Fun with Numbers



Radhika, Gauri, Vicky, Indra and Sunil were collecting *Imli* (tamarind) seeds.

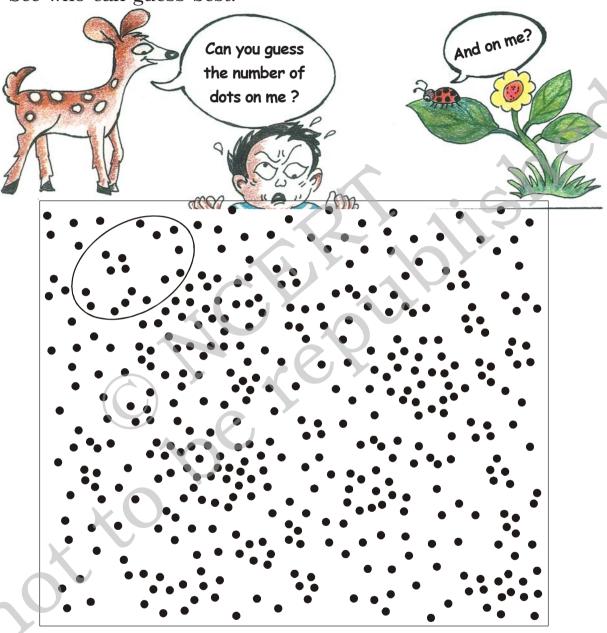
- collected the most seeds.
- ❖ Sunil will collect _____ more seeds to be equal to Vicky.
- ❖ If Radhika gets 6 more seeds, she will have _____.
- ♦ How many children have more than 40 seeds?_____
- ____ needs 3 more seeds to have 50.
- ❖ Sunil has 2 seeds less than 40 and _____ has 2 seeds more than 40.





Dot Game

Guess the number of dots in the circle. Now count and check your guess. Play this game with your friends by making circles. See who can guess best.





Children need interesting exercises to help them with visual estimation of numbers – of things arranged randomly and in symmetrical groups. Teachers could use other instances, such as bundles of leaves sold in the market, the school assembly, designs on mats, etc. to make them guess and estimate different numbers. In this book an ant that a guess or estimate has to be made.





Dhoni's Century

One-day match between India and South Africa in Guwahati......, India batting first......



Fill in the blanks:

Dhoni scored 96 +

How many runs do these players need to complete a century?

	Runs scored	Runs needed to		
		complete a century		
Player 1	93			
Player 2	97			
Player 3	89			
Player 4	99			
Player 2 Player 3	97 89			

Numbers are understood not by reciting them in order but by making associations in familiar contexts. Here the idea of a "century" of runs is used. Teachers could add other examples from children's lives to think about 3-digit numbers. Encourage them to speak about large numbers even if they cannot read or write them.







