

Learning About Money:

“Where your treasure is, there your heart will be also” (Matt 6:21)

Where you put your money shows what you value the most. It is incredibly important that children learn what giving is and how it plays out in their lives. If in the beginning, they take it out of their allowance. It won't seem like a loss, but a gain. They get to put their money in the giving tray. As Sunday school teachers and parents we need to be able to tell then children who their giving money is going to help. Children are natural givers. If you include them in your giving and allow them to experience giving their own money, they will often become excited about helping others. Teach the children that God gave all money to us and that we need to give it back to Him, through giving to the church and missions. It is His after all.

Lessons:

Widow's mite <http://www.sundayschoolpages.com/2010/03/03/widows-mite/>

Giving (<http://www.sundayschoolpages.com/2010/03/03/giving/>)

Important Point: Value-Based lessons/ games folder to teach and play with young children. This large Folder-Games file, not only teaches the mathematical value of money, but also bible verses and principles of giving, saving and spending.

Direction: Print out the pages. Be careful to note which ones are card stock, which you want in color ,and which are front and back.

Materials: glue sticks, scissors, stapler, 3 wing fasteners, 3 paper clips, velcro, laminator, card stock, 3 file folders, 2 letter-size envelopes, 1 sheet construction paper,

Real Coins in Bag (at least)

Dollar= 1

Quarters= 4

Dimes= 5


Nickels= 5

Pennies= 10


Assemble:

1


USA Money




dollar




quarter



dime



nickel



penny

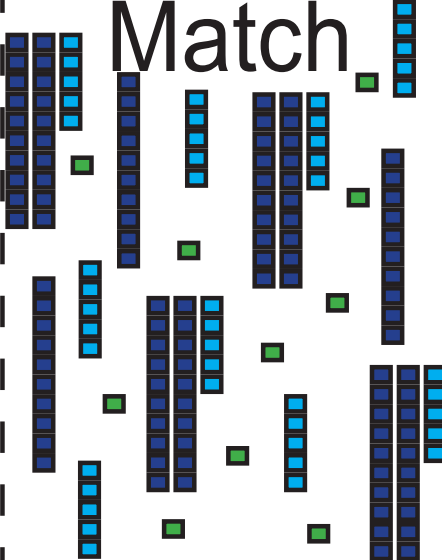
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Match Coins to the Pictures




3

Match



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Money Exchange



= quarters?

= dimes?

= nickels?

= pennies?

One Dollar

*Use the pretend money to show how many quarters, nickels and dimes are in 1 dollar.

*Use the Math-u-see blocks to represent the number of dimes, quarters and pennies that are in 1 dollar.

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Money Exchange

Quarters



= dimes and nickels?

= nickels?

= pennies?

= dimes?


*Use the pretend money to show how many pennies, nickels and dimes are in 1 quarter.

*Use the Math-u-see blocks to represent the number of dimes, nickels and pennies that are in 1 quarter.

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Money Exchange

Dimes, Nickels, and Pennies



= nickels?

= pennies?

