

Fishy, fishy fingers!

Skill to be learnt: To recall all pairs of numbers with a total of 10 and addition facts for totals to at least 5; work out the corresponding subtraction facts.

What you will need: Yourselves!

How to play: Two players face each other and after both chanting 'fishy, fishy fingers (in the same way as you would if playing 'paper, scissors, stones)', hold up some fingers on one hand, keeping the other hand behind your back. The first player to say the total of the fingers shown scores a point. First player to 10 points wins.

Talk points: Model how to count on from the number you know you are going to show on your fingers e.g if you know you are going to show 3 fingers have this number ready in your head and be ready to add on the number of fingers your opponent shows.

Extension of this game: Use both hands to show fingers to practice pairs to 20.