

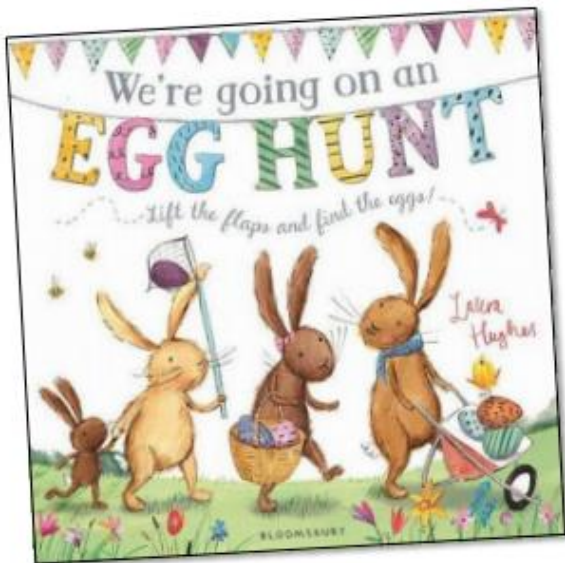
Year R maths home learning: Week 2

This week maths activities will be focused around a book. Before starting any activities with your child watch the following link for the story "We're going on an egg hunt".

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VIxOrCXHLi8>

You don't need the book to complete the activities.

Activity 1 -



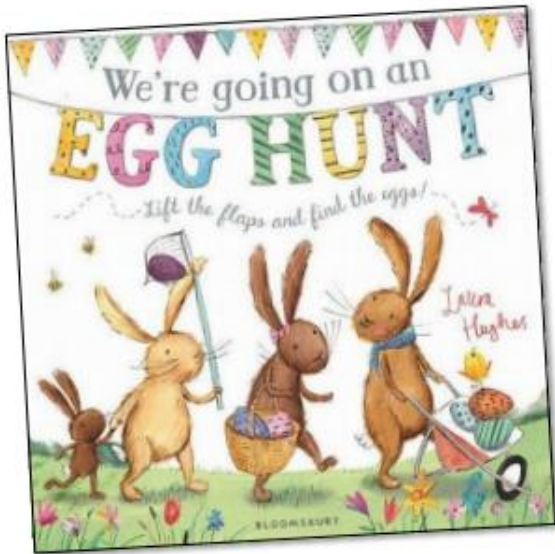
Egg Hunt

Set up an Easter egg hunt of your own with different coloured chocolate eggs. (You could even make your own collection basket or use empty egg boxes to put them in.)

Once you've collected the eggs talk about the following with your child.

- Lets sort them into colours & sizes, which has the most? Which has the fewest?
- How could we share the eggs equally between us?
- If I have 3 blue and 2 green how many do I have altogether in my basket?
- Whoops, I ate one! What happens now?

Activity 2



Egg Box Play

Use empty 10 hole egg boxes or ice trays for sorting trays.

Draw on the bottom of the egg box numbers in order. Go hunting for tiny objects of the same amount to put inside.

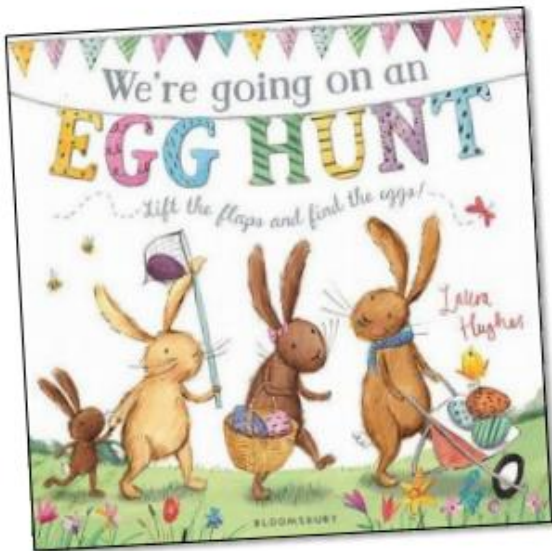
Questions to share with your child:

- I wonder what kind of objects will fit? Will we need smaller objects for bigger numbers? Why?

Follow Up activities:

- Write the numbers out of order on a new egg box and play a reveal game. Which number is under which egg?
- For the number under the egg lets do that many skips hops jumps or bunny ears!

Activity 3



Making Collections

Go on a springtime walk and hunt objects that your child finds interesting. You could take a basket or use any container from around the house.

Once you've been on your springtime walk use the objects and talk about the following with your child.

- Spread the objects out and talk about them, what do you notice? Are there any similarities or differences?
- Sort them into groups e.g. What materials they are made of, what shapes they are similar to, how do they feel, do they have spots or stripes? holes or points?
- Ask your child to explain their thinking, why are they in the same group?
- Can we make a pattern with our objects?