

# LEARNING AT HOME YOUNG TODDLER WEEK 16

July 6th-July 10th



Dear Families,

We are excited to launch plans for Week 16. 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

### I Spy

Put a few objects in front of your child. Make sure they are objects that they are familiar with. Tell your child "I spy a \_\_\_\_\_" emphasizing the sound that the object starts with and have them grab that object. Encourage them to repeat the word.



## Social-Emotional Development

### Outdoor picnic

Have an outdoor picnic with your child. Let them eat lunch outside. Talk to them about what they are eating and help them to use utensils when eating.



## Physical Literacy

### Hop over the River

Make pretend river rocks using construction paper or paper plates. Set up your rocks like they are in a pretend river. Help your child hop from rock to rock to get to the other side. Add numbers to your rocks to practice counting while you hop.



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## Cognitive Development

### Fishing

Make fish out of foam or use toy fish. Fill a bucket or play pool with water and add your fish. Give your child a net that they can use to catch the fish. Encourage your child to sort the fish by size or color.



## Creative Activity

### Chalk Drawings

Using wet chalk, let your child draw on their paper and see the marks that it makes. Once their paper is dry, let them see the difference in color.



## Additional Activities

**Watermelon Playdough:** Make playdough using 2 cups flour, 1/4 cup salt, 1 cup warm water, 1 1/2 tbsp oil, watermelon Kool-Aid packet. Add all the ingredients together and mix. You may need additional flour for this recipe if it is too sticky. Add playdough tools and cookie cutters for exploration.

**Leaf Prints:** Collect leaves with your child. Let your child paint the leaf then press it on the paper. Lift up and look at the print left behind.