



Counting Tape – School Day 21 (Adapt to nearby day.)

**Grade K
OCTOBER
or Month 2**

How many clips do we have today? Let's count each one. How many chains of ten do we see? How many extra ones? How do we know that this is the same as 21? (We counted them all.)

What do we say when we write the number twenty-one? (Two groups of ten and one extra one.)

How many squares have we put on our Counting Tape *since* Day 20? Since Day 19?

What number comes just *before* the orange 11? Just *after* the orange 11? What number came just before today's orange 21?

Let's talk about our next square. What number will be on it? What do you think the color will be? What have you noticed about the colors on the squares?

What number comes just after ____? Just before ____? In between ____ and ____?
