Odd and Even Numbers

Explain to your helper whether these numbers are odd or even. Use counters, coins or beads to help you. Try dividing each number by two and see what happens.

8 – odd or even? How do you know?

1 1 - odd or even? How do you know?

16 - odd or even? How do you know?

Colour the odd numbers blue. Colour the even numbers red. Talk to your helper about what you patterns you notice.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22
29	28	27	26	25	24	23	22	21	20

Look at the 'ones' digit of all the odd numbers. What do you notice?

Look at the 'ones' digit of all the even numbers. What do you notice?