

## The Price is Right Game Teacher Information

### SUPPLIES:

1. At least 25 containers of baby care products (lotion, shampoo, etc.), with prices listed on the bottom of each. (You may wish to ask students to help collect these containers, then give them extra points or a treat). You should also include pictures of baby furniture, clothes, etc. (along with their descriptions and prices). Cut these from catalogs or find pictures of these items from a store website. Attach each picture to one side of a sheet of construction paper, with its description and price attached to the other side.

You may also do this as a power point. Remember that you will need to update prices and items on a regular basis so that the game is current to the times.

2. Prizes (optional) such as frosted animal crackers for first round winners and a baby food jar full of candy for the grand prize. You could also use extra credit.

3. Calculator.

### PROCEDURE:

Select a student to be the hostess and another student to be the mathematician. The teacher is the host. The front row of students, in desks, is the first group of contestants. The hostess will show them the first picture as he/she reads the description on the back. Contestants must guess the price of the object. Have them write their guesses on an index card, or a mini white board. The contestant then shows their guesses. The winner is the person guessing the closest price without going over the actual price.

This process is repeated with the next row of students until all rows have competed.

Those individuals then come to the front of the class and are shown five baby products. The object is to guess the prices of each. The mathematician keeps track of each price and gives the total. The actual price of each product is then revealed and the mathematician totals the actual prices. The person closest to without going over is the winner.

This game can be played many different ways. You could randomly select individuals up to “come on down” and the winner will play in the final round. The most important thing is that the students are made aware of the costs of baby supplies while having fun.