

#### To our Preschool Parents!

Provided is a packet of activities for you to do with your scholar during our time apart. The Preschool Packet is divided into six weeks. Each week/day contains activities which hit all the major developmental areas for your scholar.

Please feel free to use these activities as you see fit, depending on your scholar mood and ability to stay on task. Please do not get discouraged if your scholar does not sit for the duration of an activity. You can always start an activity and move onto another.

If you have any question or concerns, please feel free to reach out to your scholar teacher via Remind.

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Master Teacher of Preschool

P.S.

You can send me a message through Room 10 Remind as by texting the message @wdcr to the number 81010.



#### Some websites for our Preschool Scholars are as follows:

- www.PBSKids.org
- www.ABCmouse.com
- www.scholastickids.com
  - www.nickjr.com

Some recommendation for sensory play for our scholars is:

- Shaving cream
  - Play Doh
    - Rice
  - Dry Pasta

If you have any shoebox place one of these items inside, cut a hole in the lid and allow them to feel and guess the item you put inside the box. This is allowing the scholar to work on sensory and fine motor skills.

Any book you have in your home and we will be sending home some books with your scholars for you to read with them.

# My Teaching Strategies

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# MONDAY

#### Recycle Song



Objective 34 Explores musical concepts and expression

Related Objectives: 3, 7, 13, 26, 30

#### What You Do

1. Sing together to the tune of "Jingle Bells," or chant as a rap song.

Recycle, recycle
Let's sort all the trash.
Recycle, recycle
Paper, plastic, glass.
Recycle, recycle
Don't throw it in the trash.
We'll take the cartons and the cans
And make them all go SMASH.

2. Clap hands loudly when you say smash.

#### Echo Clapping



Objective 23
Demonstrates knowledge of patterns
Related Objectives 1, 3, 8, 34, 35

- 1. Ask the children to repeat, or "echo," your claps.
- 2. Clap rhythmically three times.
- 3. Clap a simple pattern and invite children to repeat it, e.g., clap, clap, clap, clap, clap, clap.
- 4. Increase the difficulty of the patterns as appropriate.



#### Clap the Beat



Objective 15 Demonstrates phonological awareness Related Objectives: 3, 8, 20, 34

#### What You Do

- 1. Line up several study-related items or pictures in front of the children.
- 2. Create a rhythmic pattern by clappping each syllable as you name the item, e.g., ba-na-na (3 claps), ap-ple (2 claps), grape-fruit (2 claps), or plum (1 clap).
- 3. Repeat the clapping syllable rhythm together.
- 4. Create a new rhythmic pattern by changing the order of the items.

#### I Have One



Objective 16
Demonstrates knowledge
of the alphabet

Related Objectives: 1, 3, 5, 8, 9, 12, 29

- 1. Give the children their respective name cards.
- 2. Have children squat in a circle. Hold up a letter card and say, "Does anyone have one of these letters in their name?"
- 3. Invite children who have that letter to jump up and shout, "I have one!"
- 4. Then have children squat again and wait for you to call out another letter.
- 5. Repeat the game until all the children have had a chance to jump up.

#### We Like Clapping



Objective 20 Uses number concepts and operations Related Objectives: 1, 4, 5, 7, 8, 9, 15, 34

#### What You Do

Clap and sing along to the tune of "Alouette."

We like [clapping], you know that we like [clapping].
We like [clapping], it's what we like to do.
One, two, three, four, five, six, seven (echo).
Eight, nine, ten (echo).
Once again (echo).
Oh, oh, oh, oh....

#### This Old Man



Objective 15 Demonstrates phonological awareness Related Objectives: 3, 7, 8, 9, 14, 20, 34

#### What You Do

- 1. Sing and create motions to go with each line.
- 2. Create new verses with words that rhyme with the numbers you count, e.g., three... on my knee.

This old man, he played [one]

With a knick knack paddy wack, give a dog a bone
This old man came rolling home.
This old man, he played [two]
He played knick knack [on my shoe]...

He played knick knack [on my thumb]



#### Clap a Friend's Name



Objective 15 Demonstrates phonological awareness Related Objectives: 1, 3, 8, 11, 20, 35

#### What You Do

1. To the tune of "Mary Had a Little Lamb," clap each syllable of a child's name as part of the song.

Clap a friend's name with me, Name with me, Name with me. Clap a friend's name with me. Let's try [Ka-cy]. [Ka-cy] (clap-clap)

2. Repeat the song, substituting different children's names.

#### Let's Make a Cake



Objective 16 Demonstrates knowledge of the alphabet

Related Objectives: 3, 7, 11, 14, 15, 19, 30, 36

#### What You Do

- 1. Recite the following rhyme together.
- 2. Tell the children to pretend they are making a cake.
- 3. Hold up a letter card to determine what letter will appear on the cake.

Let's make a chocolate fudge cake, just like a baker man.

We'll beat the eggs and mix it up as quickly

We'll pat it and we'll ice it and we'll mark it with a [T],

And put it in the oven for [Tabitha] and me!





### Hippity, Hoppity, How Many?



Objective 20 Uses number concepts and operations Related Objectives: 3, 7, 9, 11, 14, 20

#### What You Do

- 1. Close your fists in front of your body.
- 2. Shake your fists a few times and say, "Hippity, hoppity!...how many?"
- 3. Quickly hold up some fingers on each hand.
- 4. Have the children count the combined number of fingers you're holding up.
- 5. With the children, write that numeral in the air with your finger. Stand so that the children can see the correct orientation of the numeral.

