

Reception
Adding 1 digit numbers.

Concrete - This means using objects.

Objects you could use at home:

buttons, stones, sticks, beads, lolly sticks, Lego blocks, pencils, small toys, pom poms

Steps to success:

- Collect some objects from home that you can use.
- Write numbers 1-9 on small squares of paper.
- Choose 2 numbers.
- Choose the correct number of objects to match each number.
- Count how many objects you have altogether.

An example for you:



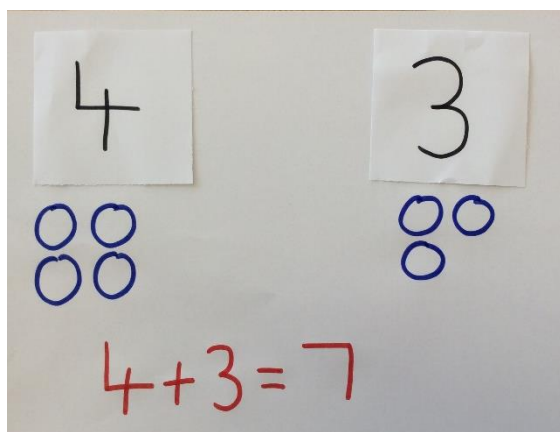
Altogether I have 7 objects.

Pictorial - This means using drawings or representations.

Steps to success:

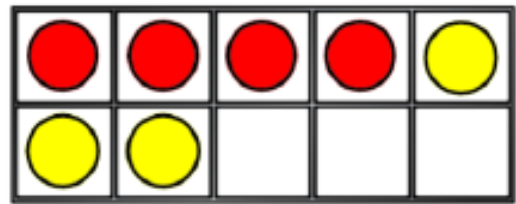
- Find your exercise book.
- Choose 2 numbers.
- Draw spots or pictures to represent each number.
- Count the total number of spots.
- Try to represent this as an addition number sentence.

An example for you:



Other ways to represent adding two numbers together.

You can use tens frames to help you add.



You can make your own ten frame using an egg box with 10 spaces. Then use objects to fill your egg box. I used 4 buttons and 3 beads.



Try these yourself. What will you use to help you?

$$3 + 2 =$$

$$5 + 4 =$$