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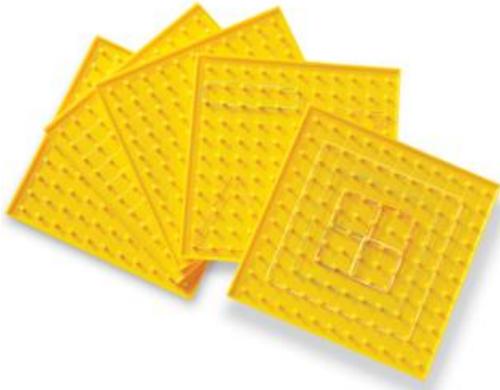
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**INVENTORY  
OF  
MATHEMATICS RESOURCES**

## MATHEMATICS RESOURCES

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### 1 - Geoboard



Help students understand geometry concepts with hands-on exploration. This math manipulative is great for teaching simple shapes and more advanced concepts like symmetry, angles, and fractions

#### **Specifications:**

Standard 11 x 11 pin grid on single-sided yellow geoboard. Knobbed pins hold rubber bands in place.

9"x9"/11 x 11 PIN

### 2 - GeoReflector



GeoReflectors features see-through plastic surface with special reflective qualities that allow students to gain an intuitive understanding of geometry, symmetry and congruence as they view, move and draw images.

#### **Specifications:**

Set of 6

### 3 - Folding Geometric Shapes



Model geometric shapes in both two and three dimensional form with this combination set. Use to teach visualization and spatial reasoning in measurement, area, volume and surface area concepts.

#### **Specifications:**

32-piece set includes cylinder, square, pyramid, cube, rectangular prism, triangular prism, cone, hexagonal prism and triangular pyramid

### 4 - Interlocking Centimetre Cubes

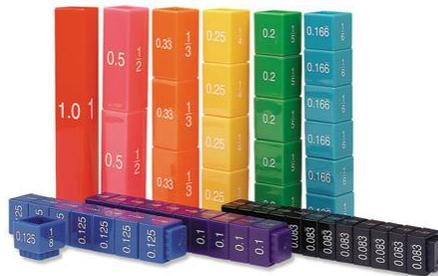


Each plastic one-centimeter cube weighs 1 gram. Measure, sort, classify, create and extend patterns, and use for graphing.

#### **Specifications:**

Set of 1 000 cubes in 10 colours

### 5 - Fraction Tower Equivalency Set



Illustrate the relationship between fractions, decimals and percents with this set of color-coded cubes. Cubes feature fractions, decimals and percents clearly marked on each side to provide students with a visual representation of equivalencies.

Color-coding helps students apply their understanding of fraction concepts to new contexts.

#### **Specifications:**

Set of 51 color-coded cubes

### 6 - Pattern Blocks Video



Motivate young students when learning geometry and pattern design. Use this set of blocks, in 6 shapes and 6 colours, to explore patterns, symmetry, linear and area measurement, fractions and problem solving. Shapes include hexagon, trapezoid, square, triangle, parallelogram and rhombus.

#### **Specifications:**

Set of 2000 plastic pieces

### 7 - Math Link Cubes



Use for patterning, basic operations, measurement and problem solving. Great for counting, sorting, measurement and graphing. Cubes link together on all sides so students can easily build and explore spatial relationships.

**Specifications:**

Set of 1000 two centimeter cubes in 10 colours

### 8 - Tangram Set



The whole class can practice problem solving with this ancient Chinese 7 piece puzzle. Practice comparing, composing, and decomposing shapes.

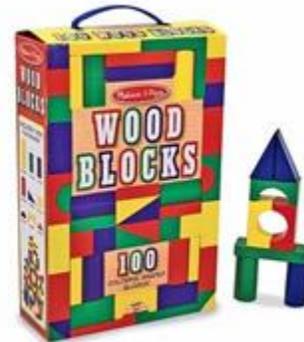
**Specifications:**

Set of 30 tangrams in 6 assorted colours: red, blue, yellow, green, orange and purple.

### 9 - Attribute blocks



### 10 - Colored wooden blocks



Attribute blocks are a good introduction to logical thinking for young learners. They learn colour, size and shape concepts by sorting blocks. Words like large, thick, thin and the names of the shapes may have little meaning at first but the more the children play games with the attribute blocks, the quicker they learn. Sets include red, yellow and blue circles, hexagons, rectangles, squares and triangles. Each set include different sizes and thicknesses of the blocks so students may differentiate by thick or thin and large or small.

#### **Specifications:**

A standard set contains 60 blocks in hard plastic packaged in a box or jar

Colored wooden blocks come in many shapes and are invaluable for teaching geometry, symmetry, number sense, counting, patterns, and more. When children build with them they have practice problem solving and planning, activities such as stacking blocks teach children about balance and gravity and building with blocks encourages development of social skills as kids play together.

#### **Specifications:**

A set of 100, packaged for ease of use

### 11 - Foam Magnetic Fraction Pieces



These fraction circles are made of foam and are magnetic. They are terrific for teaching students about fractions and their relationships. When young children begin using them they see, feel, and compare equivalent fractions and as they get older the fraction terms become meaningful from their previous play experiences.

#### **Specifications:**

Set includes 51 proportional foam magnetic pieces showing fractions in a whole, halves, thirds, fourths, fifths, sixths, eighths, tenths, and twelfths. Use the large 9" foam fraction circles on any magnetic surface.

### 12 - Two-colour counters



#### **Specifications:**

2 sided counters are about one-inch in diameter and have one red side and one yellow side

### 13 - Large geometric solids



These 3D set of geometric solids have a common 3" dimension to illustrate relationships between area, volume, shape, form and size.

