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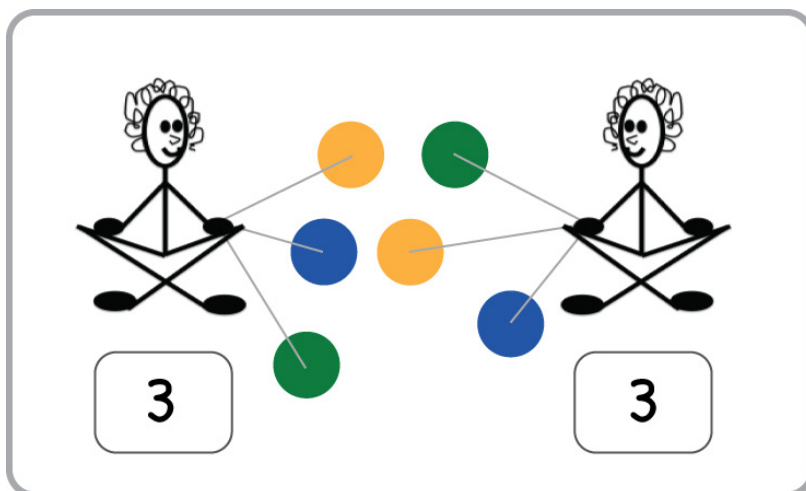
The purpose of this task is to help your child to:

- organise and share things
- understand that fair shares means that the shares are the same
- say how many each person gets
- understand that sometimes there are 'spares that are left over' that can't always be shared fairly

You may like to print the following two pages, or, with your child, use things from your own environment to pose and investigate similar problems.

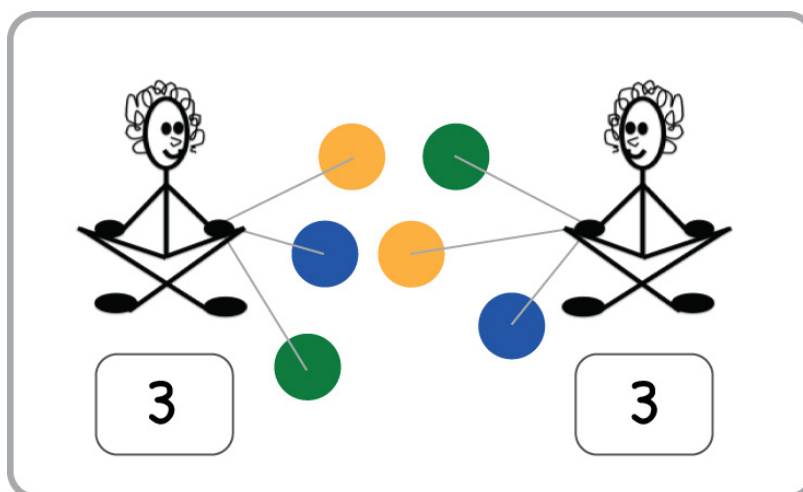
If your child is using the task pages that follow, have them tell you what is happening in each picture. (e.g. 'There are two children and they want to share 6 balls so that each person gets the same.')

They may then like to show the sharing process on the sheet like this.



He tauira kōrero Māori

Tokohia ngā tāngata i tēnei pikitia?	How many people in this picture?
E hia katoa ngā porotiti?	How many counters altogether?
Ko tā tāua mahi, he tohatoha i ngā porotiti kia ōrite te whiwHINGA a tēnā tangata, a tēnā tangata.	What we are going to do is share out the counters so that each person gets the same number.
Kotahi ki tēnā tangata, kotahi ki tēnā. Kotahi anō ki tēnā, kotahi anō ki tēnā. Kotahi atu anō ki ia tangata.	One for that person, one for that. Another one for that person, another one for that. Yet another for each person.
Kua tohaina ngā porotiti katoa.	All the counters have been shared out.
E toe ana tētahi porotiti?	Are there any counters left over?
E hia porotiti te whiwHINGA a ia tangata?	How many counters has each person got?
He ōrite te whiwHINGA a ia tangata?	Has each person got the same amount?
Tuhia te whiwHINGA a ia tangata ki te pepa.	Write down how many each person gets on the page.



A box containing two stick figures sitting on the left and right. Between them are 7 colored circles: 2 orange, 2 green, 2 blue, and 1 green. Below each figure is an empty square box.

A box containing two rows of stick figures. The top row has one figure on the left and one on the right, with 6 feathers in between. The bottom row has one figure on the left and one on the right, with 4 feathers in between. Each figure has an empty square box next to it.

A box containing two rows of stick figures. The top row has one figure on the left and one on the right, with 10 shells in between. The bottom row has one figure on the left and one on the right, with 10 shells in between. Each figure has an empty square box next to it.



A 2x2 grid of empty boxes. In the center, there are 12 biscuits arranged in a 3x4 grid. Four stick figures are positioned around the biscuits: one at the top, one at the bottom, one on the left, and one on the right.

A 2x2 grid of empty boxes. In the center, there are 8 buttons of various colors (blue, red, green) arranged in a circular pattern. Four stick figures are positioned around the buttons: one at the top, one at the bottom, one on the left, and one on the right.

A 3x2 grid of empty boxes. In the center, there are 18 stamps arranged in a 3x6 grid. Six stick figures are positioned around the stamps: three on the left and three on the right.

