

# ***EVERY DAY COUNTS***<sup>®</sup>

## ***CALENDAR MATH***

What is the intent of *Every Day Counts*?

- **To provide 10-15 minutes of math that children can see and talk about daily.**
- **To revisit the big math ideas at each grade level throughout the year.**
- **To use everyday language to describe the math we do prior to using more formal math terms.**
- **To introduce formal math terms and symbolic notation to talk about and record math that children already understand.**
- **To have children share their unique strategies and ways of doing mental math and solving problems.**
- **To focus on children's reasoning, thinking, and communication.**