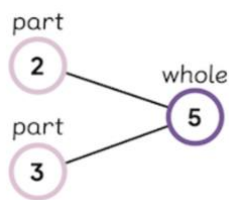


Find real life opportunities to problem solve using number bonds to 5 and to 10.

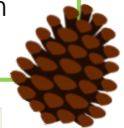
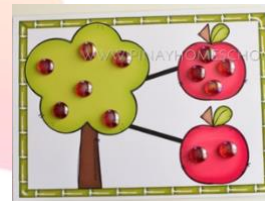
E.g. A teddy bear's picnic for 10 bears and 6 plates are set out- how many more do we need?



Create handprints and cut these out, using them as a way to practise number bonds to 5 and to 10.



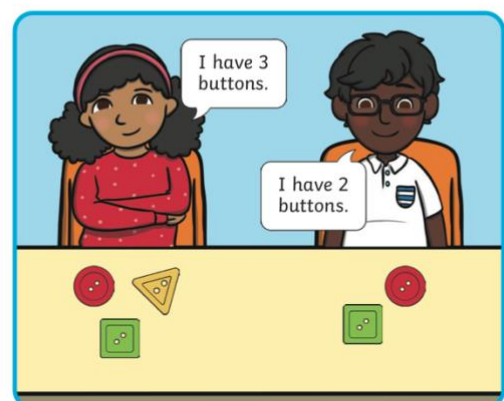
Out in nature: collect pebbles or fir cones and use the 'part-part-whole' model to experiment with number bonds.



Collect 10 buttons or small objects and put them in a drawstring bag. Take turns taking out a handful and counting them, and see if the other player can guess how many are left in there. Play in groups of 3 or more if your child enjoys the element of competition- fastest recall of number bond fact wins!



Buttons Game



- Place 5 buttons into a bag.
- Ask your grown-up to take some buttons out of the bag.
- Then, take the rest of the buttons out of the bag.
- Count how many buttons your grown-up has and how many you have.
- What number bond did you find?
- Try the game again. What other number bonds can you find?