## COUNTING M ONEY CARD TRICK

Skills focus: counting money.
Number of players: 2
Age: $1^{\text {st }}$ grade and up Instructions:

For this money trick you will need 21 of the printable money flashcards.
Ask your partner to choose one of the flashcards without telling you.
Get them to write down the total of the coins somewhere secret.
Now get them to watch you closely as you deal all the flashcards, one at a time, into 3 piles face up.

They need to tell you which pile their flashcard is in.
You need to collect the 3 piles of flashcards up with the pile that they have indicated in the middle!

Repeat this again, dealing the flashcards into 3 piles.
Again, they need to tell you the pile their flashcard is in.
Collect all the piles together with the selected pile in the middle.
Repeat this one more time (so that you have done this a total of 3 times).
Now look through your pile of 21 flashcards, appearing to study them carefully.
The flashcard that they chose will be the 11th one!
Tell them the amount on the flashcard and watch for their amazement!

