

ACTIVITY IA3.7: Bare Numeral Roll

Intended learning: To build facility with forward and backward number word sequences.

Instructional mode: Shorter, inquiry mode for individuals or small groups.

 **Materials:** Numeral roll (see Appendix).

Description: This activity is typically used when initially introducing the numeral roll as an instructional setting. Ask questions to guide the students' examination of the setting. *This is called a numeral roll. What do you notice about this? What patterns do you see? Tell me what you notice about the colours. These numbers are called the ones (gesturing to first decade). These numbers are called the teens (gesturing to the teen numbers). These numbers are called the twenties (slide roll to reveal the twenties). Someone has called these groups of numbers families: the teens family, the twenties family. What do you think people might call the next family? Which family do you think will come after the sixties family? Which family do you think will come before the nineties family?*