

Making Patterns

Kindergarten

AB, AAB, ABC — the three patterns to master this year.

A pattern is a rule that repeats. Say it out loud and the rule appears.

Name	Pattern	Say it
AB	red blue red blue	red-blue, red-blue
AAB	red red blue red red blue	red-red-blue
ABB	red blue blue red blue blue	red-blue-blue
ABC	red blue green red blue green	red-blue-green
Growing	1, then 2, then 3, then 4	one more each time

Ask "what comes next?" — then ask "how do you know?" The second question is the maths.