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The pond is filled with six fish. One afternoon some unexpected animals join them in the pond. How many animals end up in the pond?

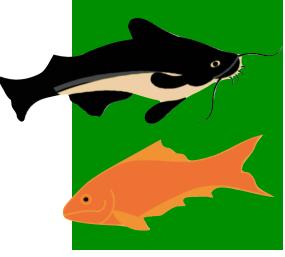
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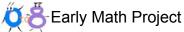
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Related Books: The Napping House by Audrey Wood & Don Wood; Quack and Count by Keith Baker





# **SPLASH!**

Who goes Splash in the pond?

#### **Math Connections:**

Counting Spatial Relationships

## **Activities To Do Together:**

- Count how many animals are in the pond on each page of the story.
- Find the page with the most animals in the pond. Find the page with the fewest animals in the pond.
- Go on a walk. Talk about where the trees, plants, grass, sidewalk, or cars are located in relation to you and your child.

## **Vocabulary for Building Math Concepts:**

four, many, one, third, three, two

#### **Extension Questions:**

- 1. How many times does the dog fall into the pond?
- 2. What is the total number of fish in the pond?
- 3. How many times does the word "SPLASH" appear throughout the book?
- 4. How many animals fall into the pond in total?
- 5. Where is the bird in relation to the mailbox?
- 6. Where is the girl in relation to the pond at the end of the story?

## **Early Math Project Resources**:

Spatial Board Game Instructions: <a href="https://bit.ly/3mg5fK1">https://bit.ly/3mg5fK1</a> (English)

Spatial Board Game Instructions (Spanish)

Game Board: <a href="https://bit.ly/2K4D6Zh">https://bit.ly/2K4D6Zh</a> (English)

Game Board (Spanish)

Adding Animals: <a href="https://bit.ly/34b8HQ7">https://bit.ly/34b8HQ7</a> (English)

Adding Animals (Spanish)

Adding Animals Game Materials: <a href="https://bit.ly/3gMvoin">https://bit.ly/3gMvoin</a> (English)

Adding Animals Game Materials (Spanish)

#### **Online Resources:**

SPLASH! Sensory Tub from Fun Littles: <a href="https://bit.ly/2KKmW7H">https://bit.ly/2KKmW7H</a>
Counting Frogs Activity from Rainy Day Mum: <a href="https://bit.ly/365UhSA">https://bit.ly/365UhSA</a>