



Understanding Object Counting Consistency

Today's Standard

K.CC.B4b - Understand that the last number name said tells the number of objects counted. The number of objects is the same regardless of their arrangement or the order in which they were counted.

Cues	Notes
What does the last number name represent?	The last number name said tells the total number of objects.
Does arrangement affect the total count?	The arrangement of objects does not change the total count.
Does counting order affect the total count?	The order in which objects are counted does not change the total count.
Why is this concept important?	This concept is important for developing number sense and understanding quantities.
How can we practice this skill?	Practice by counting objects in different arrangements and sequences.

Summary

Understanding that the last number name said represents the total number of objects, regardless of arrangement or counting order, is crucial for developing foundational math skills.