



# Family contact maths activity

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Print out and cut each page into 3 strips. Line up on a flat surface or stick to a wall or door.

Give family members or friends a call to ask how old they are.

Write each name next to how old they are (on the chart).

Now you have checked in on loved ones + learned about your family history...all while doing a maths activity!

*(see final page for more learning suggestions)*

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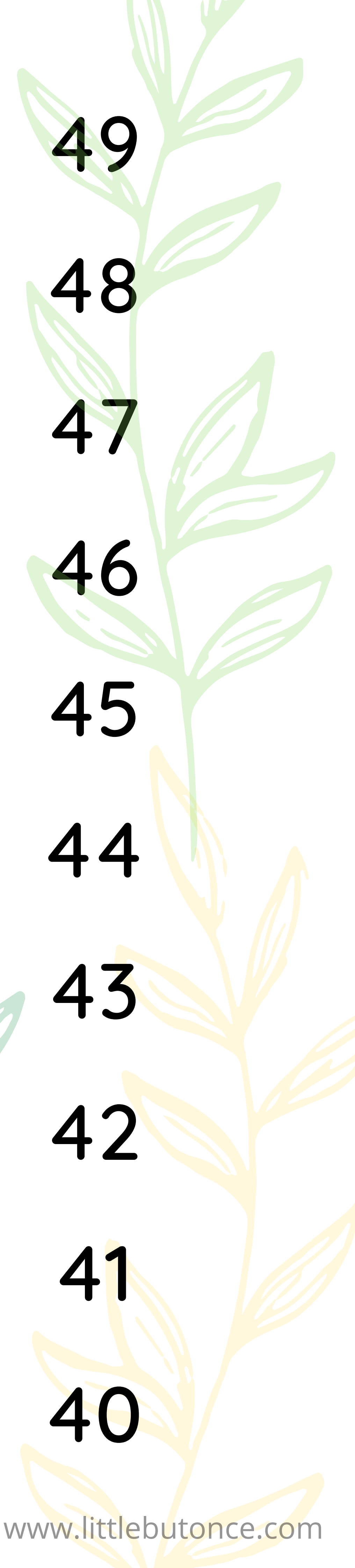
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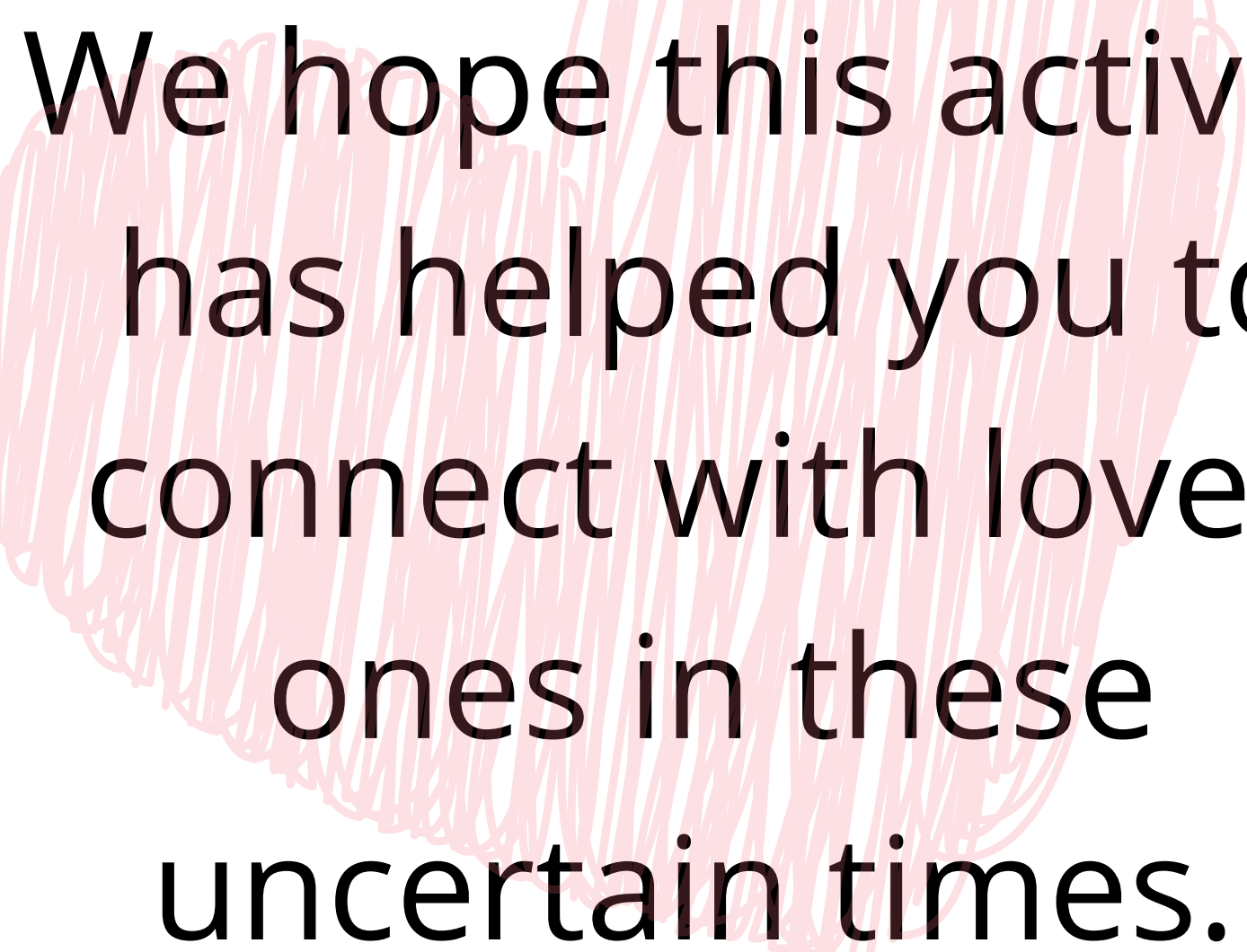
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We hope this activity  
has helped you to  
connect with loved  
ones in these  
uncertain times.

Please tag us  
**@littlebutonce** on FB  
or Instagram if you do  
this at home. We  
would love to see  
what you come  
up with!

# Suggested activities

## For little learners

- attach numbers to wall from the ground up
  - have them find the correct number
- practice writing each number on a piece of paper
- discuss using words like older, younger, youngest.

## For learning to record numbers

Write up a chart with decade group headings and record each family members' name in their column.

- What is the most common group?
  - What is the least common?
  - How many in each group?
  - How many altogether?

## For number confident learners

- What are the combined ages of your family?  
(categories: aunts, cousins, grandparents)
- Can you count backwards from 2020 to discover what year each family member was born?
- How old was Grandma when Dad was born?
  - What is the average age of your family?