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# Starfall Kindergarten Math Assessment Overview



The Starfall Math Program challenges and engages children. The curriculum “spirals” which provides children with the opportunity to revisit concepts and strengthen their understanding. Starfall assessments provide useful information which enable you to guide, adapt, and differentiate instruction to meet each child’s individual needs.

The assessment component of the Starfall Math Program includes:

## ▶ **Entry Assessment**

The entry assessment establishes a baseline for each child, and should be administered during the first few weeks of the school year. Children may be periodically reassessed in any area not mastered on the entry assessment before administering the mid year assessment. Children who master all areas of the entry assessment may also be given the mid- year assessment at the beginning of the school year.

## ▶ **Mid-Year Assessment**

The mid-year assessment is extremely valuable. It allows the teacher to determine which children are on or above grade level, and which children need academic interventions. For children needing review and reinforcement, small math groups and one-on-one instruction are beneficial.

## ▶ **Exit Assessment**

The end of the year assessment concludes the Starfall math year. This assessment helps you to evaluate your instruction, and provides you with data regarding the children’s understanding of the concepts taught.

## ▶ **Summative Assessments**

Summative Assessments are conducted each week during Learning Centers on Day 5. These assessments provide ongoing evaluations of the skills and concepts presented during the unit. The Summative Assessments are directly related to the standards.

## ▶ **Formative Assessments**

Formative assessments are included at the end of each lesson. The goal of the formative assessment is to monitor children’s learning and to provide ongoing feedback. More specifically, formative assessments target areas that need additional practice, and help the teacher recognize areas in which children are struggling, and address those areas immediately.

# Starfall Kindergarten Math Assessment Overview

Entry Assessment	Mid-Year Assessment	Exit Assessment
<p>Use to determine children’s math skills and knowledge upon entry into kindergarten. Skills assessed are the ability to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Recognize numerals 0 – 10</li> <li>• Count from one to a given number</li> <li>• Count from a given number</li> <li>• Recognize basic geometric shapes</li> <li>• Describe positions of objects</li> <li>• Demonstrate one-to-one correspondence</li> <li>• Write numerals 1-10</li> <li>• Identify more/less</li> </ul>	<p>Use to reassess math skills not mastered on Entry Assessment and new skills introduced in the first semester. Skills assessed are the ability to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Recognize numerals 10 – 20</li> <li>• Skip count</li> <li>• Count from a number other than one</li> <li>• Distinguish greater than/less than or equal</li> <li>• Compare written numerals</li> <li>• Identify 2-D and 3-D shapes</li> <li>• Differentiate between 2D/3D shapes</li> <li>• Represent tens and ones</li> <li>• Measure length</li> <li>• Identify, describe and extend a pattern</li> <li>• Supply missing numeral in an equation</li> <li>• Classify and count objects</li> <li>• Count objects in scattered formation</li> <li>• Solve addition story problems</li> <li>• Write numerals 11-20</li> </ul>	<p>Use to reassess math skills not mastered on the previous assessments and new skills introduced in the second semester. Skills assessed are the ability to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Solve story problems</li> <li>• Break apart numbers in a variety of ways</li> <li>• Add and subtract to five</li> <li>• Identify and state value of coins</li> <li>• Use and interpret graphs</li> <li>• Create an array</li> <li>• Measure length/weight</li> </ul>

# Starfall Kindergarten Math Progress Monitoring Assessment Tool

## Entry Assessment



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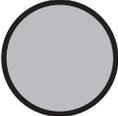
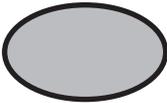
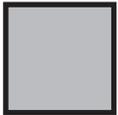
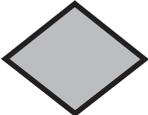
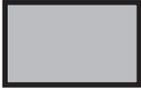
**1. Recognizes numerals 0-10.** (Counting & Cardinality: **CC.A.3**) Assessment Date: \_\_\_\_\_

<b>2</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>8</b>
<b>0</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>6</b>
<b>4</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>9</b>	

**2. Counts to a given number beginning at one** (Counting & Cardinality: **CC.A.1**) **and counts from a given number.** (Counting & Cardinality: **CC.A.2**) Assessment Date: \_\_\_\_\_

A. Counts to _____ starting at one.		
B. Counts forward from 4 to 10.	Yes	No
C. Counts forward from 11 to 20.	Yes	No
Comments: _____ _____		

**3. Recognizes basic shapes.** (Geometry: **G.A.2**) Assessment Date: \_\_\_\_\_

4. **Describes positions of objects.** (Geometry: **G.A.1**)

Assessment Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Materials:** A block or some other object, and an open container large enough to hold the object.

