# Great Books to Teach Math Concepts! 

Counting Books<br>Ten Black Dots by Donald Crews<br>A Three Hat Day by Laura Geringer<br>The Button Box by Margarette S. Reid<br>Each Orange Had 8 Slices by Paul Giganti, Jr.<br>Seven Blind Mice by Ed Young<br>Anno's Counting Book by Misumasa Anno<br>How Many Feet How Many Tails by Marilyn Burns<br>Count On by Pablo Barbara deRubertis<br>Even Steven and Odd Todd by Kathryn Cristaldi<br>How Many Snails by Paul Giganti<br>Earth Day Hooray! by Steve Murphy



Addition and Subtraction
12 Ways to Get to Eleven by Eve Merriam
Counting Wildflowers by Bruce McMillan
Mouse Count by Ellen Stoll Walsh
Splash by Ann Jonas
Harriet's Halloween Candy by Nancy Carlson
Shark Swimathon by Stuart Murphy
Math Fables: Lessons That Count by Greg Tang
Subtraction Action by Loreen Leedy
Domino Addition by Lynette Long
M \& M's Addition Book by Barbara McGrath


Measurement
How Big Is A Foot? By Rolf Myller Is A Blue Whale the Biggest Thing There Is? By Robert E. Wells

Jim and the Beanstalk by Raymond Briggs
Inch by Inch by Leo Leonni
Inchworm and A Half by Elinor J. Pinczes Spaghetti and Meatballs for All! By Marilyn Burns
Much Bigger Than Martin by Stephen Kellogg
The King's Chessboard by David Birch
Millions to Measure by David Schwartz
Polly's Pen Pal by Stuart Murphy
Hershey's Weights and Measures by Jerry Pallotta

## Money

Alexander, Who Used to Be Rich Last Sunday by Judith Viorst Bunny Money by Rosemary Wells
A Chair for My Mother by Vera B. Williams
Pigs Will Be Pigs by Amy Axelrod
The Money Tree by Sarah Stewart Round and Round the Money Goes by Melvin Berger Benny's Pennies by Pat Brisson


If You made a Million by David Schwartz The Penny Pot by Stuart Murphy
Monday Madness by David Adler
Measuring Penny by Loreen Leedy
Less Than Zero by Stuart Murphy
Author's Funny Money by Lillian Hoban 5 Dollars by Mary Hill
Spending and Saving by Mary Hill Pennies by Mary Hill Quarters by Mary Hill
Dimes by Mary Hill
If You Made a Million by David Schwartz Nickels by Mary Hill

## Multiplication and Division

Amanda Bean's Amazing Dream by Cindy Neuschwander Anno's Mysterious Multiplying Jar by Masaichiro and Mitsumasa Ann

One Hundred Hungry Ants by Elinor J. Pinczes
Two Ways to Count to Ten by Ruby Dee
Bunches and Bunches of Bunnies by Louise Mathews
The Doorbell Rang by Pat Hutchins
A Remainder of One by Elinor J. Pinczes
17 Kings and 42 Elephants by Margaret Mahy
Two of Everything by Lily Toy Hong
Counting on Frank by Rod Clement
A Fair Bear Share by Stuart Murphy


The Great Divide by Stuart Murphy
Divide and Ride by Stuart Murphy
Too Many Kangaroo Things to Do by Stuart Murphy

## Geometry

Grandfather Tang's Story by Ann Tompert
Shapes, Shapes, Shapes by Tana Hoban
The Tangram Magician by Lisa Campbell Ernst and Lee Ernst
Sam Johnson and the Blue Ribbon Quilt by Lisa Campbell Ernst
The Greedy Triangle by Marilyn Burns
Sir Cumference and the Sword in the Cone by Cindy Neuschwander
A Cloak for the Dreamer by Aileen Freedman
Pigs in the Corner: Fun with Math and Dance by Amy Axelrod
The Fly on the Ceiling: A Math Myth by Dr. Julie Glass Shape Up by David Adler
The Village of Round and Square Houses by Ann Grifalconi
Hamster Champs by Stuart Murphy
The Greedy Triangle by Marilyn Burns


## Fractions

The Half-Birthday Party by Charlotte Pomerantz
Fraction Action by Loreen Leedy
Piece $=$ Part $=$ Portion by Scott Gifford Gator Pie by Louis Matthews

The Doorbell Rang by Pat Hutchins
Pete's A Pizza by William Steig How Pizza Came to Queens by Dayal Kaur Khalsa Pizza Pat by Will Terry Rabbit and Hare Divide an Apple by Harriet Ziefert Jump, Kangaroo, Jump by Stuart Murphy

Time
The Napping House by Audrey Wood The Very Hungry Caterpillar by Eric Carle

The Grouchy Ladybug by Eric Carle Clocks and More Clocks by Pat Hutchins Pigs on the Move: Fun with Math and Travel by Amy Axelrod On the Day You Were Born by Debra Frasier Get Up and Go by Stuart Murphy Clocks and More Clocks by Pat Hutchins It's About Time by Jane Campbell

## Concept of Size

How Much Is A Million? by David M. Schwartz
On Beyond a Million by David M. Schwartz
A Million Fish...More or Less by Patricia C. McKissack
Counting On Frank by Rod Clement
Count to a Million by Jerry Pallotta
Actual Size by Steve Jenkins
Room for Ripley by Stuart Murphy
How Big Were the Dinosaurs? by Bernard Most

## Problem Solving

The Eleventh Hour by Graeme Base
The Grapes of Math by Greg Tang Math Appeal by Greg Tang Math for All Seasons by Greg Tang Math-terpieces: The Art of Problem-Solving by Greg Tang

Math Potatoes by Greg Tang

## Comparison

More or Less by Stuart Murphy
Just Enough Carrots by Stuart Murphy

## Estimation

How Many seeds in a Pumpkin by Margaret McNamara
Betcha! by Stuart Murphy

## Statistics

Probably Penny by Loreen Leedy
The Best Vacation Ever by Stuart Murphy

## Graphs

Lemonade for Sale by Stuart Murphy Treasure Map by Stuart Murphy Rodeo Time by Stuart Murphy

## Algebra

Ready, Set, Hop by Stuart Murphy Safari Park by Stuart Murphy Dinosaur Deals by Stuart Murphy


General Interest
Math Curse by Jon Scieszka and Lane Smith
Marvelous Math by Lee Hopkins

## Resources

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- www.mugginsmath.com

