A very useful tool with my Preps and Grade Ones this year. I’ve added some ideas for it to be used in an early years classroom after being copied onto A3 and laminated:

- You could add a scanned photo or an artwork of the child here and then laminate this calendar so that they have something personalized to use but also as a learning tool. Stick it in their Maths Journals.
- Ask them to highlight with their parents important dates such as birthdays or holidays with different colours on their calendar before laminating it.
- Ask them to put two learning goals for 2008 at the back of this calendar and by when they hope to complete it.
- Good countdown tool for special school events each month.
- Lots of adding and taking away can also be done with this tool.