

At-Home Activities Maths

Mini Muffin Match Up

Hide & Seek:

Place a different colour muffin in each of the cups. Have the child close their eyes and remove one muffin with the tweezers. Keep the muffin hidden in the tweezers and ask the child to figure out which muffin is "hiding." For an added challenge, try using 6 muffins with some repeated colours; for example, 2 red, 3 blue, 1 green.



May I Take Your Order?:

Fill each of the muffin cups with 5 muffins of the same colour. Then, have your child role play like you are at a bakery and ask the question, "May I take your order, please?" Start by calling out one colour and number, such as, "May I have 2 blue muffins, please?" Try adding a second colour and number to the order, such as, "May I have 3 yellow muffins and 2 green muffins, please?" For an advanced challenge, try 3 different muffin colours and numbers.

Hide & Seek:

Spread all the muffins around the muffin tray, making sure to mix them up. Set a timer for 2 minutes (experiment with different amounts of time to find what works best). Roll the number die and then announce the number of muffins, such as "4." When you start the timer, the player must use the tweezers to pick up that number of every colour muffin and sort them into each of the 6 cups before the timer runs out.