Kindergarten Math

Unit 2 Counting and Cardinality: Number Sense

During this unit, we will begin to work on number sense. This means that we will recognize the numbers 0-20, count, write and represent these numbers. Another task the students will complete is to show number using cubes then add an additional cube to show one number larger. This is a great time to begin working with your child on learning to verbally count by ones to 100. Counting by 10's to 100 will be introduced at this time. These skills will be worked on throughout the year.

Suggested activities to do at home:

- 1. Use chalk, shaving cream, hair gel, pencils, markers, iPads to practice writing numbers.
- 2. Represent numbers 0-20 using Cheerios, fruit snacks, blocks, books, etc.
- 3. Practice counting to 100 by counting the number of steps from one room to a next.
- 4. Count the number of letters in your first, middle and last name.
- 5. Count on from a given number (i.e. start at 6 and count on 7, 8, 9...)
- 6. Give your child a number and ask them to clap, jump, stomp feet, etc. that many times.
- 7. Hide number cards in your home and have your child be a number detective and find and read the number to you.
- 8. Have your child count \underline{x} number of Cheerios and add one more (Ask, "How many do you have now?").