



Skittles

You will need:

Skittles (either bought or made from bottles), paper and pencil, large ball.

How to play:

Set up the skittles in a triangle. Take it in turns to roll the ball towards the skittles. Count the number of skittles knocked down - this is the number of points you have. Tally the number of points you won. Have three turns each - who can win the most points?

Mathematical ideas to explore:

- "If you have 6 points so far and now you have won 3 more, how many points altogether?"
- "How many more points do you need until you reach ten/twenty?"
- "What is the maximum/minimum number of points you can score?"
- On the last turn - "How many points do you need to win?"

