

Currency Recognition Activity

DESCRIPTION										
<p>This activity has been developed to help young participants recognise coins and notes. The activity is aimed at generating increased familiarisation with Australian currency.</p> <p>This activity allows facilitators to gather an understanding of the educational level of the children and young people they are working with by asking the group the different currencies in Australian money.</p>										
TIME										
5 – 10 minutes										
AGE APPROPRIATENESS										
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LEARNING OUTCOMES										
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Identification / familiarisation of currency• Increases financial vocabulary• Increase skills with financial calculations										
INSTRUCTIONS										
<p>This activity begins by asking children and young people the different currencies in Australian money. Depending on the age of the children and young people, facilitators ask questions such as how different notes and coins add up to different amounts e.g. $\\$10 + \\$10 = \\$20$.</p>										
RESOURCES										
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Magnetic Money• Big Notes										
QUALITY ASSESSMENT										
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Engages children and young people• Relevant to ACMNA017 and ACMNA034 of the Australian School Curriculum• Suitable for presentation in remote schools										