#### Riddle Dee Dee



Objective 15 Demonstrates phonological awareness Related Objectives: 3, 4, 5, 8, 9, 11, 20, 34

#### What You Do

1. Chant the following rhyme, and keep the beat.

Riddle dee dee, riddle dee dee.

Can you make a rhyme with me?

I say [ball], you say [fall].

[Ball], [fall], [mall], [gall].

- 2. Provide the first two rhyming words and invite the children to continue making rhymes with that word.
- 3. Repeat with a new word.

# Character Feelings



### SEU5 Library

## Objective 1

Regulates own emotions and behaviors

## Objective 2

Establishes and sustains positive relationships

Related Objectives: 8, 9, 11, 12, 18

# What You Do

Materials: books in which the characters experience a range of emotions, e.g., anger, happiness, and sorrow

Background: Learning to recognize and respond to the emotional cues of other people is critical to positive social relationships. When a child accurately identifies basic emotional reactions of others and their causes, the child takes an important first step toward developing empathy. Using children's books that feature characters experiencing strong emotions is a great way to support these important skills.

- 1. Invite the children to join you in reading a book. Explain to the children that you want them to pay attention to the characters' feelings as you read. Show the cover of the book and read the title. Encourage children to make predictions about the story and the characters' feelings.
- "A mouse is making a face on the front of this book. Thomas, what do you think the little mouse is feeling?"

- As you read each page, demonstrate the character's feeling with your voice and facial expressions. Ask questions about what a character feels.
- "Dana, what makes the girl feel frustrated? What do you think would make her feel better?"
- 3. Prompt the children to talk about a time when they were feeling the same way the character feels. Ask questions that help them recall what happened. Encourage them to think of examples of when their friends or family members felt the same way.
- "Paul is telling us that he felt excited yesterday.

  What made you feel excited? Your grandfather came to visit? That must have been a very exciting day!"
- 4. Explain that the book will be available in the Library area for the children to read during choice time.

# Including All Children

- Use line drawings or cut out magazine photos of different emotions.
- Limit the number of choices for a child,
   e.g., suggest two emotions from which the child may choose.\*\*
- Provide a mirror for children to display emotions with different facial expressions.
- Use a light box to make line drawings of facial expressions easy to see.
- For English-language learners, identify emotions in the child's home language.
   For emphasis, incorporate gestures and larger actions.\*\*

# Making Shiny Paint

# What You Do



Create a recipe chart on the chart paper.

### Ingredients

l cup white glue

l cup liquid tempera paint

### Directions

Mix ingredients together and use immediately, or store in an airtight container. Paint with brushes and allow to dry completely before touching. Wash brushes before they dry.

# 1. Invite the children to join you in the Art area to make shiny paint. Ask them to wash their hands first.

"The paint will be shiny. Shiny means that, when it's dry, it will still look wet. We'll use paintbrushes to put it on the paper."

# Show the children the two ingredients used in the recipe. Talk about ways glue is used.

"We use glue to hold things together. Let's see what happens when we mix it with paint."



# 3. Prompt the children to explain the purpose of a recipe.

"We know that we can find the ingredients in a recipe. What else can we find in a recipe? Yes, a recipe tells us what to do."

4. Include the children in the process of measuring and mixing the paint. Discuss which measuring cup to use and explain that the same amount of each ingredient is used. Ask the children to describe what they do and refer to the recipe chart as needed.

"Nick, you told me that you poured the glue in. What should we do next?"

5. While the children enjoy painting with the shiny paint, review the recipe chart. Talk about the steps they followed to make the paint.

"We used the same sized measuring cup for both ingredients. We needed equal amounts of glue and paint."

Explain that the recipe chart will be in the Art area for the children to read.

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## Objective 16

Demonstrates knowledge of the alphabet

## Objective 17

Demonstrates knowledge of print and its uses

Related Objectives: 3, 7, 8, 9, 11, 20, 22, 28

# Including All Children

- Record each recipe step onto a child's communication device.
  - Make sure each child is seated comfortably at the table and can reach the tools.
- Stabilize the mixing bowl by using a nonslip material.
- Provide measuring tools with large, easy-to-grip handles.
- Invite English-language learners' family members to help the children follow the recipes by speaking his or her home language.\*\*
- When English-language learners ask you to name an object in English, ask them to tell you its name in their home languages,\*\*

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#### Dinky Doo



Objective 15 Demonstrates phonological awareness Related Objectives: 3, 7, 11, 34

#### What You Do

1. Sing the following nonsense words to the tune of "Twinkle Twinkle Little Star."

Dinky, dinky, dinky, doo. Willy, willy, willy, woo. Dinky, dinky, dinky, doo. Willy, willy, willy, woo. Dinky, dinky, dinky, doo. Willy, willy, willy, woo.

2. Repeat using nonsense words that start with *T.* 

Tinky, tinky, tinky, too. Tilly, tilly, tilly, too.

#### Simon Says



Objective 8 Listens to and understands increasingly complex language Related Objectives. 1, 3, 5, 9, 11, 26, 35

- 1. Say, "When Simon tells you to do something, try doing it. But when Tiger says it, don't do it. He is trying to trick you!"
- **2. Give a simple one-step direction,** e.g., Simon says *jump*, Simon says *sit*, or Tiger says *twirl*.
- 3. If children make a mistake, invite them to roar like a tiger and then continue playing the game.



#### **Body Patterns**



Objective 23 Demonstrates knowledge of patterns Related Objectives: 1, 3, 5, 8, 11, 14, 35

#### What You Do

- 1. Demonstrate a simple two-part action pattern and name the actions as you do them, e.g., touch thigh, clap hands; touch thigh, clap hands.
- 2. Invite the children to follow along and take turns leading.
- 3. Make the patterns more complex by using three or four actions, e.g., lean left, lean right, lean forward, clap hands; lean left, lean right, lean forward, clap hands; and so on.

