

# EYFS Maths Top Tips!

## ● Using Mathematical Language

- Using this language within their home environment
  - Heavy, light, empty, full
  - Long, short, big, small
  - Behind, in, on, in front



## ● The Power of Counting

- Encouraging your child to count wherever they are!
  - How many stairs?
  - How many steps?
  - How many socks? Etc



## ● Imaginative Play

- Opportunities for simple activities
  - Setting the table –counting the cutlery
  - Sorting the washing into types of clothes or colours



## ● Make it meaningful

- Maths is everywhere! Giving them real-life opportunities to practise their Maths skills makes them apply their knowledge to the real world. So
  - At the supermarket get them to put, for example, five oranges and four apples in your basket
  - Similarly learning money basics when you're out and about can be a great to get their brain working!

