

Cash at the Dairy

Instructions

Role play a transaction between a customer and shop assistant at a dairy. You can set up a 'store' by using real items from the pantry, toys, cutting out pictures from a supermarket flyer, or using the food items below. Using a table as the counter-top, display the items and either write prices up on a board or attach 'labels' using post-it notes or sellotape.

Explain that your child, as the customer, has \$10 and they need to buy four items for a healthy and balanced breakfast. With any remaining change

they can then either purchase a treat to have later in the day, or save it towards a savings goal. Have your child interact with you to exchange money for the goods and help them to count out any change necessary. Feel free to swap roles and have fun!

Have your child explain why they decided on the purchases they made and discuss what some alternate options might be. As an additional exercise have your child sort the items from the dairy into needs and wants.



Milk
\$3.00



Fruit
\$1.50



Chips
\$1.50



Ice Cream
\$3.00



Bread
\$1.00



Cookies
\$3.50



Lollies
\$2.00



Cheese
\$2.50



Ham
\$3.50



Fizzy Drink
\$2.00



Yoghurt
\$2.50



Orange Juice
\$1.50



Chewing Gum
\$2.00



Chocolate
\$1.00



Muffin
\$3.00



Eggs
\$2.50



Muesli
\$3.50

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