

#### Aim/context

To develop the children's awareness of different coin values. The children will have to choose 2 cards to flip over and see if they can match the amounts.

#### Age group 4/5 years

This game will ask the children to find 2 coins that match, the values will range from 1p coins to £2 coins.

#### Objectives

To be able to use the vocabulary related to money. To be able to sort coins, including £1 and £2 coins, and begin to understand the similarities and differences.

#### Teacher tips

Previous knowledge needed

Children need:

- to have experienced money in a play situation (e.g. a shop role play).
- to have been introduced to the values of money present in the game (from 1p-£2).

#### Resources

Various coins including £1 and £2.

**Activity Sheet 1** Snap cards.

**Activity Sheet 2** Picture coin cards.

#### Key questions/prompts

Show one of the coins and ask the children to describe it. What colour is it? What number can you see on it? How big is it? How many sides does it have? Does it look like any other coins they have seen? How much is it worth? Is it more/less than a different value?

#### Group activity ideas









1. Laminate several copies of **Activity sheets 1a and 1b** (with coin values up to £2), cut them into smaller cards and then the children can play snap in pairs.
2. Hide coins in the sand/water tray and ask the children need to find 2 coins that match.
3. Place cards (**Activity sheets 2a and 2b**) around the classroom with coin pictures up to £2 on them, the children can use a tally chart to record how many times they see each coin.
4. Make rubbings of different coin values, find the total value of the coins.

#### Cross curricular links

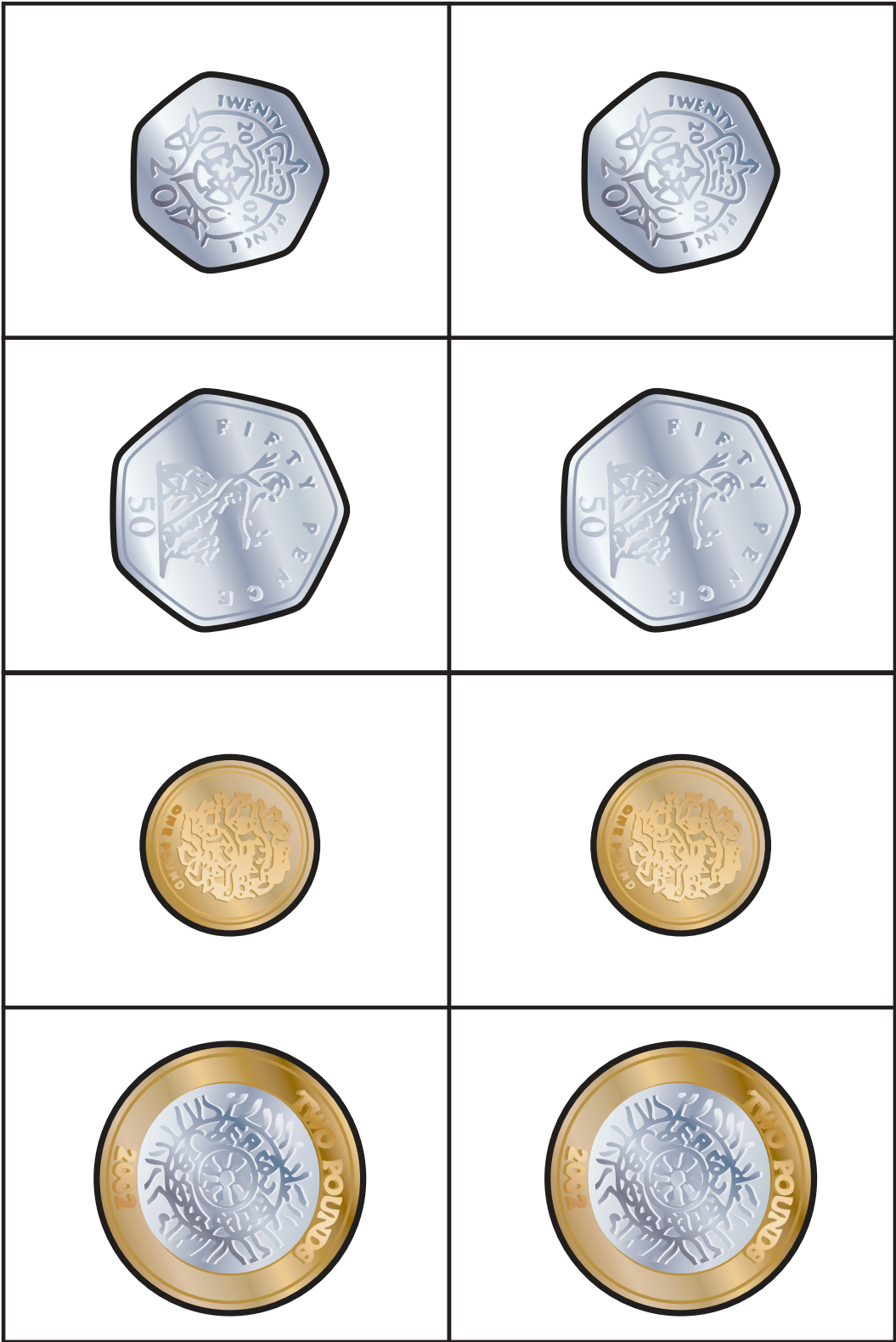
**ELG 01:** Listening and attention - listen attentively and respond appropriately

**ELG 08:** Making relationships - play cooperatively and take turns

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