

My name is _____

I am learning to write
numbers in order.

1 2 3 4 5 6



Dear Family

Your child is working on **writing numbers in order**. Use the activities on pages 2–11 to help your child write numbers. Use the following numbers as a guide for how the numbers your child writes should look.

0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

Here are some other daily activities to try with your child:

- **Use dotted lines to write the numbers 0–9** on a sheet of paper. Tell your child that the lines are a railway track and the pencil is the train. Have your child try to keep the train on the track while tracing each number.
- **Leave blanks for missing numbers** as you write the numbers 0–9 in order on a sheet of paper. Have your child write the missing numbers.

- **Use paint, textas, chalk or crayons** to make practising writing numbers more fun. You might also let your child write the numbers in shaving cream, sand or food!
- Have your child **make a number chart** on a large piece of paper. Have your child decorate the chart. Hang it in a place where it can be seen (on the refrigerator door or on your child's bedroom door).
- Make a set of **number cards 0–9** out of cards. Show your child a number, and have your child write the number that comes before and the number that comes after that number.
- **Read books with your child** about numbers. Here are some books that you might find at your local library:

One Lighthouse, One Moon, by Anita Lobel.

I Spy Two Eyes: Numbers in Art, by Lucy Micklethwait.

One Gorilla: A Counting Book, by Atsuko Morozumi.

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