

## Rolling Bones

**Activity:** Get a pair of dice and roll them on a table or floor. Count the numbers that show on the dice with your child each time they're rolled.

Teach your child how to add or subtract by adding and removing dice. As you add or remove the dice count the numbers on the dice.

Roll the dice as many times as you need to reach 25. The player with the fewest times rolled that reaches 25 wins.

After a player has reached 25, roll the dice again to see who can reach zero with the fewest rolls.

Add another pair of dice and roll to 50.

**What your child is doing:** When you play games with your child he or she is learning how to take turns with others. Your child is also beginning to understand patience while waiting for his or her turn to roll the dice.

This activity provides your child with the opportunity to practice counting, and an awareness of adding and subtracting numbers. As you and your child roll the dice, write down the numbers you roll and help your child write his or her numbers on a piece of paper. If your child needs help writing the numbers, write down the number, and have your child trace your number.

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Date	Description of Activity	Amount of Time	Value or per Hour Rate	Your Relationship to Child

Participant Name (Please Print) \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Staff Name (Please Print) \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_