My Name, Too!



Objective 15 Demonstrates phonological awareness Related Objectives: 1, 3, 5, 7, 8, 12, 13

- 1. Tell the children that you are going to play a game where they must listen for words that begin with the same sound.
- 2. Relate a child's name to a series of words that have the same initial sound. You might say, "If your name begins like meat, mat, and mitt, please stand up."
- 3. Repeat the alliteration with other children's names.

#### The Imaginary Ball



Objective 29 Demonstrates knowledge about self Related Objectives: 1, 3, 4, 8, 15, 35

#### What You Do

- 1. Invite children to pretend they are bouncing imaginary balls with their hands. Say, "Boing, boing!" as you pretend to bounce a ball.
- 2. Invite children to pretend they are bouncing the imaginary ball with different parts of their bodies. Moving from head to toe, demonstrate bouncing it with your head, shoulders, elbows, knees, and toes.
- 3. Play lively music during this activity, such as "Sweet Georgia Brown."

#### Two Plump Armadillos



Objective 15 Demonstrates phonological awareness Related Objectives: 3, 7, 8, 25, 36

#### What You Do

- 1. Make each hand into a fist and pretend that each fist is an armadillo's shell and each thumb is the head.
- 2. Begin with both fists in front of you. Each time you say *crawl away*, move a fist behind your back. Return a fist to the front each time you say *come back*.
- 3. Recite the following rhyme.

Two plump [armadillos] [crawling down the street],
One named [Pedro], and the other named [Pete].
Crawl away [Pedro], crawl away [Pete].
Come back [Pedro], come back [Pete].



#### Going on a Journey



Objectives 36 Explores drama through actions and language

Related Objectives: 3, 4, 8, 11, 26, 27, 32, 35

#### What You Do

1. Pantomime the following adventure story as you tell it to the children.

Once upon a time the children from

[\_\_\_\_\_ preschool] decided to visit friends
who were far, far, away.

They washed their faces, put on their shoes, buttoned their jackets, and packed snacks. They traveled until they came to [a white,

sandy beach].
Oh, no! The [sand is so hot]!
How are we going to cross over this

[hot sand]?

2. Use the children's ideas as you walk across the surface together.

#### Spatial Patterns



Objective 21
Explores and describes spatial relationships and shapes

Related Objectives: 1, 3, 8, 11, 35

#### What You Do

1. Sing and perform the body motions to the tune of "Oh My Darling, Clementine."

Let's lean left and let's lean right,
And to the front and to the back.
Let's go over, let's go under,
Turn around and touch the ground
(or sit right down).





What Is My Job?



Objective 30 Shows basic understanding of people and how they live

Related Objectives: 3, 8, 10, 11, 12, 34

#### What You Do

- 1. Gather props that relate to various jobs, e.g., a firefighter's hat (if your program allows), doctor's coat, or frying pan.
- 2. Use a prop and sing to the tune of "Are You Sleeping?"

What is my job? What is my job? Can you guess? Can you guess? I wear a red hat. I wear a red hat. Can you guess? Can you guess?

3. Invite children to guess the job.

1, 2, 3, What Do I See?



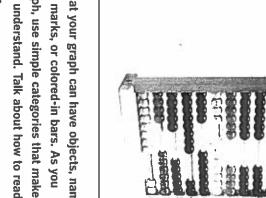
Objective 15 Demonstrates phonological awareness Related Objectives: 3, 8, 11, 20

- 1. Collect several items related to the current study, and put them in a small basket. Cover the basket with a scarf or piece of fabric.
- 2. Peek under the scarf and say, "1, 2, 3, what do I see?"
- 3. Begin to say the name of the item emphasizing the initial sound, e.g., "It's a l...." (leaf).
- 4. Invite the children to guess the name of the item. If they guess correctly, reveal the item. If they do not guess correctly, slowly reveal a small part.
- 5. Have the group say the word together after revealing the item.

# What You Do



- 1. Invite the children to join you in creating a graph. a car, and take a bus. Talk about the categories you representing the children who walk to school, ride in grouped. Show an example of a graph, such as one Explain that a graph shows how objects are will make together on the graph paper.
- "We've been talking today about..."
- "Let's think about how to make a graph with that information."



### 2. Remember that your graph can have objects, names graph easy to understand. Talk about how to read the finished graph. make the graph, use simple categories that make the pictures, tally marks, or colored-in bars. As you

- "What does this graph tell us? Yes, it shows us all at our graph. Let's count which kind of shoe is who is wearing each kind of shoe by looking shoes with Velcro, and slip-on shoes. Let's see wearing today. Here we have shoes with laces, the different kinds of shoes our classmates are worn the most."
- 3. Continue this activity for as long as the children are during choice time. the Toys and Games area for the children to look at interested. Explain that the graph will be available in

# Toys and Games

# Objective 20

Related Objectives: 2, 7, 9, 11, 13, 14, 17, 24, 37, Uses number concepts and operations

# Including All Children

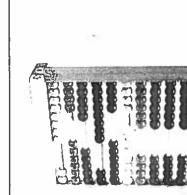
- Simplify by making a graph using objects.
- Provide daily graphing practice by using blue or brown or green eyes. broccoli; I have or don't have a dog; I have statement sheet, e.g., I like or don't like by clipping their clothespins onto a picture. Have them make a simple graph clothespins with each child's name or
- in their home languages and in English.\*\*