Put the container on the table in front of the child with the opening facing the student.

Hand the object to the child. Ask the child to perform the following tasks:

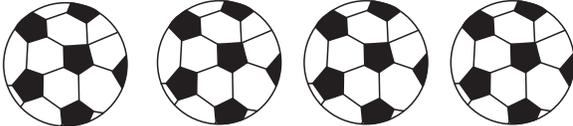
A.	Place the object <b>IN</b> the container.	Yes	No
B.	Place the object <b>BESIDE</b> the container.	Yes	No
C.	Place the object <b>ABOVE</b> the container.	Yes	No
D.	Place the object <b>UNDER</b> the container.	Yes	No
E.	Place the object <b>NEXT TO</b> the container.	Yes	No
F.	Place the object <b>BELOW</b> the container.	Yes	No
G.	Place the object <b>IN FRONT OF</b> the container.	Yes	No

5. **Counts objects to demonstrate one-to-one correspondence and writes the number to represent the set.**

Assessment Date: \_\_\_\_\_

(Counting & Cardinality: **CC.A.3**)

Instruct the child to count the objects in the first box and write the number of objects in the second box.

	
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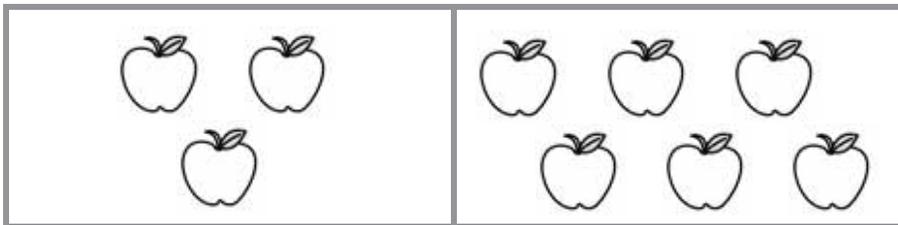
6. **Writes numbers 1-10** (Counting & Cardinality: **CC.A.3**)

Assessment Date: \_\_\_\_\_

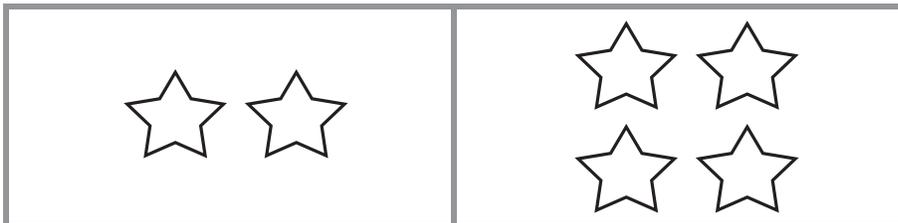
Instruct the child to write numerals 1-10 in the boxes below.


7. **Identifies more/less** (Counting & Cardinality: **CC.C.6**)

