

Title of Book: **The Cheerios Counting Book**

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Grade Levels for Recommended Use: K

TEKS: (K.4A) Students develop number and operations through several fundamental concepts. Students know number names and the counting sequence. Counting and cardinality lay a solid foundation for number. Students apply the principles of counting to make the connection between numbers and quantities.

Brief Summary: This trade book is designed to help kindergarten students learn and reinforce counting to ten and adding by groups of ten. The book uses photographs of actual size Cheerios as a familiar visual aid to teach the connection between numbers and quantities.

Materials needed: Bags of cheerios, Poster with circles, post-its with numbers on them

Suggested Activity:

I. Read –Aloud: The Cheerios Counting Book

II. After reading the book, the teacher will pass out small posters with numbered post-its

III. The students will place the amount of Cheerios to the corresponding numbered post-its next to the circles. They will place the correct amount of Cheerios in the circles labeled with a number.

IV. Students will share out how they completed the task.

References: <http://www.teaching-tiny-tots.com/toddler-math-cheerio-count.html>

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