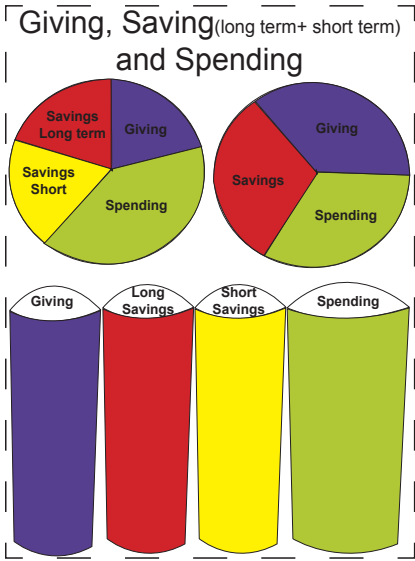
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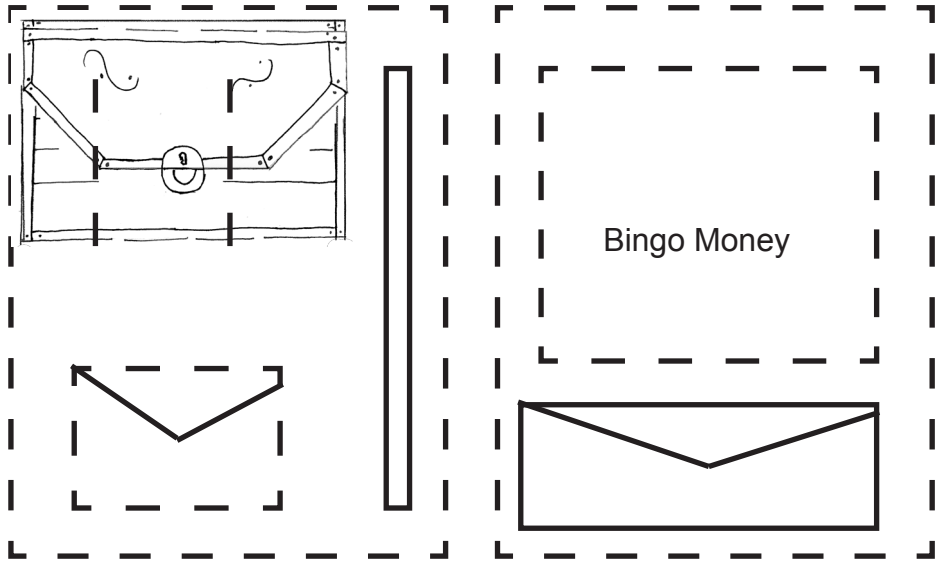
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*Use the Math-u-see blocks to represent the number of dimes, quarters and pennies that are in 1 dollar.

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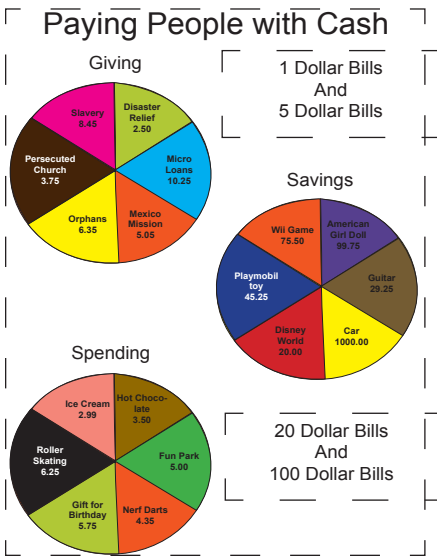


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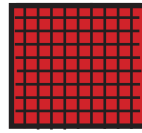
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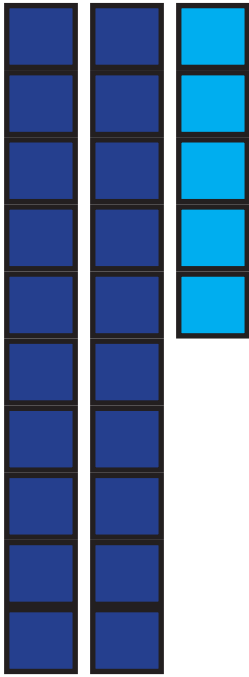
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USA Money



dollar 100



quarter 25



dime 10



nickel 5



penny 1

Money Exchange



= quarters?



= dimes?



= nickels?



= pennies?

*Use the pretend money to show how many quarters, nickels and dimes are in 1 dollar.

*Use the Math-u-see blocks to represent the number of dimes, quarters and pennies that are in 1 dollar.

One Dollar

Quarters



= dimes and nickels?



= nickels?



= pennies?



= dimes?

*Use the pretend money to show how many pennies, nickels and dimes are in 1 quarter.

*Use the Math-u-see blocks to represent the number of dimes, nickels and pennies that are in 1 quarter.

Dimes, Nickels, and Pennies



= nickels?



= pennies?



= pennies?



= pennies?

*Use the pretend money to show how many quarters, nickels and dimes are in 1 dollar.

*Use the Math-u-see blocks to represent the number of dimes, quarters and pennies that are in 1 dollar.