

LEARN THROUGH PLAY

Eggy number puzzles

You'll need:

- Paper or card
- Marker pens
- Scissors

Method:

- Using the marker pen, draw several egg shapes on the paper
- Draw a number at the top of the egg shape and the same number of dots at the bottom
- Your child can get involved at this stage by decorating/colouring the eggs
- Cut the egg shapes out of the paper
- Cut the egg shapes in half use different patterns: waves, zig-zags, etc.





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to make it more interesting when your child joins the two pieces back together

- Time to play!
- Ask your child to match the puzzle pieces
- Did they get it right? Well done. As they complete the puzzle point out the numbers at the top and count the dots at the bottom

Why not?

 Start off with numbers 1 to 5 and then add more numbers as your child learns?

The benefits of this activity:

It will help with your child's number recognition and counting skills



