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## KIDS ACTIVITY

# COIN MATCHING

# DIWALI DHANTERAS

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# Dhanteras Coin Matching Diwali



Dhanteras is one of the five days of Diwali. "Dhan" means wealth. "Teras" is the thirteenth day of the Indian calendar. On this day we thank Goddess Laxmi for the various types of wealth that we have been blessed with, it is not limited to monetary wealth. This is also a day, we cleanse & purify the various forms of "Dhan" or Laxmi to remind ourselves to use the wealth we have to do good work in our own lives, for others and for the overall good of society and the world around us. The "dhan" is generally cleansed, and placed in front of Goddess Laxmi along with the offering of other fruits, flowers, water and panchamrut (milk). This Dhanteras, coin-matching activity introduces children to money which many Indians use during their prayer rituals on this day.

Step 1: Print the page with the Print Logo






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Step 2: Use actual coins or print an additional copy of the coins below, cut out and use to match

(Note: It is recommended you laminate the material to extend the use of it).

Step 3: Match the coins to the appropriate image or numeric value

Here is a sample of how to match the coins to the numeric values. This can be used as a control sheet for the child to reference.

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