#### **Specifications:**

The plastic shapes include a cone, a sphere, a hemisphere, a cube, a cylinder, a rectangular prism, a hexagonal prism, a triangular prism, a square pyramid and a triangular pyramid.

Set of 19 wooden solids

### 14 - One-inch wooden blocks



One-inch cubes are durable 1" hardwood cubes that come in six colours and are perfect for beginning counting, patterning, colour recognition, teaching basic geometric concepts and building.

**Specifications:** Set of 100 in a plastic jar, 100 per set

**15- Pocket Charts with number cards 0-100**

This is ideal for teaching counting, number patterns and the four basic operations on numbers

**Specifications:**

This number pocket chart is washable and comes with 100 numbered cards colored differently on reverse.

Includes a teaching guide

**17 - Math Balance**

Perfect for exploring basic measurement concepts. Measure, explore volume and compare solids and liquids with this sturdy balance. Calibrated clear buckets with removable lids hold solids or up to 400 ml of liquid. Easy pour spout makes measuring liquids easy.

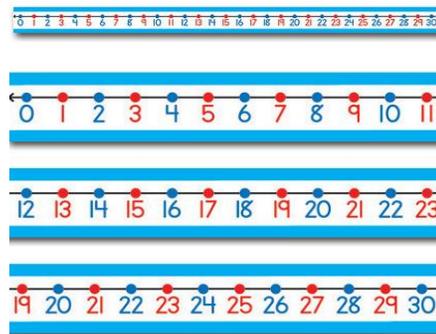
Lids can also serve as platforms and the built-in drawer is perfect for storing weights.

**Specifications:**

16 ½" x 6 ½" x 6"

**16 - Magnetic Board**

This dual-purpose coated metal board is perfect for use with magnetic letters, numbers, and shapes or with wipe-off markers. Rope attached to individual-sized board allows easy carrying or hanging. (14'W x 11'H)

**18 - Number Lines**

Includes numbers 0 to 30. Color coded for even and odd numbers. Write-on wipe-off surface.

**Specifications:**

30 number lines per unit, 22" x 1 ½"

### 19 - Transparent counters



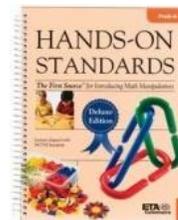
These chips are excellent for counting, sorting.

#### **Specifications:**

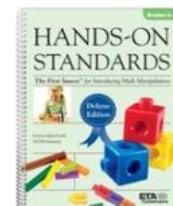
Set contains 1000 one inch transparent chips

### 20- Hands on Standards

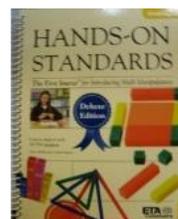
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**MATHEMATICS RESOURCES - PCR**

MANIPULATIVE	DESCRIPTION
<b>Super Sorting Set with Activity Cards</b>	Comprehensive manipulatives set with more than 620 colour-coordinated sorting items and Super Sorting Activity Cards, sorting bowls, heavy-duty eight-compartment tray, number cube and three spinners.
<b>Set of Solids</b>	Plastic solids, 3" in size - used to explore geometric principles – Set of 10.
<b>Geostrips</b>	Set of 68. Flexible rods which enable children to construct and investigate triangles, squares and rectangles.
<b>Geoboards</b>	Two different pin arrangements. Set of 6.
<b>Three Bear Family Counters</b>	96 piece set. Bears in three sizes, three weights and four bright colours for engaging students in size-grading, mass comparison, patterning, counting and sorting.
<b>Cuisenaire Rods</b>	Six sets of 74 plastic rods, six trays with lid and Teacher's Guide which will give students visual confirmation of their hands-on investigations of math concepts.
<b>Place Value Mats</b>	These 11" x 17" paper worksheets help students work in base ten (with or without blocks). Each pad consists of 25 sheets lined vertically in columns for 1000's, 100's, 10's and ones.
<b>Equal Arm Balance/ Beginners Balance</b>	Durable, plastic scale with detachable pans can hold solids or up to 500ml liquid.
<b>Reversible Graph It Maps</b>	4 x 12 grid/Venn Diagram double-sided vinyl mat. Measures 6'L x 2'H.
<b>Linking Cubes (2cm)</b>	Cubes come in ten bright colours. Set of 100.
<b>Analog Clock (set)</b>	Set of 10 durable plastic clock faces.
<b>Pattern Blocks</b>	250 one-centimetre blocks in six shapes and colours
<b>DVD-ROM</b>	Elementary Advantage 2012 AMR
<b>CD ROM</b>	Mighty Math Carnival Countdown
<b>Game</b>	<b><i>Edushape Hopscotch Game Set</i></b> Number sequence and numeral recognition game
<b>Game</b>	<b><i>Pegs in the Park</i></b> Number recognition, addition, subtraction and sequencing
<b>Game</b>	<b><i>I Have..... Who Has?</i></b> Math - addition, subtraction, greater than or less than
<b>Game</b>	<b><i>Qwirkle</i></b> Patterning, sequencing and problem solving
<b>Game</b>	<b><i>Shape by Shape</i></b> Geometry, spatial sense, logical and critical thinking
<b>Game</b>	<b><i>Pop for Numbers Game</i></b> Number recognition, greater than/less than and place-value skills
<b>Game</b>	<b><i>Mastermind</i></b> Patterning, logical and strategic thinking and problem solving
<b>Game</b>	<b><i>No Stress Chess</i></b> Logical thinking, strategic thinking, reasoning and problem solving

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