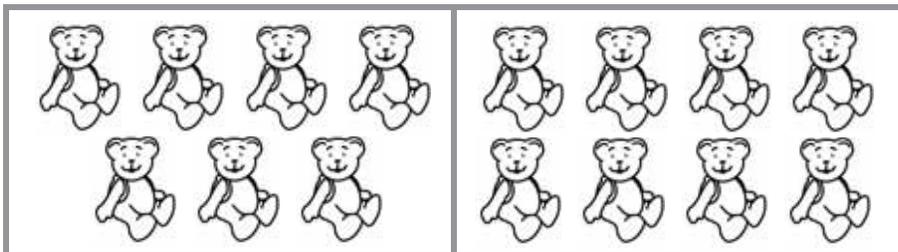
Assessment Date: \_\_\_\_\_



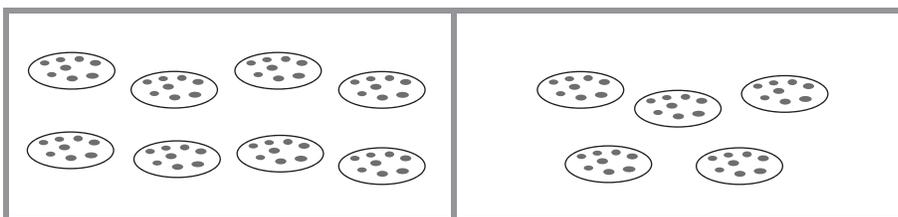
**Circle the set that has more.**



**Circle the set that has less.**



**Circle the set that has less.**



**Circle the set that has more.**

**Comments/Notes:**



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## Mid-Year Assessment



Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Date: \_\_\_\_\_

(Indicate the date of assessment next to each section. Re-assess and date any content not mastered during the initial assessment.)

**1. Recognizes numerals 10-20.** (Counting & Cardinality: **CC.A.3**)

Assessment Date: \_\_\_\_\_

<b>12</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>18</b>
<b>20</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>16</b>
<b>14</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>19</b>	

**2. Counts to a given number beginning at one** (Counting & Cardinality: **CC.A.1**) **and counts from a given number.** (Counting & Cardinality: **CC.A.2**)

Assessment Date: \_\_\_\_\_

A. Counts by tens to _____ .		
B. Counts forward from 21 to 30.	Yes	No
Comments: _____ _____		

**3. Identifies whether a number of objects in one group is greater than, less than, or equal to the number in another group.** (Counting & Cardinality: **CC.C.6**)

Assessment Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Materials:** Connect Cubes.

Create the following sets with connect cubes:

**A. 5 in one set / 9 in another.**

Ask: <b>Which group has more?</b>	Yes	No
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**B. 8 in one set / 10 in another.**

Ask: <i>Which group has less?</i>	Yes	No
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**C. 5 in one set / 3 in another set / 5 in another set**

Ask: <i>Which two groups have an equal number of cubes?</i>	Yes	No
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**4. Compares two written numerals between one and ten**  
(Counting & Cardinality: **CC.C.7**)

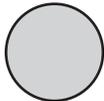
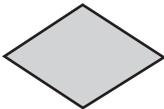
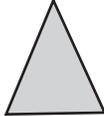
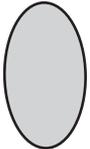
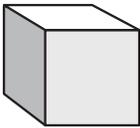
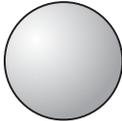
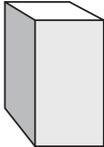
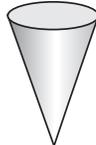
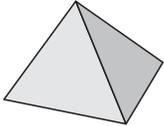
Assessment Date: \_\_\_\_\_

<b>6</b>	<b>1</b>	Ask: <i>Which of these two numbers is greater than the other?</i> Yes      No
<b>4</b>	<b>8</b>	Ask: <i>Which of these two numbers is less than the other?</i> Yes      No
<b>5</b>	<b>2</b>	Ask: <i>Which of these two numbers is less than the other?</i> Yes      No
<b>9</b>	<b>3</b>	Ask: <i>Which of these two numbers is greater than the other?</i> Yes      No