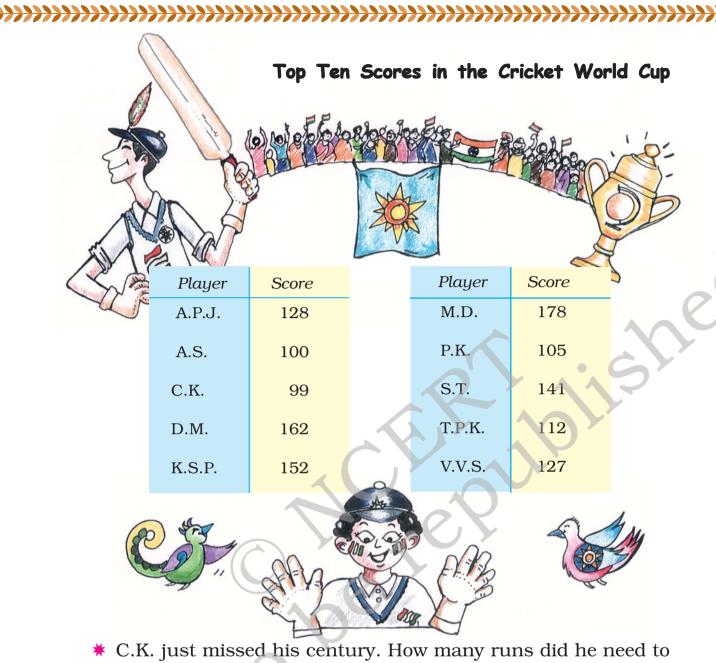




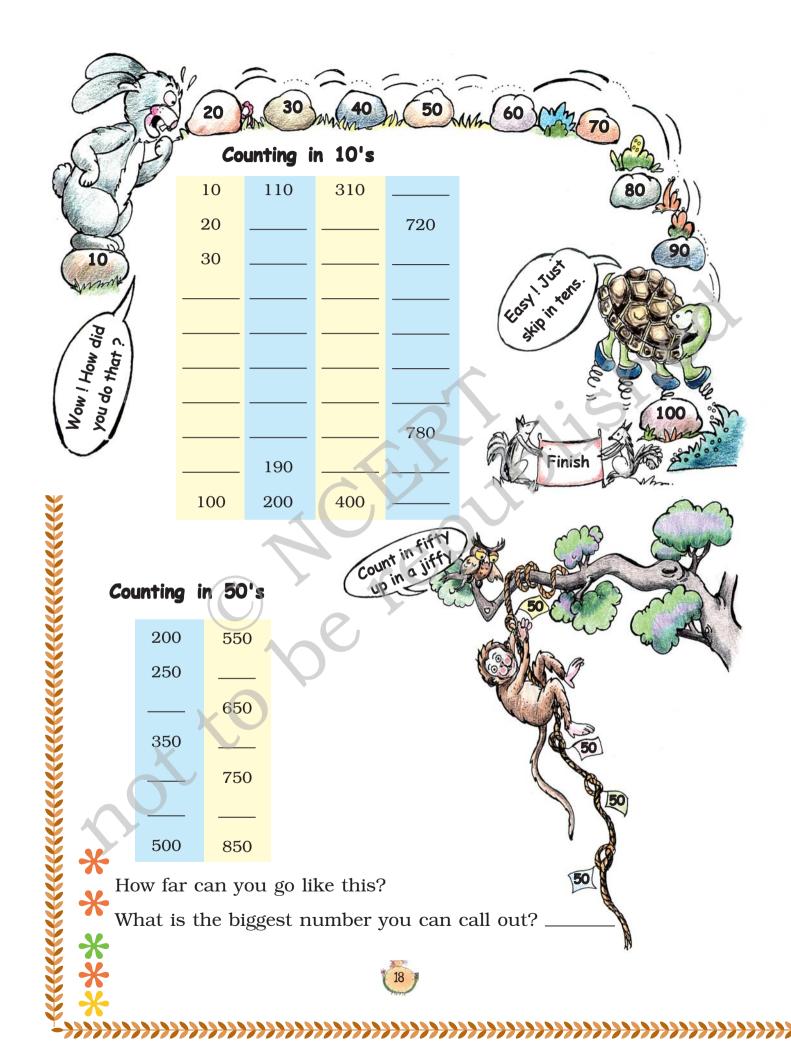
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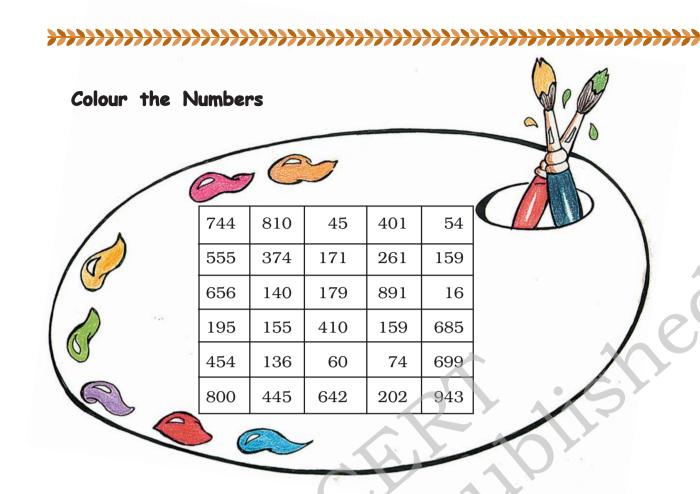
9:	9-112	195-206			
Number	Number	Number	Number		
(in figures)	(in words)	(in figures)	(in words)		
99	Ninety-nine	195	One hundred ninety-five		
100	One hundred	196	One hundred ninety-six		
101	One hundred one	197	One hundred ninety-seven		
102		198	One hundred ninety-eight		
103	One hundred three	<u> </u>	One hundred ninety-nine		
104	One hundred four	200	Two hundred		
	One hundred five	201	Two hundred one		
106	One hundred six				
107		203	Two hundred three		
	One hundred eight		Two hundred four		
109	One hundred nine	205	Two hundred five		
110	One hundred ten	206			
111	One hundred eleven				
	One hundred twelve	Oh! 206! Guess how many more to make a triple century?			



