

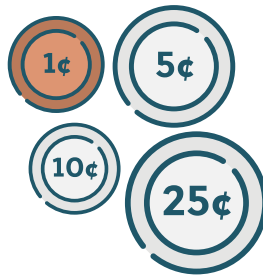


# Money

Learn to identify pennies, nickels, dimes, and quarters.

## Identify Coins

Place a penny, nickel, dime, and quarter on the table. Look at the details and talk about what each coin looks like. Then have them practice pointing to each coin and naming it.



## Penny Jar

Start a family penny jar and collect your family's pennies. Count them from time to time. When you have enough pennies, use them to buy a small reward.

## 50 Pennies Game

Gather one dice and at least 50 pennies. Take turns rolling the dice and taking the same number of pennies as the number you rolled. When all the pennies are gone, count to see who has the most.

## Hidden Coins

Hide some pennies, nickels, and dimes in a bowl of sand, rice, or dried beans. Let your child dig carefully to find the coins. When your child finds a coin, ask them to try to identify it by touch. Then pull it out to see if their guess was right.

You can find Waterford.org books and practice pages in the **Resources & Activities** tab at [mentor.waterford.org](https://mentor.waterford.org).

## Read

Take a trip to the library or find books online. Look for books about money that you and your child can read together. Here are some books to consider:

- *Benny's Pennies* by Pat Brisson
- *A Quarter from the Tooth-fairy* by Caren Holtzman

## Waterford Song

Sing along to "Save Your Pennies" on the **Math Songs** playlist. You can find this song on the [Waterford.org YouTube](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC1234567890) channel.

