OTHER ACTIVITIES WITH A4 MATS

Put them on the floor and take turns to stand on a number and shout it out.

Throw bean bags to land on numbers.

Throw a die and then go and stand on number shown. (Die shows 1 to 6 but you can cover faces to show whatever you like-even just 1 and 2, so three faces show 1 and three faces show 2)

Use as large visual props in all games, rhyming songs etc.

OTHER ACTIVITIES WITH NUMBER CARDS

Place cards face down and say the number as you take turns to turn it over. Reward with a turn at a game, eg push a sword into "Pop Up Pirate"

Try and play the pair game turning two over at a time and removing them once a pair is found-memory skills. Use only 2 or 3 pairs to start with.

Stick the cards on the stairs/steps and say them as you climb up and down them.

Ask your child to climb the stairs to number 3 and wait. Reward with 3 sweeties