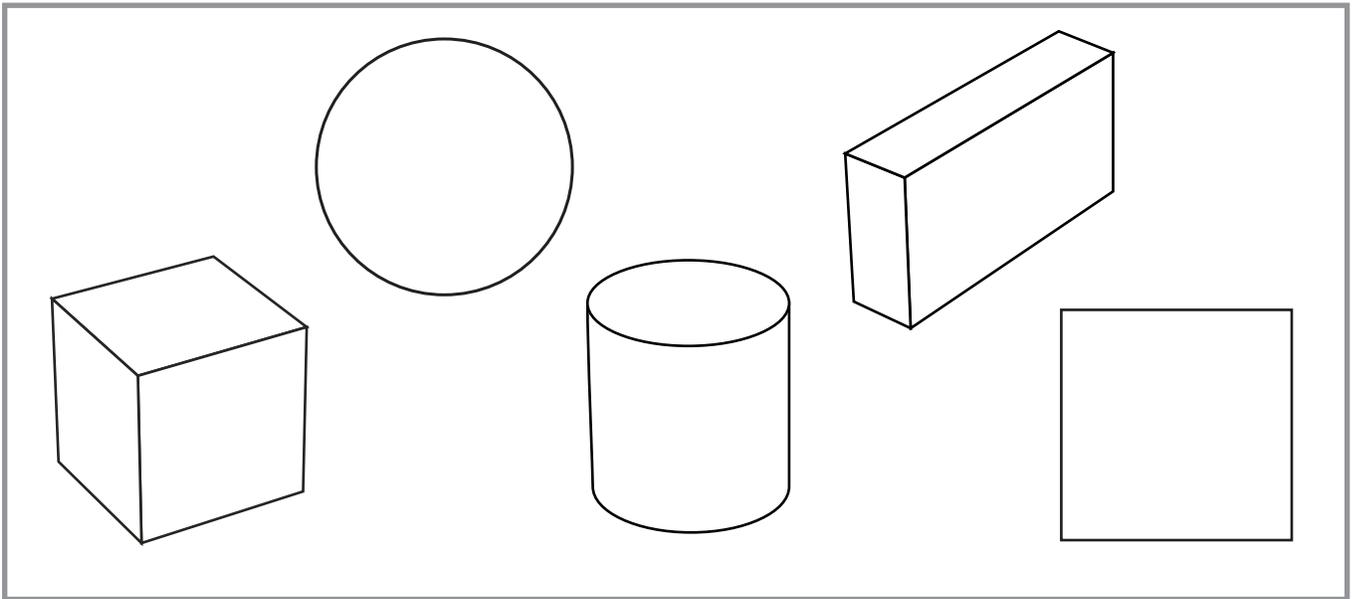
**5. Identifies shapes as two-dimensional or three-dimensional**  
(Geometry: **G.A.3**)

Assessment Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Instruct the child to identify each two-dimensional and three-dimensional shape. Indicate mastery by placing a + under the shape.

Instruct the child to circle the solid shapes and color the flat shapes.



6. Shows that numbers from 11-19 represent a group of ten ones and some additional ones. (NBT.1)

Assessment Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Materials:** 25 connect cubes

Do the following example with the child:

Say: ***If I wanted to make a set of 15 by making a set of ten and a set of leftover ones, what would it look like?*** (assist child in constructing a tower of 10 and 5 individual cubes next to it. Disassemble the cubes.) ***Now you try some by yourself.***

Say: <b><i>Make 12 using a set of ten and ones.</i></b>	Yes	No
Say: <b><i>Make 16 using a set of ten and ones.</i></b>	Yes	No
Say: <b><i>Make 21 using a set of ten and ones.</i></b>	Yes	No

7. Describes measurable attributes of objects, such as length. (Measurement & Data: MD.A.1)

Assessment Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Materials:** Paper clips, pencil, book

Say: <b><i>Use the paper clips to measure the pencil.</i></b>	Answer _____ Began measuring at baseline? Y N
Say: <b><i>Use the paper clips to measure how wide the book is.</i></b>	Answer _____ Began measuring at baseline? Y N

8. **Identifies, describes, or extends simple patterns.** (Starfall.OA.1)

**Materials:** 10 Pencils and 10 crayons

Create an AB pattern for the child using a pencil and a crayon.

Say: **Look at this pattern. What is the rule for this pattern?** \_\_\_\_\_

**Continue the pattern using these pencils and crayons:** Yes No

Create an AABB pattern for the child using pencils and crayons.

