

Grade 2

Race to \$1.00

Module 3 - Money and Time

Your child is learning to count mixed collections of coins and identify different ways to make the same amount. This is a valuable skill that takes much practice to develop. Use this game to help your child practice exchanging coins and finding the total value of mixed coin collections.

Materials:

- Number Cards (1 -6)
- Coins: pennies, nickels, dimes, and quarters

Directions:

1. Cut out number cards.
2. The game begins with the first player picking two number cards. Number cards indicate the amount of money in pennies the player gets for that turn.
3. The second player then picks two number cards and collects that amount in pennies. When a player has five pennies, he/she must trade in his/her pennies for a nickel.
4. The game continues with players taking turns. Whenever it is possible, players trade in coins (For example, 5 pennies for a nickel, 2 nickels for a dime, 2 dimes and a nickel for a quarter).
5. The first player to make a dollar wins the game.

Questions to ask your child while playing:

- Do you have enough yet to make a dime? How many more cents do you need to make a dime?
- How much money do you have now? How much would you have if I gave you one more dime?

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1	2	3	4
5	<u>6</u>	1	2
3	4	5	<u>6</u>
1	2	3	4