



Key Instant Recall Facts EYFS - Autumn 2



I can recognise quantities, without counting, up to 5 (subitising)

By the end of this half term, children should know the following facts. The aim is for them to be able to recall these facts **instantly**.

Children should be able to recognise a small group of objects (up to 5) without needing to count them.



Children should know that this tens frame shows 5 without counting.

And, that this shows 4 cubes without counting.



Children should be able to recognise that this shows 3 without the need to count.

The ability to be able to recognise an amount of objects without needing to count is called **subitising**.

Top Tips

The secret to success is practising little and often. Use time wisely. Practise these KIRFs whilst walking to school or during a car journey.

Things to try at home

- Use practical resources to show your child a small group of objects and ask them how many there are **without counting**!
- Log into Numbots or play some online games at <https://www.nctm.org/Classroom-Resources/Illuminations/Interactives/Five-Frame/> or <https://www.topmarks.co.uk/learning-to-count/ladybird-spots>

Remember, subitising means we don't count! Use your 'fast eyes' to notice how many.

Key Vocabulary

subitise

fast eyes

What do you notice?

1, 2, 3, 4, 5