Say: **Look at this pattern. What is the rule for this pattern?** \_\_\_\_\_

**Continue the pattern using these pencils and crayons:** Yes No

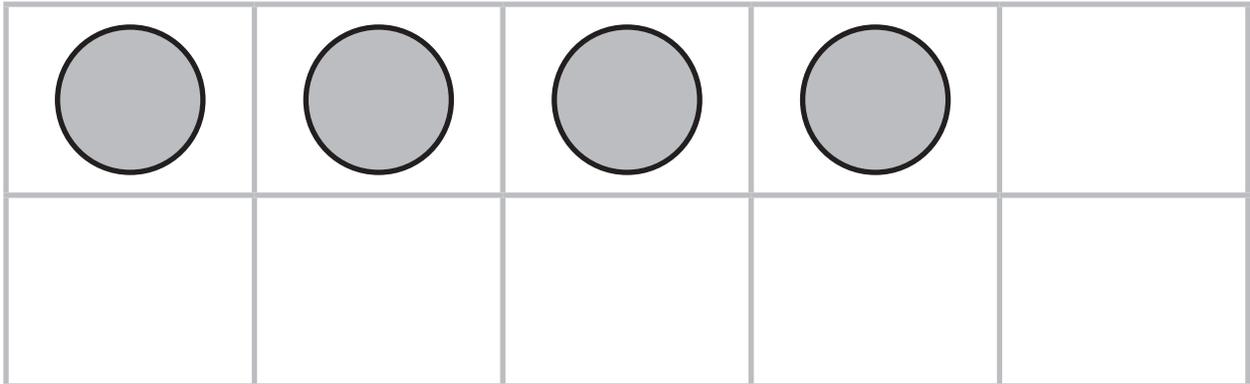
9. **Finds the number that makes ten when added to a given number and records the answer with a drawing.** (K.OA.A.4.)

Assessment Date: \_\_\_\_\_

A. Ask: **How many circles are there?** \_\_\_\_\_

B. Ask: **How many more do you need to make ten?** \_\_\_\_\_

C. Instruct the child to draw circles to complete the ten-frame and to finish the equation below.



$$4 + \underline{\quad\quad\quad} = 10$$

10. **Classifies objects into given categories and counts the number of objects in each category.**  
(Measurement & Data: **MD.B.3**)

Assessment Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Materials:** An assortment of attribute blocks with a variety of shapes, sizes and colors.

<p>Say: <b>Sort these blocks by color.</b></p> <p>Ask: <b>How many (color) blocks do you have?</b></p>	<p>Yes      No</p> <p>_____</p>
<p>Say: <b>Sort these blocks by shape.</b></p> <p>Ask: <b>How many circles do you have in your set?</b></p>	<p>Yes      No</p> <p>_____</p>
<p>Say: <b>Sort these blocks by size.</b></p> <p>Ask: <b>How many small blocks do you have?</b></p>	<p>Yes      No</p> <p>_____</p>

11. **Counts objects in a scattered configuration to 10.**  
(Counting & Cardinality; **CC.B.5**)

Assessment Date: \_\_\_\_\_

1. Place the 7 cubes or counters in a scattered formation. Ask the child to count the cubes/counters. Write the number on the line and indicate the strategy used to count. (i.e. Child touched each counter, child rearranged the counters to count, etc.).

number	strategy
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2. Repeat with 9 scattered cubes or counters.

number	strategy
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12. **Represents addition with manipulatives.**  
(Operations & Algebraic Thinking: **CC.OA.A.1**)

Assessment Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Provide 10 counters to the child. Explain that counters can be used to help solve the problem. Read each story and write the child's answer.

**Story 1**

***Backpack Bear had 2 cookies. His friend gave him 3 more cookies. How many cookies does Backpack Bear have now?***

Answer: \_\_\_\_\_ Comments:

**Story 2**

***There were 7 flowers in your garden. Two more flowers grew. How many flowers are in your garden now?***

Answer: \_\_\_\_\_ Comments:

13. **Writes numerals from 11-20** (Counting & Cardinality: **CC.A.3**)

Assessment Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Have children write the numerals 11-20 in the boxes below.




# Starfall Kindergarten Math Progress Monitoring Assessment Tool

## Exit Assessment



Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Indicate the date of assessment next to each section.)

### 1. Represents addition and subtraction in a variety of ways.

Assessment date: \_\_\_\_\_

(Operations and Algebraic Thinking: **OA.A.1**)

**Materials:** Provide counters

Read story problems aloud to child, and record his or her answers.

