

# FIG at Home

## NUMBER MAZE

Kids can learn numbers and simple addition using this easy to make cardboard maze.

### MATERIALS

- Paper towel or toilet paper tubes
- Scissors
- Tape
- Cardboard box or aluminum baking pans with tall sides
- Small ball - like a golf ball or a marble
- Markers or crayons



### INSTRUCTIONS

1. If you are using a cardboard box, cut in half. For more creative fun, decorate the bottom or sides of the box.
2. Cut the paper towel or toilet paper tubes, in half, on the long side.
3. Cut the rolls into one inch sections.
4. Use tape to connect the one inch sections to the bottom of the cardboard box or baking pan. Make sure the sections are wide enough for your ball to travel easily through.
5. Number the tubes any way you wish. We opted for a simple 1-5, but other ideas are counting by 5s, 10s, odd numbers, or even numbers.
6. Roll your ball through the numbers. Some ideas for play are practice counting in numerical order, simple addition, just trying to get the ball through all the tubes.

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