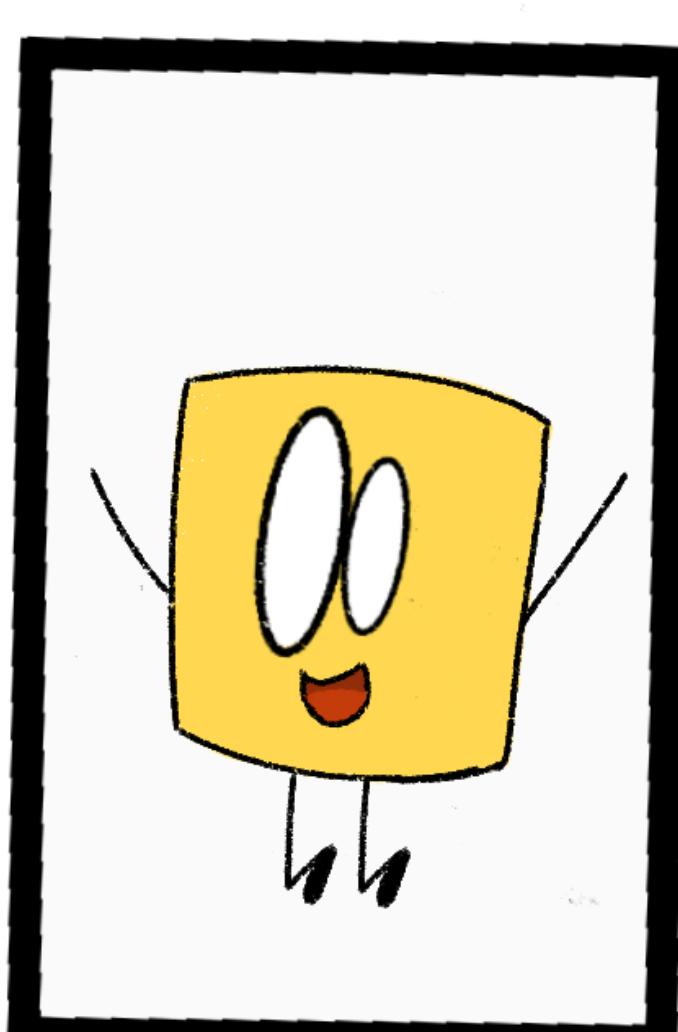
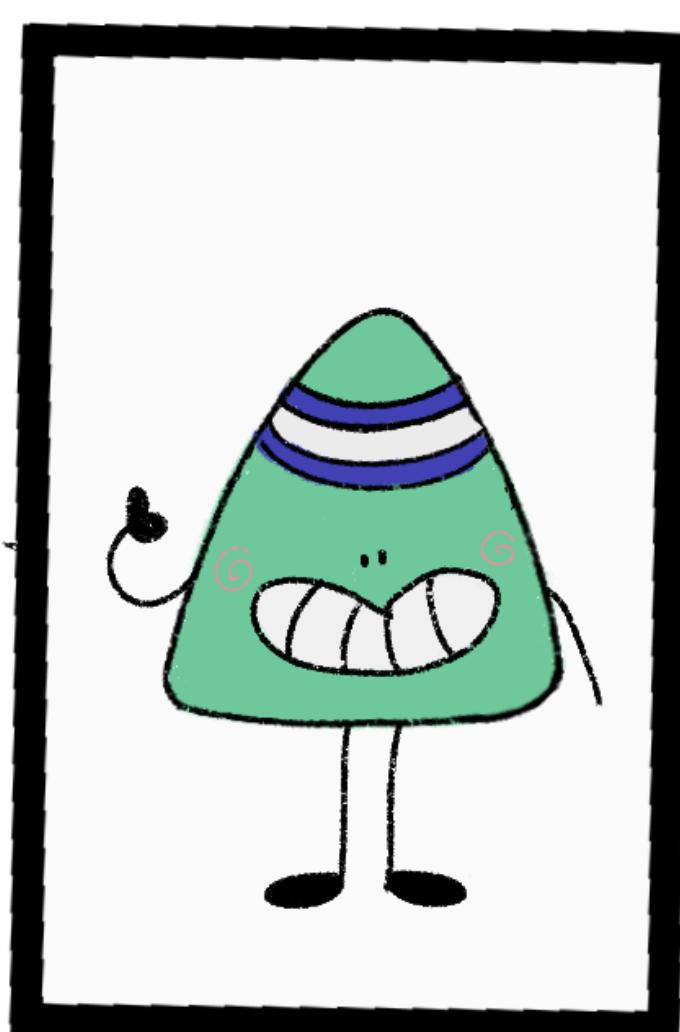
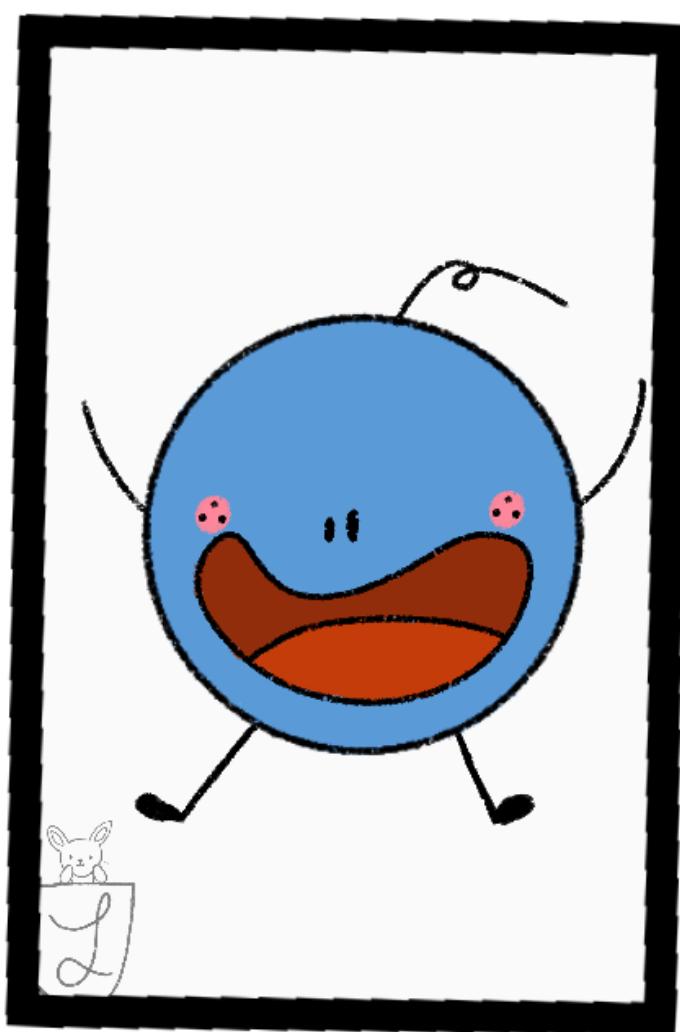


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Count with me!

Mental Math Card Game

1. 2. 3. Count with Me!

Beginner: Have your child count the number of symbols on the playing card.

[Tip]: “How many hearts are on this card? Count with me!”

Intermediate: Encourage your child to pick out which card has more symbols.

[Tip]: “You have two cards in front of you, which one has more symbols?”

Experienced: Encourage your child to add the symbols on two playing cards together.

[Tip]: “How many symbols would we have if we put the five and three together?”

Why is this important? Card games can give children the opportunity to learn mathematical skills and encourage number talk. Card games can encourage children to practice with numbers and learn to recognize them in a friendly way. A simple pack of cards can help children practice different skills in math, like simple counting and addition, onto more complex strategies such as probability and fractions.

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