

What it is good for: accurate counting, numeral writing, problem solving and number sums.





What you need: paper and pen to make simple chart (shown opposite) or 'house number hunt sheet' printed (document on class page)

What to do:

- Look at 'house number hunt sheet'. Make sure you understand what each of the objects are and what you are looking for around your house.
- 2. Using a clip board or book to lean on, start at the top; look for 'windows'. Go round your house finding and counting each object at a time. Record the number you find. Keep going until you have recorded the correct number of all objects.
- 3. Look at your results. What are there most of? What are there fewest of?
- 4. Answer some more questions on your results:
 - How many doors and windows are there altogether? Show your working out.
 - How many more windows are there than doors? Show your working out.

Extension: Can you double or half any of the numbers?