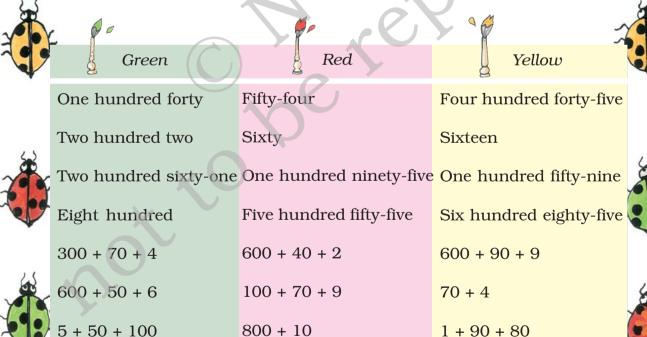


- make a century? _
- and _____ scored almost equal runs.
- scored a complete century, no less, no more.
- Most runs scored by any batsman are _____.
- and _____ have a difference of just 1 run between them.
- _____ scored 2 more than one and a half century.



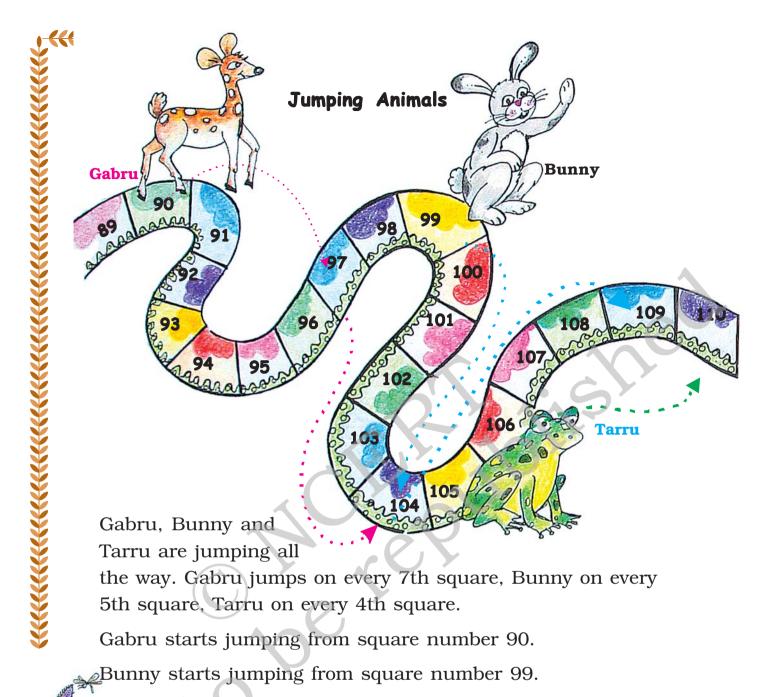


Find these numbers in the above chart. Colour them.

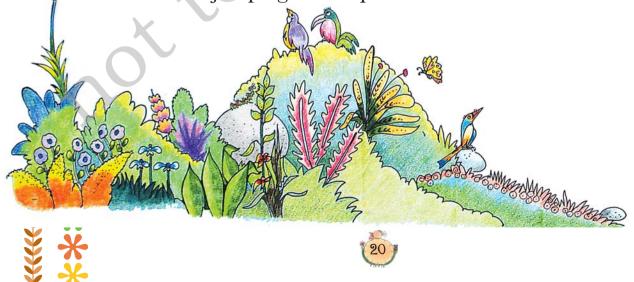


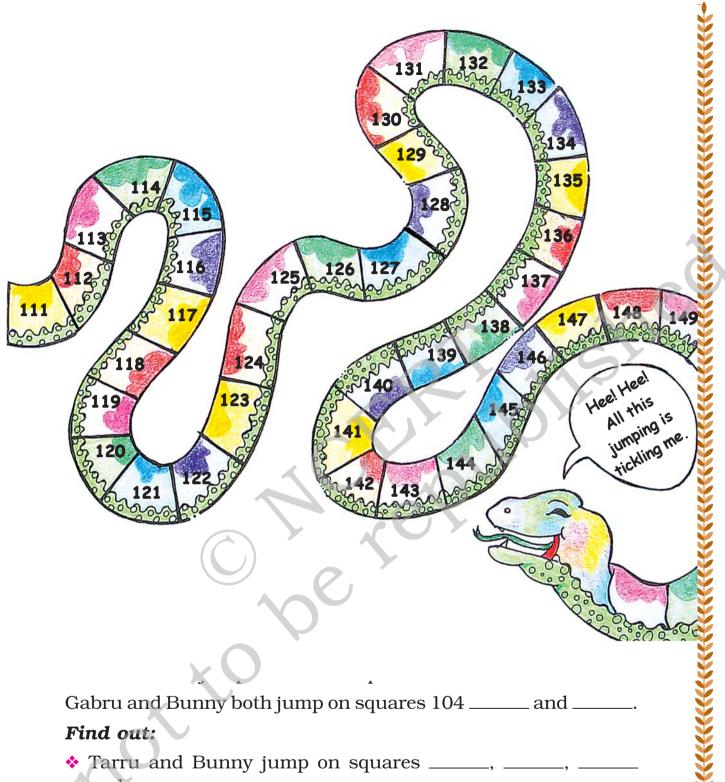






Tarru starts jumping from square number 106.