Backpack Bear and his friend went to the zoo. Then 3 more friends joined them. How many tickets will they need to buy to get into the zoo?	_____
Backpack Bear and his mom went on a picnic. They brought 4 honey sandwiches. They ate 2 of the honey sandwiches. How many honey sandwiches did they have left?	_____

### 2. Decomposes (breaks apart) numbers in a variety of ways.

Assessment date: \_\_\_\_\_

(Operations and Algebraic Thinking: **OA.A.3**)

**Materials:** Provide a train using 7 connect cubes.

Instruct the child to divide the cubes into 2 groups.

Ask: **How many cubes are in each group?**

**How many cubes are there altogether?**

**Write the number sentence.**

$$\boxed{\phantom{00}} + \boxed{\phantom{00}} = \boxed{\phantom{00}}$$

Ask: **Is there another way you could divide the 7 cubes into two groups?**

**How many cubes are in each group?**

**How many cubes are there altogether?**

**Write the number sentence.**

$$\boxed{\phantom{00}} + \boxed{\phantom{00}} = \boxed{\phantom{00}}$$

**Materials:** Provide 9 connect cubes.

Instruct the child to divide the cubes into two groups.

Ask: **How many cubes are in each group?**

**How many cubes are there altogether?**

**Write the number sentence.**

$$\boxed{\phantom{00}} + \boxed{\phantom{00}} = \boxed{\phantom{00}}$$

3. **Fluently adds and subtracts within one to five.**  
(Operations and Algebraic Thinking: **OA.A.5**)

Assessment date: \_\_\_\_\_

Instruct the child to listen to and answer the following addition and subtraction problems. The child may use his or her fingers if needed.

$2 + 3 = \underline{\quad}$	$3 + 2 = \underline{\quad}$	$0 + 4 = \underline{\quad}$	$1 + 4 = \underline{\quad}$
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$5 - 2 = \underline{\quad}$	$3 - 3 = \underline{\quad}$	$5 - 0 = \underline{\quad}$	$4 - 1 = \underline{\quad}$
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$5 - 4 = \underline{\quad}$	$4 + 1 = \underline{\quad}$	$3 - 2 = \underline{\quad}$	$2 - 0 = \underline{\quad}$
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4. **Identify and give the value of each coin.** (Starfall Money: **M.1**)

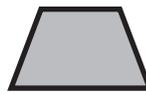
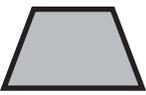
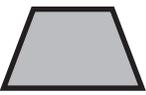
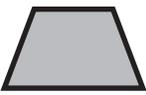
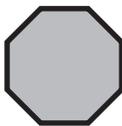
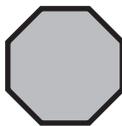
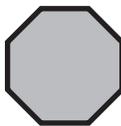
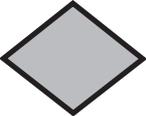
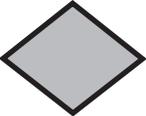
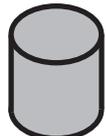
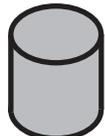
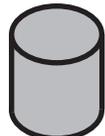
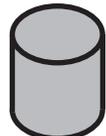
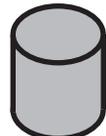
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Point to each coin. Ask the child to identify the coin and tell its value.

Coin	Value
	
	
	
	

5. **Use and interpret graphs.** (Starfall Measurement & Data: **MD.2**)  
**Assess identification of shape and interpretation of the graph.**

Assessment date: \_\_\_\_\_

Ask:

- Which shape are there the most of?**
- Which shape are there the least of?**
- Which two shapes are there an equal number of?**
- How many more trapezoids are there than octagons?**

6. **Counts to answer how many objects are in an array.**  
(Counting and Cardinality: **CC.B.5**)

Assessment date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Materials:** 20 connect cubes

Instruct the child to create an array using the connect cubes.

Ask: **How many cubes are in your array?**

\_\_\_\_\_ Note if child counted by 1's, 2's, 5's or 10's.

7. **Measurement** (Measurement and Data: **MD.A.2**)

Assessment date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Materials:** Bottle of glue and a pencil

Ask: **Which object is longer?** \_\_\_\_\_ (answer)

Ask: **Which object is heavier?** \_\_\_\_\_ (answer)



























































