**Card maths game Friday: First To 100**

This simple game is perfect for car journeys or the 10 minutes before dinner, and it will get your children practising their maths skills in a fun and exciting way!

You don’t have to always play to 100. You could make the number easier or harder for your child.

**What you need to play:**

* A deck of playing cards
* A sheet of paper

**How to play:**

*Step 1:*Shuffle a pack of cards and place face down. Each player takes one card and turns it over in front of them.

*Step 2:*Record the number on the card (Ace is worth 1 and picture cards are worth 10).

*Step 3:*Each player then takes a second card and adds the number to the first number, recording it on the paper.

*Step 4:*Keep taking cards until the first person reaches 100. They are the winner.

**Game extension idea**

A variation on this game can be to start at 100 and keep subtracting until someone gets down to zero.