

# ABC Basketball

Give your little sports fan a fun way to practice his ABCs, coordination, and numbers!

Supplies: (3) bowls or containers, a (soft) round ball, index cards, paper, pencil

Preparation: Write each letter of the alphabet on a separate index card. Use lower case letters, upper case letters, or both - depending on the readiness of your little learner. Then write a number on the back of each letter card. These will be the points that your child will earn when he identifies the letters. Decide on a number and tell him that to "win" the game, he needs to earn that many points.

How to Play: Divide the index cards up and evenly distribute them into the three containers/bowls. Have your youngster throw the ball and try to get in one of the bowls. When the ball lands in one, have your child pick one of the letter cards out and name it. If he identifies it correctly he earns those points. Add up the points each time he earns them. When the totaled points equal the chosen target number, your child has won!

