

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Letter to Family**

Dear Family,

I would like you to play a game with your child in which you use your fingers to add. Have your child show all 10 of his or her fingers. Then show some of your fingers. Ask, *How many fingers in all?* For example, if your child shows all 10 of his or her fingers and you show 7 of your fingers, there are 17 fingers in all. Do this a number of times. Each time, ask your child how many fingers he or she sees. Ask your child to draw a picture of the fingers for one of the numbers and to write the number below the picture.

In class we will organize the pictures by putting together all the pictures that show 11, that show 12, etc.

Your child needs to bring this to school by \_\_\_\_\_.  
(date)

Thank you for your help.

Sincerely,