

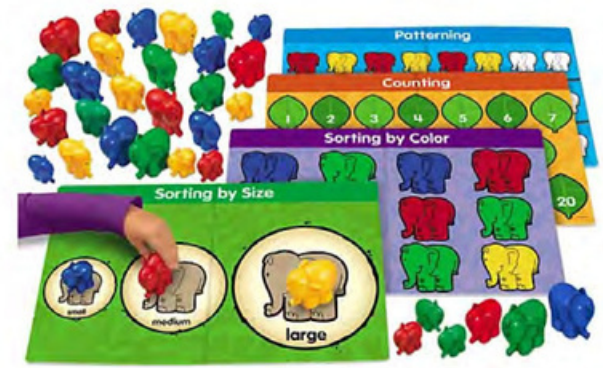
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Math materials and activities

- At least 10 materials with a least 3 from each of the 3 categories

Measuring/comparing sizes and parts of wholes (fractions):

- ✓ measuring cups with spoons with materials to measure;
- ✓ balance scale with things to weigh;
- ✓ rulers, yardsticks, tape measures with things to measure;
- ✓ thermometers;
- ✓ foot size measurer;
- ✓ height chart if regularly used to measure children's growth;
- ✓ games with parts to divide and put back together to make the whole (fractions);
- ✓ puzzles with geometric shapes that must be put together;
- ✓ games where halves are matched to the whole (fractions);
- ✓ shapes-matching games where geometric shapes are divided into parts (fractions); etc



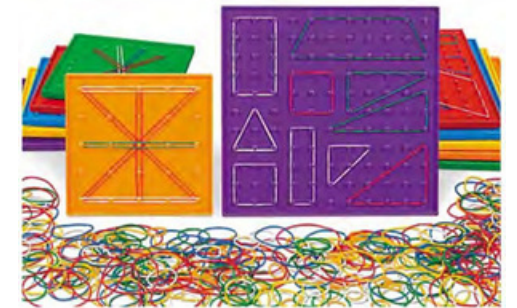
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Familiarity with shapes:

- ✓ shape sorters;
- ✓ puzzles with different geometric shapes;
- ✓ unit blocks with image/outline labels on shelves used during clean up;
- ✓ geoboards (boards with pegs to which rubber bands are attached to make shapes);
- ✓ attribute blocks of different sizes, shapes, colors;
- ✓ parquetry blocks with patterns;
- ✓ magnetic shapes;
- ✓ shape stencils



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• Counting/comparing quantities:

- unifixcubes with number trays;
- small objects to count into numbered containers;
- games that require children to figure out more or less;
- chart graph activities for children to use by placing materials into cells;
- dominoes;
- playing cards;
- games with dice;
- abacus;
- pegboards with numbers printed and holes to match;
- ✓ puzzles where written numbers are matched to quantities on puzzle piece;
- ✓ beads with bead patterns;



