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## Two-digit number 'follow me' cards

Cut out the cards and share them around a small group. Choose a start card and read out the lower part of the card. The child who has the matching answer says the number and then reads out the rest of the card. Continue around the loop until you return to the start card. Use the cards several times. Try to get faster each time.

The cards can also be sorted into the correct loop by a pair of children working together.

89	32	64
I have three tens and	I have six tens and	I have five tens and
two ones. What is my	four ones. What is my	three ones. What is
number?	number?	my number?
53	13	23
I have one ten and	I have two tens and	I have four tens and
three ones. What is	three ones. What is	five ones. What is my
my number?	my number?	number?
45	79	97
I have seven tens and	l have nine tens and	I have six tens and
nine ones. What is	seven ones. What is	two ones. What is my
my number?	my number?	number?

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62	19	54
I have one ten and	I have five tens and	I have two tens and
nine ones. What is	four ones. What is my	seven ones. What is
my number?	number?	my number?
27	42	38
I have four tens and	I have three tens and	I have two tens and
two ones. What is my	eight ones. What is	six ones. What is my
number?	my number?	number?
26	83	56
I have eight tens and	I have five tens and	I have eight tens and
three ones. What is	six ones. What is my	nine ones. What is
my number?	number?	my number?