

LEARNING AT HOME YOUNG TODDLER WEEK 7

May 4th-8th



Dear Families,

We are excited to launch plans for Week 7. There are some great options for physical activities in an indoor environment. Additionally, some simple ideas with materials available at home to support the creative undertakings. We hope you enjoy this week's plan with your little ones!

Language Development

Phone Play

Using a pretend phone, talk on the phone. Then hand the phone to your toddler and say "It's for you". Talk to them on their pretend phone.



Social-Emotional Development

My Little Helper

Encourage your toddler to help clean up. Help them learn to clean up their toys and help wipe up their messes using a sponge or cloth.



Physical Literacy

Puddle Jumping

Have your toddler pretend to jump in puddles. Use paper plates or construction paper to make puddles. Add different actions to the puddles such as jump, hop, spin, dance. When your toddler jumps on that puddle, they can do that action.



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Cognitive Development

Pedal Sorting

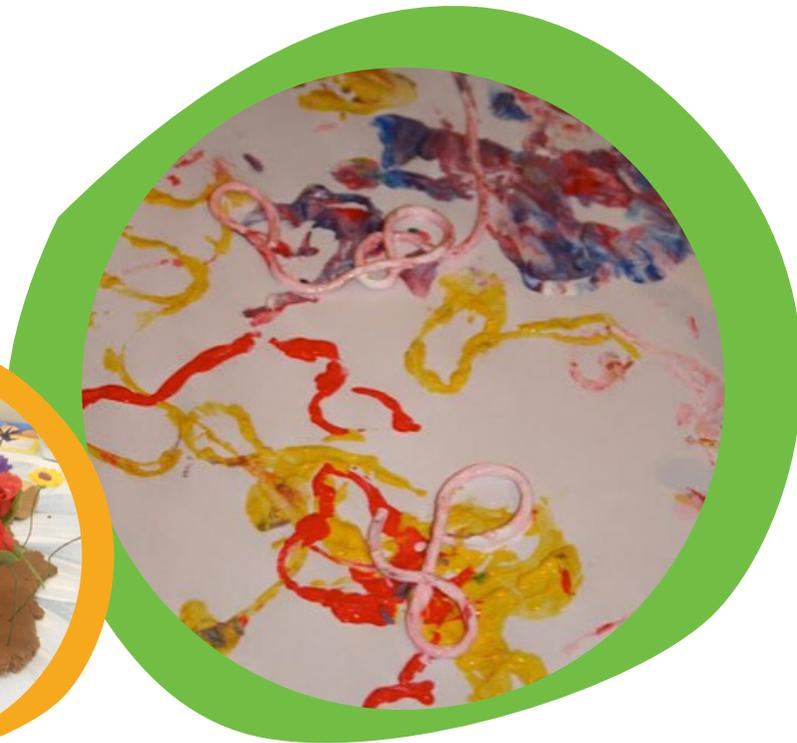
Provide your child with a visual of a flower. Have them practice counting to five using construction paper pedals.



Creative Activity

Worm Painting

Using yarn "worms", paint and paper, let your toddler dip the yarn worms in paint and using them as a paintbrush.



Additional Activities

Sensory: Mud Dough- Use 2 cups flour, 1/2 cup salt, 2 tbsp oil, 1 cup warm water, food coloring (mix colors to make brown or add dirt from outside to make brown color). Mix all the ingredients together and then let your child explore with the dough with nature items.

Dirt Sensory: Add dirt to a sensory bin with garden tools and buckets. Let your child explore with the dirt and pretend to plant. Add real and fake flowers to their play.

Gardening: If you have started a garden already, let your child help care for the plants with weeding and watering. If you have not started a garden, start one. Let your child help pick out what is getting planted.