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# INTERACTIVE METHODS OF TEACHING NUMBERS IN ENGLISH TO PRESCHOOLERS 

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#### Abstract

An understanding of numbers is crucial in our daily lives. By kindergarten, most children can learn to count and develop a basic sense of how numbers function. This work is important, it prepares them for the more complex mathematical tasks they will face in the coming school years. Now in this article we learn how to introduce and teach effective techniques of studying numbers in English to preschoolers.


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In our modern period, the ability to know foreign languages is part of professional education is becoming one of the integral parts. This is also the process of preschool education did not leave out. Teaching foreign languages during youth education importance has increased significantly. Nowadays, the focus on preschool education, means social, economic and spiritual development of the state. The development of our young people into modern and fully qualified staff all conditions are created for. In addition to gaining knowledge in the rising age much more attention. Also, we young people are the future of Uzbekistan in order to build a bright, first of all, we need to have effective and quality knowledge. In this place, we will strengthen foreign language learning and teaching, foreign top through exchange programs with universities we need to learn and apply many methods.

The purpose of preschool education is to prepare the child for school and study to increase his interest, to help him to show his abilities. Preschool education is the first stage of education and upbringing of our youth is considered. The right preschool program for our children's unique intelligence should help them grow and learn accordingly. In foreign languages children learn more easily by understanding stories or winning games. If they want, the information they have learned through the games with their participation they will strengthen. On the one hand, the content expressed in language is children's life. On the other hand, communication with children should be related to the diary. The activities or tasks you invite should be interesting and important. Students during the lesson they understand themselves as a part of the lesson and in the course of the lesson they behave and act like the heroes of the play. Encouraging each child to move while learning a foreign language required to go. They distinguish acoustic, kinesthetic, and visual should be developed. Children learn quickly but forget quickly. That is why, repeating the speech several times, through games or handouts on the same topic children can be helped to remember. Courses are always regular repetitions are an integral part. Successful foreign language
teaching is comprehensive requires methods. As another example, children are taught English or "listening" in the language they are learning, i.e. making broadcasts and that it is necessary to monitor how it affects the child. If these broadcasts to them if it is unclear, then it is necessary to listen to the easier ones. Also in "listening". First write down the translation of the words and explain their meaning orally it is necessary to explain how it is used in the activity.

When it comes to teaching your preschoolers how to count it can be kind of stressful on both the parents as well as the children. Forcing children to sit down and learn things can have a negative outcome on what they truly learn. It can turn them against learning and lose their attention completely. With that being said, learning how to count can be fun and exciting for children... so lets take a look at some ways that can help preschoolers learn now to count. Now, we introduce some methods of counting numbers in English. These ways are useful both parents and teachers.

Sing a song
A fun, happy, catchy rhythm will quickly grab a child's attention. Having a song that children are already use to hearing and/or already know very well can be very helpful. Here are some song melodies that are popular that you could use: "Twinkle Twinkle Little Star" or "Wheels on the Bus." Additionally, some songs, such as "Five Little Monkeys," already include counting into their lyrics, so songs like that can also be very beneficial. You and your toddler can count using the tune of these songs and it helps if you hold up your fingers to show the numbers.

Count during meal times
During meal times can be another great time to learn how to count! By simply having your children tell you how many grapes, strawberries, crackers, etc. they have! It can be a fun way to eat a few then have them count again by being able to point and touch their food can help give them a great visual. And of course enjoy delicious food while they learn.

Make jewelry with string and cheerios
Doing arts and crafts is not only fun but also educational! Making jewelry out of string and cheerios is a fun and delicious treat that can also help with counting! All you need is for each child to have a piece of string and one handful of cheerios, then all they have to do is have them put the cheerios on the string. As they are putting them on you can all say out loud the numbers as they go on! As they wear the bracelet they can definitely sneak a little snack and then count how many they have again! Super simple, fun and delicious.

Make numbers a work of art
One of the early ways to get kids thinking numbers in a creative way is to get them painting. While this won't get them comprehending numbers in any ordered form, that's fine. They can see them, they can draw them, they can colour them in bright colours and repeat the number out loud as they have some fun with painting.

Number your neighbourhood

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No need to sit around inside with numbers games. Go for a walk and get your kids counting off letterbox numbers. If a bus passes, see if they can recognice any numbers on its front before it goes by. Parked cars have numbers too. Make numbers an adventure and your kids will enjoy the learning process even more. As they see numbers in all kinds of different places other than chalkboards and exercise books, they'll also start to see them as more than just numbers. In their own small way, they'll start to get it that numbers are pretty important.

Tidy up by numbers
Here's a great way to get your preschoolers cleaning up after themselves and learning to count at the same time. If your living area often resembles a toy shop after an earthquake, turn the clean up into a game. Ask your child to put away three, four or more toys and count them out loud as they do. Cheer every correct number and relocation of a toy from floor to basket like its one less thing for you to do. As their numbers ability grows, see how many toys they can correctly count into the basket until one lovely day, they can clean up the entire floor and pass preschool math.

Draw by numbers
Write a number on a blank page or chalkboard. Then ask your child to draw apples matching that number. Or stick men, houses or trees, whatever your child likes drawing. The key is to get them drawing the right number. A nice creative and educational exercise.

Overall, there are so many fun ways to learn how to count and it should be fun for the whole family and teachers.

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