

Meet the Coins with Mateo

Five activity pages • Ages 4–7 with grown-up support

Print. Try. Talk together.



You need a pencil and crayons. Real coins are optional; a grown-up should supervise their use. A child does not need to read independently.

- 1 Start with the coin reference. Find a penny, nickel, dime, and quarter together.
- 2 Try the five activity sheets. Practice one coin at a time, then check the coin values.
- 3 Use the answer guide at the end. Praise careful looking and trying again.

Printing tip: use US Letter paper. Print at actual size (100%). All content fits inside normal printer margins. For two-sided printing, use the long-edge setting.

Mateo Goes to the Store: Coin Counting Workbook

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STEP 1

Four coins Mateo will practice counting:



PENNY
1¢



NICKEL
5¢



DIME
10¢



QUARTER
25¢

The dime is the smallest coin, but it is not worth the least!

Coins may have different pictures on the back. Look at the coin's size and value to help identify it.

Tip: Pennies are copper-colored. Nickels, dimes, and quarters are silver-colored.

A penny is worth 1 cent.



PENNY

Trace the word:

PENNY PENNY

Trace the value:

1¢ 1¢ 1¢

Find the pennies
Circle the 4 pennies.



Draw 1 dot inside Mateo's coin
pouch.



A nickel is worth 5 cents.



NICKEL

Trace the word:

NICKEL NICKEL

Trace the value:

5¢ 5¢ 5¢

Find the nickels
Circle the 3 nickels.



Count to five

1 2 3 4 5

Color 5 stars.

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A dime is worth 10 cents.



DIME

**The dime is the
smallest coin.**

Trace the word:

DIME DIME

Trace the value:

10¢ 10¢ 10¢

**Find the dimes Circle the
3 dimes.**



**Which coin is smaller? Put
an X on the smaller coin.**



A quarter is worth 25 cents.



QUARTER

Trace the word:

QUARTER QUARTER

Trace the value:

25¢ 25¢ 25¢

**Find the quarters
Circle the 4 quarters.**



Quarter Quarter! A quarter is worth twenty-five cents.

STEP 2

Look at each coin. Circle how much it is worth.

1.



1¢

5¢

10¢

2.



25¢

10¢

5¢

3.



1¢

25¢

5¢

4.



10¢

25¢

1¢

5.



5¢

10¢

25¢

6.



1¢

10¢

25¢

7.



5¢

1¢

25¢

8.



10¢

5¢

1¢

Take your time, amigo. Look at the coin before choosing!

For grown-ups

Answers and gentle prompts

Penny sheet • original page 6

A penny is worth 1 cent. Circle the four pennies. Draw one dot in the pouch.

Nickel sheet • original page 7

A nickel is worth 5 cents. Circle the three nickels. Count to five and color five stars.

Dime sheet • original page 8

A dime is worth 10 cents. Circle the three dimes. Mark the smaller coin: the dime.

Quarter sheet • original page 9

A quarter is worth 25 cents. Circle the four quarters.

Coin-value quiz • original page 12

Answers 1-8: 1¢, 10¢, 5¢, 25¢, 10¢, 1¢, 25¢, 5¢.

The reference and five activity pages are selected whole pages from the Coin Counting Workbook. Original page numbers remain visible; they are not missing pages in this pack.

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Try one page at a time. Read directions aloud, let your child point or answer out loud, and stop for a break when needed.