NOTES:

To include in class:

Show :
states standards sites
Videos of preschool problem solving math
Virtual Manipulatives:

Discuss infants & toddlers, development -- give handout, mention hot links of more sites.

Read infant/toddler appropriate books, numeracy.

Learning centers?

Virtual Manipulatives: Try to find several different kinds of activities to fit: different learning styles, areas of development, interests,etc.

DJ: Try your hand at designing an activity for 2-3 yr olds, and 4-5 yr olds meeting the standard of counting with meaning, or one to one correspondence. Think about how you might make it an activity that involves problem solving.

LARGE NUMBERS
How can you help kids keep track of large counting numbers?

BEADS ON STRING
Make up a cardinal number activity. Make up an ordinal number activity.

CONVERSATION BLOCKS
Use these blocks to help kids talk about numbers.

BEADS IN BUCKETS
Use these materials to encourage cardinal number skills.

DOMINOES
Make up a counting game. Relate it to the real world.

NUMBER RHYTHMS
How can you connect sound and touch to numbers?

POTPOURRI
Make up some number activities with these materials.

FELT AND PIPS
Make number patterns to match dice patterns.

NOT IN THE MANIPULATIVES
Math is in a child's mind, not in the physical manipulatives. Use these materials to encourage thinking.

NUMBER SEARCH
How would you encourage kids to search for specific cardinal amounts (numbers) in the room?

STATION A

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