Invite English-language learners to count

 Address children by name so they know they are being asked to participate.\*\*

# Story Problems

# What You Do



## M22 Toys and Game's

Materials: collection of manipulatives

- 1. Invite the children to explore the collection of the children to divide the groups into smaller piles. manipulatives. Count the objects together, and invite
- "We have 10 counting chips in a pile. Let's move each pile?" counting chips. Can you count how many are in five of them over here. Now we have two piles of
- 2. Present various story problems. Ask the children to solve them by using the manipulatives.
- "Let's pretend that we're feeding these chips to the away! How many chips do we need now?" birds, we need four chips. Uh-oh! One bird flew birds that come to our window. If we see four

- Invite the children to count as a way to solve the story problem.
- "Six of you are standing by the table. Now let's have two children in that group go stand by the easel. How many children are left at the table?"
- 4. Pose story problems that involve adding and subtracting.
- "Let's pretend we have seven children at the table many more napkins do we need?" for snack, but we only have four napkins. How
- បា Continue the activity for as long as it interests the problems with their classmates during choice time children. Explain that they can think about story any interest area. Encourage them to create story problems when they are playing with materials in

# Including All Children

Related Objectives: 1, 2, 7, 8, 9, 11, 14

Uses number concepts and operations

Objective 20

- Use manipulatives of various sizes, colors and textures.
- Provide boxes or containers to help define story problems and solutions.
- Place objects on a nonslip material to keep them from moving around.
- If children are beginning to speak correct their grammar.\*\* opportunities to talk. Be sure to model in sentences, give them plenty of the correct use of English, but do not
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#### The Litter Monster



Objective 8 Listens to and understands increasingly complex language Related Objectives: 3, 9, 10, 11, 12, 15, 17, 27, 30

#### What You Do

1. Write the poem on a chart and read aloud.

I'm a careless fellow and this is what I do. I make a mess and won't clean up—
I leave that up to you.

I throw my garbage in the street. I will not keep my classroom neat. I drop my wrappers on the floor. I pitch my tissues out the door.

But I'm so very sad, you see,
Because no one will play with me.
They call me "Litter Monster"—how can
that be?

Oh, please, my friend, won't you help me?

Say It, Show It



Objective 20
Uses number concepts and operations
Related Objectives: 1, 3, 5, 7, 8, 11, 34

- 1. Chant, and snap, tap, or clap the beat.

  Appy, tappy, tappy,
  Appy, tappy, too.

  Appy, tappy, tappy,
  I'll show my card to you!
- 2. Hold up a numeral card from 1-10.
- 3. Ask the children to name the numeral.
- 4. Invite them to perform a simple motion to demonstrate their knowledge of the quantity that it represents. Say, "Can you hold up four fingers? Can you jump four times?"



#### I Can Make a Circle



Objective 21 Explores and describes spatial relationships and shapes Related Objectives: 1, 3, 8, 11, 34, 35

#### What You Do

- 1. Select a leader to draw a shape with her finger in the air, on the floor, or on a table.
- 2. Model by playfully making mistakes and erasing them with an imaginary eraser.
- 3. Sing to the tune of "The Mulberry Bush" while the child is drawing.

[Shawanda] can make a circle, a circle, a circle. [Shawanda] can make a circle, just like this!

4. Ask another child, "What shape can you make?" Repeat the activity.

#### Scat Singing



Objective 15 Demonstrates phonological awareness Related Objectives: 3, 8, 11, 34

#### What You Do

- 1. Explain that "scat" singing is a different kind of singing because one uses sounds instead of words.
- 2. Sing a line using any combination of sounds and have the children repeat it.

Bo bo (echo)
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3. Jazz up the sounds with rhythm. The more you get into this, the more the children will enjoy it.

#### Feely Box

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Objective 26
Demonstrates knowledge of the physical properties of objects and materials

Related Objectives: 3, 9, 11, 12, 15, 24

#### What You Do

- 1. Place an item related to the current study into a feely box or bag.
- 2. Ask a child to reach inside the box, feel the item, and describe it.
- 3. Invite the child to use descriptive terms, e.g., smooth and cold.
- 4. Have the other children guess what might be in the box.
- 5. Pass the item around for children to examine.

#### One, Two, Buckle My Shoe



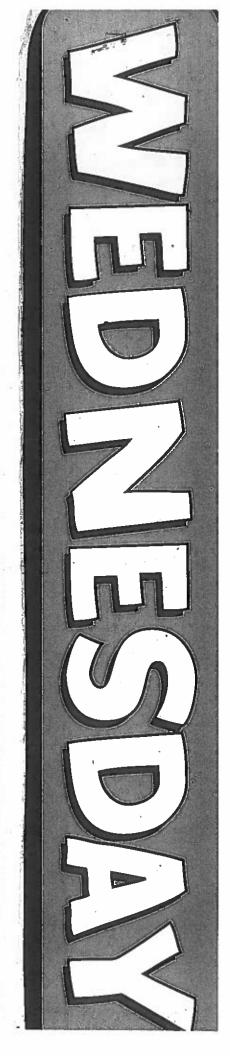
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#### What You Do

- 1. Write the following rhyme on the board or on a chart.
- 2. Recite the rhyme to the class.

One, two, buckle my shoe.
Three, four, shut the door.
Five, six, pick up sticks.
Seven, eight, lay them straight.
Nine, ten, a big fat hen!

- 3. Repeat the rhyme several times.
- **4. Create new rhymes with each line**, e.g., One, two, cry boo hoo. Three, four, sit on the floor.



