

## BeingAfrican, LLC Curriculum-Lesson 9

### Objectives

1. To learn how to count from one to ten in Ndebele.
  2. To practise reading sentences using Ndebele numbers.
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Count from one to ten as guided by the table below.

1.	Kunye	One
2.	Kubile	Two
3.	Kuthathu	Three
4.	Kune	Four
5.	Kuhlanu	Five
6.	Yisithupha	Six
7.	Isikhombisa	Seven
8.	Isitsiyagalombili	Eight
9.	Isitshiyagalolunye	Nine
10.	Litshumi	Ten

**Read the following sentences to practice your counting.**

Ngile litshe **elilodwa**(1).

I have **one** stone.

Ule nyawo ezimbili(2).

She has **two** legs.

Ibhayisikili lomntwana lilama viri amathathu (3).

The toddlers tricycle has **three** wheels.

Inkomo le ilenyawo ezine (4).

That cow has **four** legs.

Unyawo olulodwa lulamazwane amahlanu (5).

One foot has **five** toes.

UThando wakwanisa iminyaka eyisithupha. (6).

Thando turned **six** years old.

Kulo lwandle eziyisikhombisa (7) emhlabeni.

There are **seven** seas in the world.

UTino usebangeni lesitshiyagalombili. (8).

Tino is in the **eighth** grade.

Ngicela iziwiji ezi yisitshiyagalolunye.(9).

May I have **nine** sweets.

Abantu bale minwe elitshumi.

People have **ten** fingers.

**Practice Test-Matching games**

**Counting game exercise.**

**Reshuffle: Select the correct Ndebele number that matches with the right English number. Select the right matching letter.**

1.	a) Kunye	One	i
2.	b) Kubili	Two	d
3.	c) Litshumi	Three	h
4.	d) Yisithupha	Four	
5.	e) Kuhlano	Five	
6.	f) Isikhombisa	Six	
7.	g) Kuthathu	Seven	
8.	h) Sitshiyagalombili	Eight	
9.	i) Sitshiyagalolunye	Nine	
10.	j) Kune	Ten	