How Many in One Minute?

Amazing Fact

In March 2015, Rajveer Meena of India, recalled the value of Pi (π) to 70,000 digits. It took nine hours just to say all of the numbers.

Instead of nine hours, why not see what can you do in one minute?

How many times could you say the alphabet? Or count to 10? Or maybe you could count how many jumps you can do.

Use the table below and with a partner, take turns to do something for one minute, whilst the other person counts. The empty rows are for your own ideas. You could use a timer for a more accurate measurement.

Activity	Number in One Minute
jump	
say alphabet	
count to 10	
clap	

You could try to find out:

- · what other amazing memory tricks exist;
- what Pi is;
- · what techniques memory artists use;
- · how many digits of Pi you can remember.





