Maths: All about the Number Zero

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Look at the bottom of this page, can you see the number O? Can you trace over the numbers at the bottom of the page? You could try writing some Os of your own too.

Look at a phone, computer keyboard or calculator. Can you find the number zero? It looks like a circle or oval shape.



Zero is very important in lots of big numbers. Do you know what these numbers are; 10 and 100? Zero is often used in the year number too. Can you write the year? Does it have any 0s in it? What year were you born in? Does this have any 0s in?

Phone numbers often have Os in them. Ask an adult to help you learn an important phone number, such as your home phone number or a phone number



for your Mummy or Daddy's phone. You could write it down on a piece of paper. Does it have any Os in it? Hidden around the page are 4 balloons. Can you find them all? Draw a cross on each balloon or use a hole punch to make a hole and 'pop' each one. How many balloons are left once each has been 'popped'?

There were 3 apples on a tree. If they are all picked, how many apples would be left on the tree? Try d r a w i n g a picture to help you.



