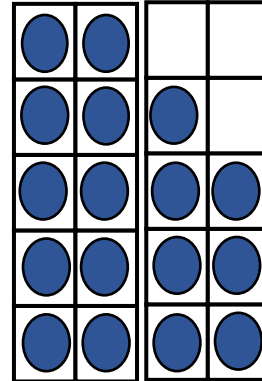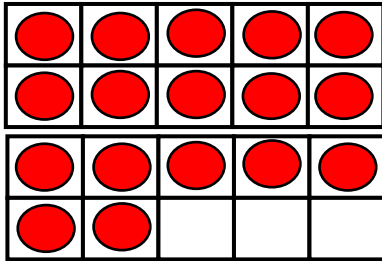# Ten frames

Section 14: Activity 2

Show the children an arrangement of spots on your ten frames.

Ask them to show you the same number using any of the following…

- Digit cards
- A number fan
- Arrow cards or place value cards
- A 5 red + 5 white + 5 red + 5 white bead string
- A 10 red + 10 white bead-string
- Numicon
- Base 10 (Dienes or Multi-base)
- Straws
- Cubes
- With beads on a tens and ones abacus
- Make 17p using coins
- Make £17 using notes and £2 and £1 coins
- Write it in numerals
- Write it in words
- Partition it. How many different ways can you find to partition 17?

Make a collection of photographs using the target number and put them on display, e.g. 17 might be the number on a bus, the digits on a car number plate, the number of a house, the cost of a sweet, the number of pounds you have in your purse or wallet, the number of a pathway or cycle route, a table number in a café or restaurant, the 17th day of the month on a calendar, the 17th hour of the day using 24 hour clock.