#### Hot or Cold 3-D Shapes



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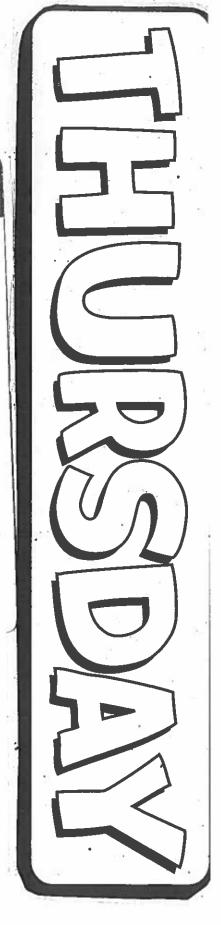
- 1. Show and name several three-dimensional shapes. Explain that you will be hiding one of them.
- 2. Choose one child to be "the finder."
  Have her cover her eyes while you or the children hide one of the shapes.
- 3. Have the children say, "Hot!" when the finder gets closer to the object and "Cold!" when she moves away from it.
- 4. Have the finder name the shape and where it was hidden.
- 5. Repeat the activity with another shape.

#### Disappearing Rhymes



Objective 15 Demonstrates phonological awareness Related Objectives: 3, 8, 9, 11

- 1. Sketch something with several features on a dry erase board or chalkboard, e.g., a face, building, or tree.
- 2. Say a word that rhymes with one of the features, e.g., "I see something that rhymes with pie... yes, it's an eye."
- 3. Erase that feature and begin again, e.g., "I see something that rhymes with pier... yes, it's an ear. Let's erase both ears."
- 4. Continue until you've erased the entire sketch.





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# What You Do





# Outdoors

Materials: large indoor or outdoor space

- 1. Invite the children to join you in a large outdoor slide step composed of a step and a leap. space to explore galloping. Explain that a gallop is a
- 2. Demonstrate how to lift and bend the front leg, and supporting leg as the front leg springs forward again. rear foot then quickly closes behind it to replace the then move it forward to support your weight. The

- 3. Invite the children to practice the following sequence.
- "Take a big step forward, keeping that foot in front of the body at all times."
- "Begin moving forward by stepping on the front foot and bringing the rear foot forward."
- 4. Prompt the children to think of animals that gallop, and invite them to practice the technique by imagining themselves as those animals.

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Related Objectives: 3, 8, 11, 21

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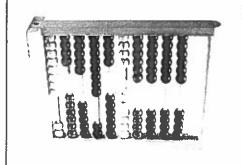
- Demonstrate each movement slowly throughout the activity. as you describe it. Repeat words often
- Provide tactile illustrations of the various movements of galloping for a child to feel.
- Provide physical and verbal assistance when needed.
- As children learn to produce letter pronunciation.\*\* sounds in English, accept their attempts without correcting errors. Model correct
- Watch for nonverbal cues that signal a desire to participate, such as expressions.\*\* gestures, body movements, and facial

# Jinnertime

# What You Do



- Display the dishes, utensils, napkins, and cups. Tell the children to pretend they are going to have friends
- 2. Encourage them to talk about what they might serve or whom they might invite. Discuss healthy food such as cookies and cake. choices and foods that are eaten only occasionally,
- "Yum. Enchiladas and a salad. What vegetables will you put in your salad?"
- "You're serving juicy peaches for dessert. Peaches are good for your body."
- "It is fun to eat cake at a birthday party!"



## M01 Dramatic Play

Objective 20

Uses number concepts and operations Related Objectives: 1, 7, 9, 11, 12, 14, 21, 30

### Demonstrate and describe how to set the table. Use positional words, such as beside, above, and on top of "I'm putting the fork on top of the napkin." "The knife goes beside the plate.'

4. Ask questions and pose story problems that encourage children to count, separate, and combine objects.

# Additional Ideas

by Jo Ellen Bogart, Miss Spider's Tea by Pat Hutchins. Party by David Kirk, or The Doorbell Rang for 10 by Catherine Falwell, 10 for Dinner meal before doing this activity, e.g., Feast Consider reading a book about a shared

# Including All Children

- Use laminated placemats that show children can match and place the objects. the shapes of dishes, utensils, etc., so
- Pair children with different skill levels the guests to work together to set the table for
- Offer large play food items, such as pizza. food items for counting. pick up and hold. Use shoeboxes to store bread, and juice boxes, that are easy to
- Show pictures or point to objects that illustrate or explain unfamiliar words.\*\*
- Ask children to repeat a simple phrase you have said and modeled. For example

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# MONDAY

#### Where Can He Be?



Objective 21 Explores and describes spatial relationships and shapes Related Objectives: 3, 8, 9, 32, 34

#### What You Do

- 1. Recite the following rhyme to the tune of "Oh, Where, Oh, Where Has My Little Dog Gone?"
- 2. Use a familiar animal.

Oh, where, oh, where has my
[gray squirrel] gone?
Oh, where, oh, where can [he] be?
With [his two pointy ears] and [his big bushy tail],
Oh, where, oh, where can he be?

3. Have the children describe where they think the animal might be, e.g., up the tree, behind the stump, or in the hollow log.

#### Hickory Dickory Dock



Objective 15 Demonstrates phonological awareness Related Objectives: 3, 7, 8, 9, 11, 14, 20, 34

#### What You Do

1. Read the following rhyme.

Hickory dickory dock,
The mouse ran up the clock.
The clock struck [one],
The mouse [ran down].
Hickory dickory dock.

- 2. Increase the hour each time you repeat the rhyme.
- 3. Create a rhyming phrase to pair with each "time," e.g., The clock struck three, the mouse cried, "Wheeeee!"



La, La, La



Objective 15 Demonstrates phonological awareness Related Objectives: 3, 8, 14, 34

#### What You Do

- 1. Sing a simple song that is very familiar to the children, such as "Row, Row, Row Your Boat."
- 2. Then repeat the song, replacing each syllable in the words with *la*, e.g., "la, la, la la, la..." for "Row, row, row your boat...."

