

LEARNING AT HOME OLDER TODDLER WEEK 14

June 22nd-26th



Dear Families,

We are excited to launch plans for Week 14. 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

Ocean Animals

Talk with your child about what animals live in the ocean. Make a list of all the ocean animals.



Social-Emotional Development

Sand Play

In a sand box or sensory bin with sand, add toys to help with imaginary play such as dinosaurs, people, or cars. Play in the sand with your child making the sounds the toys make and model turn taking and sharing.



Physical Literacy

Flying Fish Catch

Make fish out of dish sponges. Let your child grab a bucket and toss fish at them that they can catch in the bucket. On a warm day, dip the sponges in water before throwing them for a little water fun.

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Cognitive Development

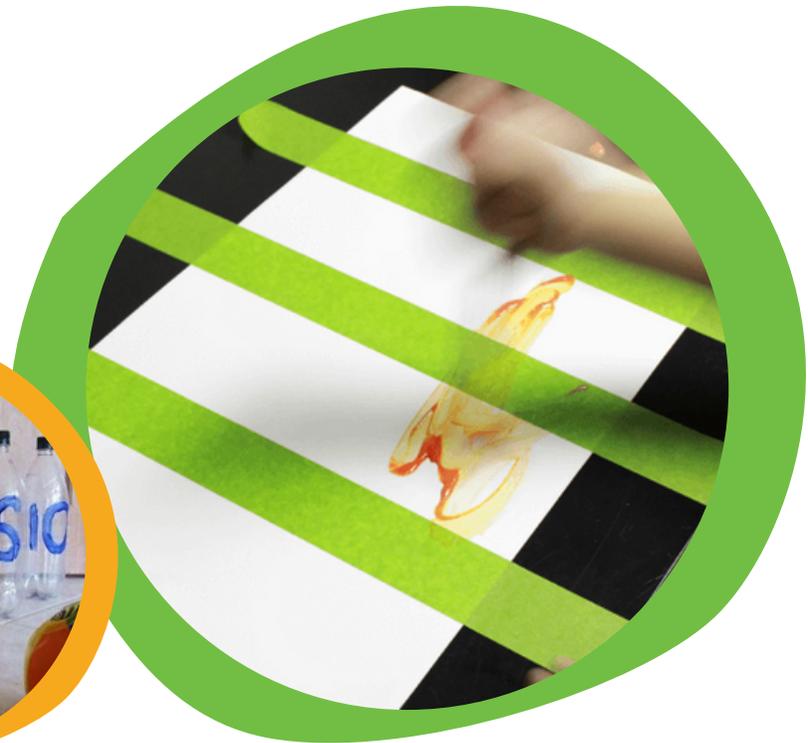
Feed the Shark Color Sorting

Make colored sharks and fish out of construction paper. Encourage your toddler to sort the fish by their color and feed them to the shark that matches. Add letters to the fish and have your child pick up letters to feed the shark.

Creative Activity

Tape Resist Clown Fish

Provide your child with strips of blue tape that they can put on a piece of white paper. Let your child paint with colorful paints over the paper and tape. Once the paint is dry, remove the blue tape revealing their design on the paper.



Additional Activities

Under the Sea Sensory Bottles: Let your child design their own ocean bottle using water, food coloring oil, and glitter. You can add small sea creatures or pictures of sea creatures to your bottle.

Seashell Printing: Using playdough and seashells, let your child make prints in the playdough with the seashells. Bring their attention to the marks it leaves behind. Playdough Recipe: 1 ¼ cup flour, ½ cup water, ½ cup salt, 1 tbs vegetable oil, Food Coloring. Stir all the ingredients together and knead the dough until pliable.

Beach Ball Bowling: Using a beach ball and empty water bottles. Help your toddler set up empty water bottles like bowling pins. Let them roll the beach ball to knock over the pins.