

# LEARNING AT HOME SCHOOL AGE WEEK 17

July 13th-July 17th



Dear Families,

We are excited to launch plans for Week 17. 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!

## STEAM

Science, Technology, Engineering, Art  
and Mathematics

### Kite Construction

Let your child experiment with making their own kite using different materials. Test out the kites to see if they can fly in the sky after you are done. Materials that can be used: Paper (construction, cardstock, scrapbooking), Tissue paper, Plastic Bags, Popsicle sticks, String/Yarn, Tape, Glue.



## Science Experiment

### Giant Bubbles

Make giant bubbles using 1 gallon of water, 12 oz dish soap, 3 tbsp baking powder, 1 cup cornstarch, 2 oz glycerin. Mix the ingredients together. Make a large bubble wand using sting and sticks or a hula hoop.



## Physical Literacy

### Batting Practice

Use water balloons or sponge water balloons and a bat. Throw the balloons at your child and have them swing to try to hit the balloon.

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## Sensory

### Edible Ice Cream Playdough

Mix together one cup of frosting (any flavor) with two cups of powdered sugar. Mix together until a dough forms add extra powdered sugar if needed. Provide your child with cake pans, muffin tins, ice cream scoops, bowls and spoons so they can run a pretend ice cream shop.



## Creative Activity

### Pool Noodle Printing

Cut up a pool noodle into two-inch pieces. Give your child paint, paper and the pool noodles. Let them make prints on the paper using the pool noodles.



## Additional Activities

**Homemade Sun Dial:** Make a sun dial that you can put outside with your child using paper plates, paint and a paintbrush or pencil (for the middle of the plate). Help your child learn to tell time using the sun.

**Sponge Water Balloons:** Make reusable water balloons using sponges and rubber bands. Cut the sponges into one-inch strips. Put eight of the strips together and wrap the rubber band around the middle of them.

**Water Balloon Toss:** Using water balloons or sponge water balloons, toss them back and forth with your child. Try to count how many times you can toss it back and forth before it falls.