



# Kool-Aid Colors

## Ages 4 years—5 years

**Objective:** The child will be able to count, make patterns, sort, & recognize colors; building early math skills.

### **Materials needed:**

A variety of Kool-Aid packages (different colors and about 10 is enough)

### **Procedures:**

1. Before hand, sit with your child at a small table.
2. Put the Kool-Aid packages on the table.
3. Have child help you sort the different colors out into their own groups. Such as all of the blue packages go together and all of the red packages go together.
4. As they are sorting the Kool-Aid color packages into groups, ask that colors name to your child.
5. Once the packages have been color-sorted, count how many groups you have with your child.
6. Now count the amount of each color Kool-Aid colors you have.



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7. Show child how you can make colored patterns with them. Such as, yellow, red, yellow, red, ect. You can also have your child practice adding and subtracting using them!
8. After teaching lesson, have your child help you choose a flavor and make Kool-Aid to drink for snack time!

### **Milestones to meet:**

The child can count. The child can recognize their colors. The child learns early math skills through counting and colors. The child can sort colors. The child begins to learn how to make patterns.

### **Evaluation:**

Did this lesson work for your child? Why or why not?