Old MacDonald



Objective 34
Explores musical concepts
and expression
Related Objectives: 3, 8, 11, 12, 25, 34, 35

#### What You Do

- 1. Sing "Old MacDonald" with the children.
- 2. Have children name an animal and the sound it makes to use in the song.

Old MacDonald had a farm, E-I-E-I-O. And on that farm he had a [pig], E-I-E-I-O. With an [oink, oink] here and an [oink, oink] there

Here an [oink], there an [oink], everywhere an [oink, oink]

Old MacDonald had a farm, E-I-E-I-O.

#### Shape Hunt

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Objective 21
Explores and describes spatial relationships and shapes
Related Objectives: 3, 7, 8, 9, 11, 12, 26

#### What You Do

- 1. Using three-dimensional shapes or shape cards, hold up a shape and describe it to the children.
- 2. Ask the children if they can find that shape somewhere in the room.
- 3. Invite them to look carefully and think creatively, e.g., a shirt may have a rectangular pocket or a window might be rectangular.
- 4. Have children feel the roundness or straight edges of the shape. Invite them to make the shapes with their bodies if possible.

#### Ticky Ricky



Objective 15 Demonstrates phonological awareness Related Objectives: 3, 8, 9, 11, 23, 35

#### What You Do

- 1. Collect a basket of items that the children can name.
- 2. Snap, tap, or clap as you chant the rhyme.

Ticky ricky, tacky racky, Chicky chacky choo. I like finding words that rhyme, How about you?

- 3. Ask a child to select an object from the basket, name the object, and say a word that rhymes with it.
- 4. Repeat and let each child have a turn, or select another object and let all the children respond.



#### Walk Around the Shapes



Objective 21 Explores and describes spatial relationships and shapes

Related Objectives: 3, 4, 8, 16, 21, 34

#### What You Do

- 1. Arrange shape cards in a circle on the floor (one card more than the number of players). Use several cards with the same shape.
- 2. Play music, and instruct the children to walk around the circle and sit on a shape when the music stops.
- 3. Point out the extra shape. Say, "Oh look, we have an extra triangle."
- 4. Ask each child sitting on that shape to stand up and create a silly song and dance, e.g., "Triangle, triangle, I sat on a triangle!"
- 5. Repeat the game.

#### Baa, Baa, Black Sheep



Objective 15 Demonstrates phonological awareness Related Objectives: 3, 8, 9, 11, 20, 34

- 1. Sing and count on your fingers.
  - Baa, baa, black sheep, have you any wool? Yes sir, yes sir, [three] bags full!
  - '[One] for the master, [one] for the dame, And [one] for the little boy who lives down the lane.
  - Baa, baa, black sheep, have you any wool? Yes sir, yes sir, [three] bags full!





#### Clap the Missing Word



Objective 15 Demonstrates phonological awareness Related Objectives: 1, 3, 8, 9, 23, 24

#### What You Do

- 1. Choose a short, repetitive, familiar song.
- 2. Sing it through once.
- 3. Explain that you are going to leave out one of the words and (clap) when you should say the word.
- **4. Choose one repetitive word to omit,** e.g., "The farmer in the (*clap*), The farmer in the (*clap*), Hi-ho, the derry-o, The farmer in the (*clap*)...."

#### Let's Make Letters



Objective 15 Demonstrates phonological awareness Related Objectives: 3, 5, 7, 8, 11, 12, 14, 16, 29, 35, 36

#### What You Do

1. Sing, chant, or rap to a lively beat.

We like letters and we're here to say,
We can make our letters in so many ways.
We can make them with our fingers.
We can make them with our hands.
We can make them with our bodies.
Oh yes, we can!
Let's make T... /t/, /t/, /t/.
Let's make P... /p/, /p/, /p/.
Let's make C... /k/, /k/, /k/.

2. Have children stand and form the letters with their bodies.

# Jump the River



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# Objective 5

Demonstrates balancing skills Related Objectives: 1, 3, 4, 8, 11, 14

# What You Do

Materials: tape, chalk, or a jump rope as a visual guide for each child; large indoor or outdoor space Create a visual guide for the children to jump over: a line of tape on the floor, chalk on the sidewalk, or a jump rope on the ground.

- Invite the children to join you in a large indoor or outdoor space.
- 2. Ask the children to join you in jumping over the river. Explain that the line, or rope, on the ground is the river, and that they should try to jump over the river without getting their feet wet. Demonstrate how to jump over the river and stay dry.
- "I see the river in front of me. I think I better use two feet to jump over it. How else could I get over the river?"

Invite the children to walk around the space (the park or the woods). When they come to a river (rope or line on the ground), ask them to jump over the river and keep their feet dry. Sing the following lyrics to the tune of "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow":

Jamal jumped over the river, Jamal jumped over the river.

Jamal jumped over the river, to get to the other side.

4. Allow sufficient time for children to jump over the river. Continue the activity for as long as it interests the children.

# Additional Ideas

Jumping has three successive phases:

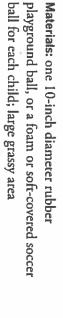
- Takeoff is the action the child takes to propel his or her body off the ground.
- Flight is the action of the child's body while it is airborne.
- Landing is the action of the child's body as it reestablishes contact with the ground.

