10-15 minute activities/ games

Add to 10 – use objects to help answer. Count out 10 objects, place in a bowl or bucket to avoid distracting. Talk about the number sentence take out the required objects that models the number sentence. For instance:

3 + 2 = \_

Count 3 cars from the bowl and then count 2 cars – then add together to find the answer

<https://cdn.oxfordowl.co.uk/2016/05/10/08/28/28/967/20163_content/Add_to_10.html?username=kid>

Game similar to connect 4 with some addition questions – to support finding the answer do the same as suggested above.

<https://cdn.oxfordowl.co.uk/2016/05/05/20/22/49/638/20098_content/index.html>

Create a pattern:

<https://cdn.oxfordowl.co.uk/2018/04/18/08/02/44/448/PWO_Age_3_4_colours_and_patterns.pdf>

One more one less – to help count out same number of objects as counter and talk about 1 more and 1 less showing/ modelling for him if required to find the answer – then put the answer in the box.

<https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/api/interactives/24481.html>

Free reading books that link to phonics – you will need to set up an account, but I understand that then you can read the books together on a tablet:

<https://home.oxfordowl.co.uk/reading/reading-age-4-5-reception/>

[https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/for-home/find-a-book/library-page/?view=image&query=&type=book&age\_group=Age+4-5&level=&level\_select=&book\_type=&series=#](https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/for-home/find-a-book/library-page/?view=image&query=&type=book&age_group=Age+4-5&level=&level_select=&book_type=&series=)

Cbeebies games:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/games>

Kids games: please check before playing that game is suitable.

<https://www.games.co.uk/games/kids>

Additional games:

make some cards with numbers on and using clothing pegs get him to clip the peg on a number and then hang on string - it's a good fine motor skill and can be used to help counting and number recognition.

'snap' – if you can get hold of a pack of ‘snap’ cards - good for hand eye coordination.

Eye Spy objects – guess which object I am thinking of starting with letter…. You can write the letter and get child to write letter then guess the object.