

Mathematics Worksheet

Exploring Australian Currency (Year 2)

Australian Curriculum Links:

- Number and Algebra: Money and financial mathematics
 - Year 2: Count and order small collections of Australian coins and notes according to their value (ACMNA034)
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Name: _____

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Exploring Australian Currency

Part 1: Identifying Coins and Notes

A. Match the coin/note to its value:

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|-----------------|-------------|
| 1. \$1 coin | a) 5 cents |
| 2. \$2 coin | b) 10 cents |
| 3. 50 cent coin | c) \$1 |
| 4. \$5 note | d) \$2 |
| 5. 10 cent coin | e) 50 cents |
| 6. 5 cent coin | f) \$5 |

B. Colour the coins and notes:

- Colour the \$1 coin **yellow**.



- Colour the \$2 coin **orange**.



- Colour the 50-cent coin **grey**.



- Colour the 5-cent coin **brown.**



- Colour the 10-cent coin **green.**



- Colour the \$5 note **blue.**



Part 2: Counting Coins

A. How much money is there?

1.
1 x \$1-coin, 2 x 10 cent coins
Total: \$ _____
2.
3 x 50 cent coins
Total: \$ _____
3.
2 x \$2 coins, 4 x 5 cent coins
Total: \$ _____
4.
5 x 10 cent coins
Total: \$ _____
5.
1 x \$5 note, 3 x \$1 coins
Total: \$ _____

Part 3: Making Amounts

A. Use the coins and notes to make the given amounts:

1. \$3
Coins/Notes: _____

2. \$4.50
Coins/Notes: _____
3. \$2.20
Coins/Notes: _____
4. \$6
Coins/Notes: _____
5. \$7.30
Coins/Notes: _____

Part 4: Ordering Money

A. Arrange the amounts from smallest to largest:

1. \$2, \$5.50, \$1, \$4.20, \$3
Order: _____
2. \$10, \$7.25, \$9.50, \$6, \$8.75
Order: _____
3. \$1.50, \$3, \$2.75, \$0.50, \$4
Order: _____
4. \$5, \$4.50, \$3.75, \$6.25, \$2.10
Order: _____
5. \$8.90, \$7.80, \$6.70, \$9.60, \$5.50
Order: _____

Part 5: Word Problems

A. Solve the problems using Australian currency:

1. You have \$3.50. You want to buy a toy that costs \$2.75.
How much money will you have left?

Answer: \$_____

2. You have \$5. You buy an ice cream for \$2.50 and a drink for \$1.25. How much money did you spend?

Answer: \$_____

3. You save \$1 each day for a week. How much money do you have at the end of the week?

Answer: \$_____

4. You want to buy a book for \$4.20. You have \$2. How much more money do you need?

Answer: \$_____

5. You find 3 x \$1 coins, 2 x 50 cent coins, and 4 x 10 cent coins. How much money did you find?

Answer: \$_____

Teacher's Notes:

- Provide real or play money for hands-on practice.
- Encourage students to explain their thinking and strategies for counting and making amounts.
- Reinforce the idea of saving and spending money wisely.
