Hot Dots® Jr.™ Cards: Patterns & Sequencing
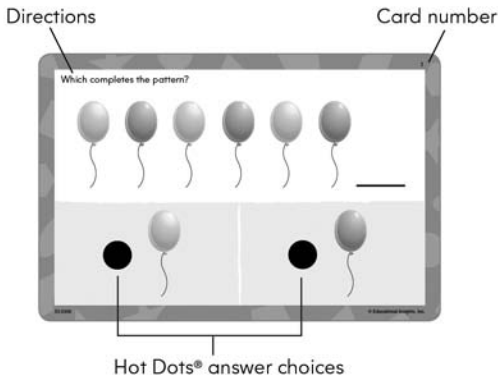
The Hot Dots Jr.™ Patterns & Sequencing Cards prepare children for classroom learning in a fun, interactive way. Use the cards with the Talking Hot Dots® Pen (sold separately) for independent review and practice, or use the cards by themselves as traditional flash cards. Children learn to complete patterns and sequences with this set.

What's on Each Card?

Directions

Card number

Hot Dots® answer choices

Using the Cards with the Talking Hot Dots® Pen

The Talking Hot Dots® Pen (sold separately) adds instant, self-checking feedback to independent practice. When the cards are used with the pen children receive electronic answer reinforcement in two ways:

- Touch the pen to a **CORRECT** answer dot on the card and children are instantly rewarded with a glowing green light, a cool phrase, and a variety of motivating sounds. Sometimes he even shakes and giggles!

- Touch the pen to an **INCORRECT** answer dot on the card and he glows red and gently provides encouraging words and sound effects.

Before letting children work independently, demonstrate how to use the cards and the Talking Hot Dots® Pen. Choose a sample card, read the directions, and select the correct answer choice. Show children how to position the pen on the center of the answer dot next to the answer choice. Demonstrate what happens when an incorrect Hot Dot answer choice is selected.

Tips:

- Make sure the cards rest on a hard surface when using the pen on them.

- Never laminate the cards.

Using the Cards as Traditional Flash Cards

Hold up a card with the question facing the child. Have the child identify the picture and/or letter and then say the answer. The answer for each question is shown on the Answer Key.

How to Position the Talking Hot Dots® Pen

The Talking Hot Dots® Pen works best when he's straight up and down. Make sure the tip of the pen sits flat on the surface of the answer dot.

EI-2770 Talking Hot Dots® Pen sold separately

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Which completes the pattern?

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Which completes the sequence?

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