Money Dominoes Game

MODULE 8





Money Dominoes

Learning Objective: Students will match each amount of money using different symbols and coins.

Content Objective: Students will understand the many ways to make or write different amounts of money.

Procedure:

- 1. Begin by reviewing the value of each coin and the different ways to make each one.
- 2. If you have coins available, show each amount using actual coins as well as the cards.
- 3. Next, flip the domino cards upright and review the different amounts on the cards. Show the many ways to make each amount that is a part of the game.
 - a. For younger students who struggle to make each amount, leave the cards on the projector so they can use it as a key as they play the game.
- 4. Then go over the directions for playing Money Dominoes.
 - a. Flip all the dominoes face down and shuffle them by randomly mixing them around. The collection of shuffled dominoes is called the "boneyard."
 - b. Each player draws four dominoes without letting the other players see the dominoes.
 - c. You can decide who goes first in a different way each time. The person with the earliest birthday in the year? Youngest player? Oldest player? Alphabetically? Whatever you decide. Mix it up so different players get to go first each time.
 - d. The first player lays any domino on the table.
 - e. The next player tries to match one end of a domino in their hand to the domino the first player played. Dominoes can be matched when the card's total, the card's symbol, or the card's words have the same value.
 - f. If a player is unable to play, the player must draw from the boneyard until a piece that can be played is drawn.
 - g. If there are no dominoes left in the boneyard, the player passes their turn.
 - h. The first player to get rid of all their dominoes wins the hand.
 - i. If no players can make a match, the hand or game ends in a block.
 - j. In the case of a block, the players turn the dominoes in their hands face up for counting.
 - k. The player with the lowest total wins the hand or game.
 - l. Wild cards can be played on any card.
- 5. There are many ways to play dominoes. This is just one. This deck should work with any domino game you would like to share with your students.













































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