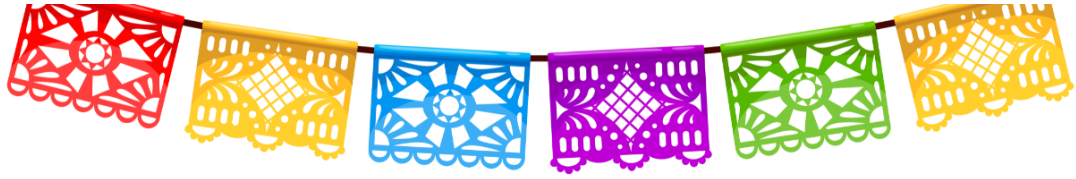


## Books to Treasure “¡Dinero for Tacos!”

- **Books Needed:** [Tacos Today](#) by Raúl the Third
  - *Optional Books:* [Albert Helps Out](#) by Eleanor May, [The Coin Counting Book](#) by Rozanne L Williams, and [Lemonade in Winter: A Book About Two Kids Counting Money](#) by Emily Jenkins and G. Brian Karas
- El Toro and Friends need dinero to buy their tacos! Let’s help them match up their coins to the totals they need for each taco.
- **Do This!**
  - Read *Tacos Today* and have a fun discussion about their favorite taco: breakfast, Korean, fish, etc.
    - Ask about money and show pictures of the different denominations to see if they know how much each coin costs in this country.
    - You could even talk about currency and how countries have different types.
      - To extend: show [this video](#) about the brief history of currency in a kid friendly way. Vocab: barter, exchange, valuable, purchase, currency
  - Watch this video:  
[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pnXJGNo08v0&list=RDpnXJGNo08v0&start\\_radio=1](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pnXJGNo08v0&list=RDpnXJGNo08v0&start_radio=1)
  - Use any optional books listed.
  - Complete the printable to have students practice matching the coins to the written totals.
  - Extend this to centers and have play money and a “taco store” for them to purchase their own tacos using their own play money.
- Printable on next page.



# TACOS TODAY!



Draw a line to match the correct number of coins  
to the right taco-- make sure the totals are the  
same!