- and _____.
- ❖ Is there any square where all three of them jump? _____
- ❖ Guess who will finish in the least jumps? _____ In how many jumps?_



Class, Jump!



Jump 2 steps forward:

104, 106, 108, _____, ____, ____, _____.

Jump 2 steps backward:

262, 260, 258, _____, ____, _____, _____.

Jump 10 steps forward:

110, 120, 130, _____, _____, _____.

Jump 10 steps backward:

200, 190, 180, _____, ____, _____

Continue the pattern:

910, 920, 930, 940, _____, ____, ____, ____

209, 207, 205, _____, ____, _____, _____.

4401, 402, 403, _____, ____, ____, ____





Join in!

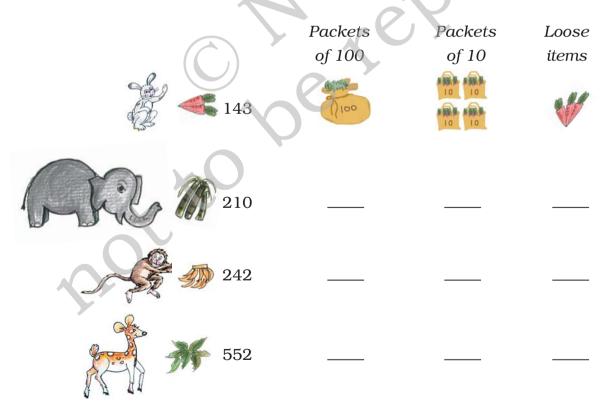
John SCHOOL

Lazy Crazy Shop

This is the jungle shop. Lazy Crazy gives things only in packets of tens, hundreds and loose items.



Find out how many packets of tens, hundreds and loose items each animal will take. Fill in the blanks.





Lazy Crazy also has a crazy way of taking money. He takes only

in

notes,



notes and



coins. Now find

out how they will pay him for what they have taken.



Rs 420



Rs 143



Rs 242



Rs 55

Who am I? Match with the number.

a)	I come	between	n 40 and	50	and
	there is	s a 5 in	my name	e	<i>y</i>

96

b) I have 9 in my name and am very close to 90.

150

c) If you hit a 4 after me, you score a century.

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d) I am equal to ten notes of 10.

f) I am exactly in between 77 and 97.

87

e) I am century + half century

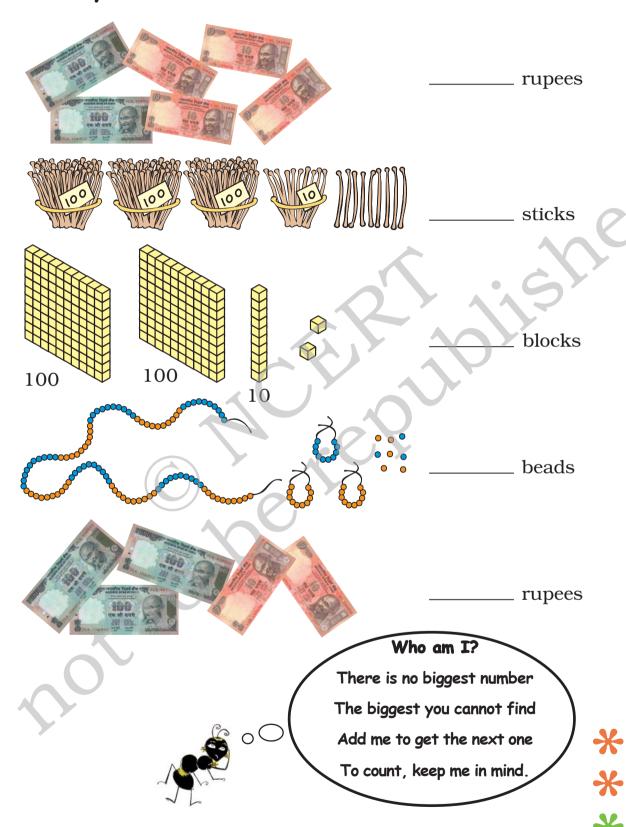
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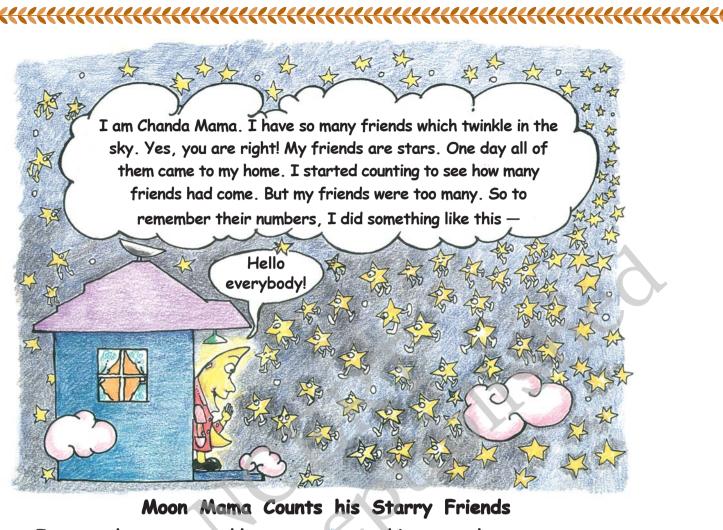
In this chapter several stories and exercises are used to help children understand the decimal number system. The term 'place value', which often confuses children, has not been used at all. Teachers could also find out about other locally used number systems, if any, especially while working in tribal communities.