# Including All Children

- Use a wide strip of high-contrast tape on the floor for children with mobility devices to step over.
- Demonstrate with gestures and movements as you give directions.\*\*
- Hold the child's hand as the child bends
   at the knee to jump over the river.
- Place a yellow or red sheet on the floor to make the river easier to see.
- If children are beginning to speak in sentances give them planty of

# Dribble Kick

# What You Do



1. Explain that you want to show the children how to dribble the ball with their feet. Talk about how dribbling helps move the ball in front of you while you walk or run. Demonstrate slowly, using very short kicks. For many children, learning to dribble a ball with their feet is difficult, because it requires controlling the ball with their feet and moving forward at the same time.

"This is how we dribble the ball. I'm keeping the ball close to my feet as I tap it forward. Now it's your turn to try."



2. Ask the children to place the balls on the ground in front of them. Encourage them to kick (gently tap) the ball no more than 2-3 feet away from the body. Then have them kick (gently tap) the ball with the other foot the same way. Continue to kick the ball while walking, alternating kicks with each foot. Remind the children to always contact the ball with the inside of the foot, not the toes.

"Katie, I see how you are using one foot and then the other foot. Great! Remember to kick with the inside of your foot instead of your toes. That way you can control where the ball goes."

3. As children's skills develop, encourage them to walk faster when they dribble. Continue the activity as long as the children are interested. Explain that the balls will be kept outside for them to practice dribbling during outdoor time.

### P15 Outdoors

## Objective 6

Demonstrates gross-motor manipulative skills

Related Objectives: 3, 8, 9, 11, 21, 22, 26

# including All Children

- Use heavier, weighted balls that don't roll too far.
- Demonstrate slowly while you give directions.
- Pair children with different skill levels; one child kicks and the other retrieves.
- Suggest a child hold a table, or your hand, to balance himself as he raises his foot to kick. Stabilize the ball.
- Children with mobility devices may use a stick or plastic bat to swing and strike the ball. Use elastic to tether the ball to a wheelchair.
- Show pictures or point to objects that illustrate or explain unfamiliar words.\*\*
- Watch for nonverbal cues that signal a desire to participate, such as gestures, body movements, and facial expressions.\*\*

#### Everyday Schedule

During our time apart we thought we would give you the meal, and nap schedule that we follow everyday. We are hoping that you will include this schedule into your routine. This schedule may keep a sense of normalcy to our children, and make the transition back into the Center as easy as possible when we are able to be together once more. Our goal is to keep the children as stress free as possible during this time.

- 7:00 a.m. Morning snack.
- 9:00 a.m. Breakfast.
- 12:00 p.m. Lunch.
- 12:45 3:00 p.m. Nap time.
- 3:00 p.m. Afternoon snack.

Do not put pressure on yourself or your child to follow this exact schedule. Our only goal is to keep the days back at the Center following our time apart a happy reunion for us and our families.

# **MyTeaching**Strategies

# April 20-24

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Hully Gully, How Many?



Objective 20 Uses number concepts and operations Related Objectives: 3, 8, 9, 11, 12

#### What You Do

- 1. Hide several small items that make a jingling noise in your hand, e.g., coins, marbles, or small bells.
- 2. Ask the children to guess how many items are in your hand.
- 3. Shake the items and say slowly, "Hully gully, how many?" Invite children to listen carefully to the sounds.
- 4. Find out if they have a strategy for figuring out the answer. Ask, "What makes you think it's [three]?"
- 5. After a few guesses, or someone gets it right, count the objects together, touching each one.

Humpty Dumpty



Objective 15 Demonstrates phonological awareness Related Objectives: 3, 7, 8, 9, 11, 12, 14, 34

#### What You Do

- 1. Read or recite the Humpty Dumpty rhyme together.
- 2. Use a real egg as Humpty Dumpty the first time you say the rhyme. Drop it for dramatic effect when you say "had a great fall." Use newspaper to keep the floor clean.
- 3. Repeat the rhyme and have the children act it out.

Humpty Dumpty sat on a wall.
Humpty Dumpty had a great fall.
All the king's horses and all the king's men
Couldn't put Humpty together again!



#### Purple Pants



Objective 8 Listens to and understands increasingly complex language Related Objectives: 3, 5, 9, 10, 11, 13, 15, 29, 34

#### What You Do

1. Sing the following to the tune of "The Farmer in the Dell."

[Mike] wore [purple pants]. [He] wore [purple pants]. Pick-a pack-a lick-a lack, [He] wore [purple pants].

2. Adapt the song using children's names and colors of their clothing, e.g., "Salim wore a blue shirt" or "Margarita wore a pink dress."

#### Listen For Your Name



Objective 15 Demonstrates phonological awareness Related Objectives: 3, 7, 8, 11

#### What You Do

1. Say the chant and create real or nonsense words that rhyme with each child's name.

Listen for your name.
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Listen for the word that sounds like your name.
[Skeeter, heater, teeter...]
"It's [Peter]!"

2. Have the children guess whose name rhymes with the real or nonsense words. The children respond with the name of the child.

#### Dinky Doo

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Objective 15 Demonstrates phonological awareness Related Objectives: 3, 7, 11, 34

1. Sing the following nonsense words to the tune of "Twinkle Twinkle Little Star."

Dinky, dinky, dinky, doo. Willy, willy, willy, woo. Dinky, dinky, dinky, doo. Willy, willy, woo. Dinky, dinky, dinky, doo. Willy, willy, willy, woo.

2. Repeat using nonsense words that start with T.

Tinky, tinky, tinky, too. Tilly, tilly, tilly, too.

My Name, Too!

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Objective 15 Demonstrates phonological awareness Related Objectives: 1, 3, 5, 7, 8, 12, 13

- 1. Tell the children that you are going to play a game where they must listen for words that begin with the same sound.
- 2. Relate a child's name to a series of words that have the same initial sound. You might say, "If your name begins like *meat*, *mat*, and *mitt*, please stand up."
- 3. Repeat the alliteration with other children's names.



