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Activities at Home

Sugar Cube Magic Trick

Supplies

- A pencil
- Sugar Cubes (Imperial Sugar or Dixie Crystals brand)
- A glass of water

Instructions:

1. Have a volunteer pick a number between 1 and 10.
2. Write that number on a sugar cube using a pencil.
3. Pick up the sugar cube and squeeze it against your thumb. The number will transfer to your thumb.
4. Drop the sugar cube in a cup of water and allow it to melt.
5. Ask for the volunteer's hand and press your thumb against their palm. The number will transfer to their palm.
6. Ask them to wave their hand over the glass of water and see the number appear on their hand.

