Beading and Graphing

Curriculum - Data Management and Probability

For students to sort, classify, and display a variety of concrete objects, collect data, begin to read and describe displays of data, and begin to explore the concept of probability in everyday contexts.

Materials

- Beads
- Pipe cleaner
- Pattern Beading Graph (Appendix A)
- Markers

How to Play

- Take 10 or more beads of any colour.
- Put the beads through the pipe cleaner.
- Create a bar graph that corresponds to your beads.
- Remember to ask the students questions about their graph. Ex: "How do you know there are eight blue beads?"

Notes

Please see the "Introduction to Graphing" lesson in the Robertson Program lesson library for more ideas on graphing in the classroom.

Ojibwe Vocabulary

- 1 Bezhig
- 2 Niizhin
- 3 Nisso
- 4 Niiwin
- 5 Naanan
- Green Aniibiishi-Zhaawashkwaa Light Purple - Zhaawashkwaa
- 6 Ngodaasso Light Purple Zhaawashkwaa 7 - Niizhaasso Dark Purple - Miini-Zhaawashkwa

Red - Miskwaa

Blue - Zhaawashkaa

Pink - Bagakii-Miskwa

Yellow - Ozaawaa

- 8 Nishaasso
- 9 Zhaangasso
- 10 Midaasso

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Bead Graph

10 Midaasso				
9 Zhaangasso				
8 Nishaasso				
7 Niizhaasso				
6 Ngodaasso				
5 Naanan				
4 Niiwin				
3 Nisso				
2 Niizhin				
1 bezhig				
	Zhaawashkaa Blue	Miskwaa Red		

Colour of Beads