  

LESSON IDEAS

**Activities for**

**5 - 6 year olds**

**Senior Infants**

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**Age group:** 5-6 years old

**Duration:** 30 minutes

**Garden math activities for growing minds**

**The theme of the lesson:** " Seeds and plants”

Outline of the activity:

1. Greeting with a song: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Cd2O4utPw6c> 

2. Sow some seeds in cardboard jars. (Count the rocks as we pull them out of the soil, count plants….)

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3. Flower bead lacing (fine motor counting)

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**Specific goals:**

* Count and represent objects including coins to 10
* Match a quantity with a numeral
* Compare numbers
* Creating situations for playing together.
* Developing the child's creativity.

**Learning Objectives**

* Provides hands-on learning in a variety of subjects
* Teaches students to focus and grow in patience, cooperation, teamwork and math skills
* Math (measurement of plants, calculating perimeter …)

**Methods:** verbal conversations, explanations, practical action

**Forms of work**: individual, collective.