#### Find the Letter Sound

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Objective 16 Demonstrates knowledge of the alphabet

Related Objectives: 1, 2, 3, 4, 8, 20, 21

#### What You Do

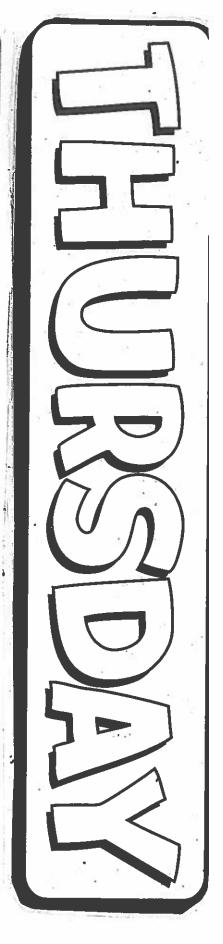
- 1. Place letter cards on the floor.
- 2. Address one child at a time and say, "Find and stand on the letter that makes the /t/ sound."
- 3. Invite the other children to cheer for their peers while waiting for their turns.
- 4. Pair the children and add a movement that starts with the same sound. Say, "Tiptoe to the /t/ sound," or "roar on the /r/,"

#### Clap the Beat



Objective 15
Demonstrates phonological awareness
Related Objectives: 3, 8, 20, 34

- 1. Line up several study-related items or pictures in front of the children.
- 2. Create a rhythmic pattern by clappping each syllable as you name the item, e.g., ba-na-na (3 claps), ap-ple (2 claps), grape-fruit (2 claps), or plum (1 clap).
- 3. Repeat the clapping syllable rhythm together.
- 4. Create a new rhythmic pattern by changing the order of the items.





#### Scat Singing



Objective 15 Demonstrates phonological awareness Related Objectives: 3, 8, 11, 34

#### What You Do

- 1. Explain that "scat" singing is a different kind of singing because one uses sounds instead of words.
- 2. Sing a line using any combination of sounds and have the children repeat it.

Bo bo (echo)
Doo boo (echo)
Be boo bo (echo)

Bo be doe be doe be (echo)

3. Jazz up the sounds with rhythm. The more you get into this, the more the children will enjoy it.

#### The Name Dance



Objective 15
Demonstrates phonological awareness
Related Objectives: 1, 5, 8, 34, 35

- 1. Help children determine the number of syllables in their names by clapping each syllable.
- 2. Select a child and say her name. Clap and move your body rhythmically for each syllable.
- 3. Sing, "[Car-ly, Car-ly], let's try the [Car-ly] dance."
- 4. Ask the child to join you in making up her name dance.
- 5. Repeat this game with each child.
- 6. When finished, have all the children dance their names together.

# Related Consequences



# What You Do

cleaning up any messes they make. children the idea that they'll be responsible for the blocks and put them away. This action teaches a related consequence: The child has to pick up all basket of small blocks onto the floor, it produces actions so children learn that they are responsible allows children to make connections between for their actions. For example, if a child dumps a important to relate the consequence to the child's their actions and what happens in response. It is Background: All behavior has consequences. Using this concept to guide children's behavior

1. Notice a time when a child is engaged in an inappropriate behavior that does not pose great danger to the child or others.

- 2. Think of a way for children to experience the result of their actions (a related consequence).
- Spills milk; cleans it up.
- Dumps out all the LEGO\* pieces; puts them away.
- Delays putting on shoes; doesn't go out on the playground until shoes are on
- 3. Use a neutral tone of voice to explain the action and the related consequence.

Related Objectives: 2, 3, 8, 11, 12

Regulates own emotions and behaviors

Objective 1

social-emotional Intentional Teaching Listening," and "Big Rule, Little Rule." Cards, such as "I Statements," "Active Use "Related Consequences" with other

# Including All Children

- Use simple words to state the action-consequence connection.\*\* connection between an action and language each time to reinforce the the consequence. Use similar
- Make sure you have the child's attention of his actions. before reminding him of the consequence
- When the child responds responsibly, encourage her by describing her actions.
- Address children by name so they know they are being asked to participate.\*\*

# Additional Ideas

# What Can We Build Together?

What You Do



### SE25 Block Area

## Objective 3

Participates cooperatively and constructively in group situations Related Objectives: 1, 2, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 33

# Materials: building blocks

Background: Giving children a specific activity to do with a classmate helps them practice cooperation skills. Taking turns during a creative activity helps children share responsibility and implement the ideas of others. A child who typically leads will learn how to let others make decisions, and a child who hesitates to voice an opinion will have an equal share in the development of the project.

# 1. Pair two children to create a block structure.

- 2. Explain to the children that they will take turns deciding how to build the structure. Each child will take a turn placing the next block.
- "Fadoua, you can place the first block. Now Regina can decide where the next block will go."
- 3. Encourage the children to talk about their construction as they build.
- 4. Coach the children, if needed, about how to work cooperatively.
- 5. Commend the children on their cooperative effort when they are done.

"You worked together to build a huge tower!"

# Including All Children

- Record several messages onto a child's communication device with related picture labels, and review them with the children at the beginning of the activity. Include such phrases as "it's my turn."; "It's your turn now"; It's getting bigger!"; "What else can we do?"
- Provide blocks or other building materials that both children can use independently.
- When giving instructions, provide ample opportunity for the children to practice taking turns.\*\*
- Include answer options in the phrasing of a question. For example, ask, "Which animal might you see in a tree: a bird or a fish?"\*\*