How Many are these?



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I counted one star and kept one 1 card in my pocket.

1 for one star. 1 1 for 2 stars.

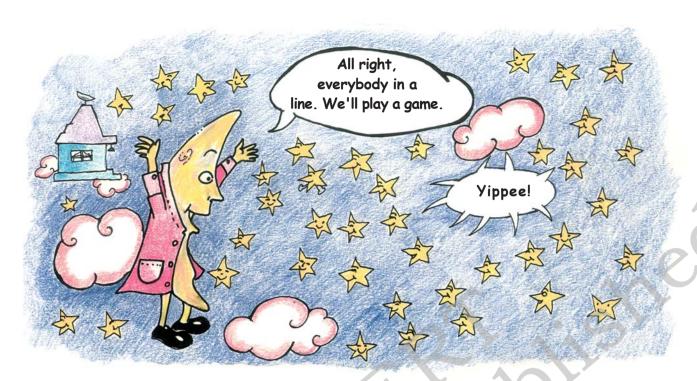
1 1 1 for how many stars? ____

When I had 10 1 cards, I changed it with this card 10.

But my friends kept coming. So I had to count more stars. My pockets were getting full. So when I had 10 cards like this 10 I changed it with a 100 card.

But I have so many, many, friends that my pockets kept getting full.

Just see how many cards I had.



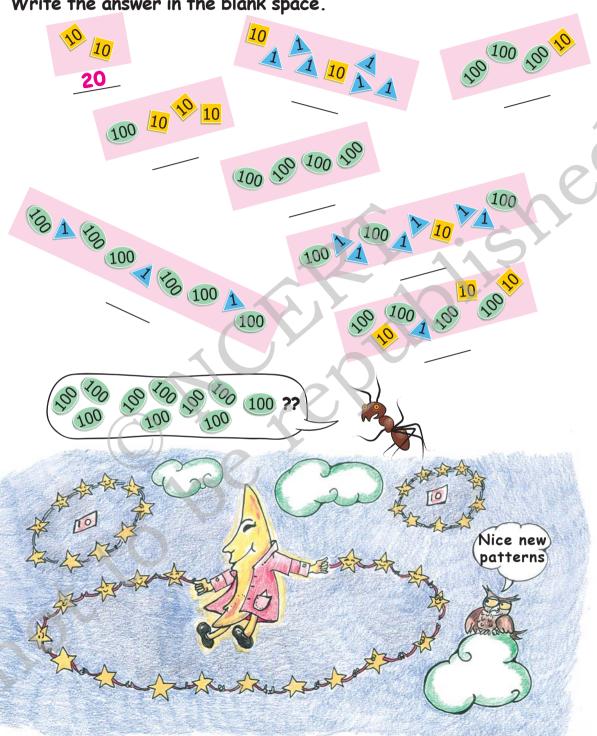
Which cards will I have in my pocket if I have counted up to...

- a. 19 _
- 10 1 1
- b. 21 —
- c. 95
- d. 201 100 100
- e. 260
- f. 300
- g. 306
- h. 344
- i. 350 ____
- j. 400 ____

When I had 10 10 cards in my pocket, I knew I had counted 20 stars. Now you tell me the number of stars counted in each case.

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Write the answer in the blank space.



Guess how many starry friends I have in all...!!!

