Math Talk

Math is everywhere!

Using Math Talk throughout the day builds a strong math foundation for your child. Math Talk like small/big, tall/short, more/less teaches your child about measurement. Math Talk like up/down, near/far, under/over teaches your child about positions and directions. Math Talk like same/different teaches your child about sorting and patterns.

Practice

Songs like B-i-n-g-o, Wheels on the Bus, and Old McDonald are full of Math Talk.

The more Math Talk your child hears, the better prepared he'll be to learn math in school.

Remember

Tune In to what your child is focused on and Talk More by counting or talking about what shapes you see. Encourage your child to Take Turns by counting or pointing to shapes with you. Do simple addition or substraction with your child using everyday objects. Talk More about how adding one block on top of another gives you two blocks.