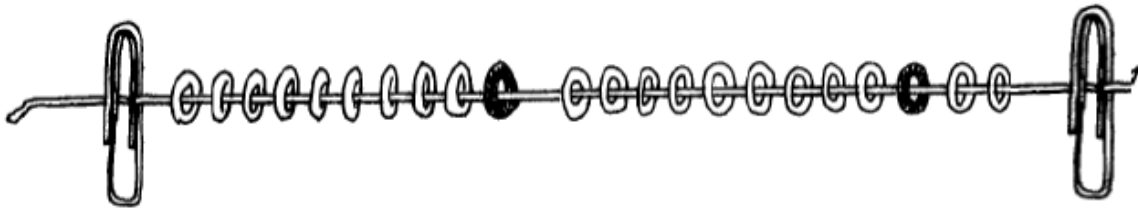


Cereal Chain Place Value Game

You will need: Cheerios and Fruit Loops cereal, paper clips (to hold the cereal in place), string or thread.

How to Play: Have the children make place value cereal stings to measure various objects or body parts. To do this, have the children string 9 Cheerios and the 10th cereal piece will be a Fruit Loop. The children can make necklaces or bracelets for body part measurement or work in groups to make longer chains to measure other objects such as books, desks, etc. To string to cereal, start with a paper clip on one end of the chain, place the cereal pieces, and then close the cereal chain with another paper clip to hold the cereal in place (see example below).



(the cereal chain above has a place value of 23, or 2 tens and 3 ones)