

Learning at
Home

with
**little
Sprouts**



You are Special

Infant Activities

Creative Expression

Standard: Focus attention on interesting sight or sounds, often in shared experiences with adults. React to stimulation in the environment. This includes drawings, sculptures or painting

Sing lullabies in different languages in order to help infants drift easily into dream land. Your choices can include African American lullabies such as "All the Pretty Little Horses" and "Hush Little Baby". The French lullaby "Fais Dodo, Colin Mon Petit Frere" is a lovely, simple song about Mama downstairs making cocoa for her baby, while Papa upstairs makes a little cake for the baby. There are also lovely lullabies in Spanish, such as "Duermete Mi Nino", as well as those in Russian and a host of other languages. Babies will have their world of music enriched by the pleasure of hearing lullabies from many lands.

Sensory

Standard: Focus attention on interesting sight or sounds, often in shared experiences with adults

Have your child look at a mirror and point out all their BEAUTIFUL features!

Sign Language

Standard: Remember language heard repeatedly in stories, poems, and interactive language experiences

Show Your Little Ones How Much You Love Them By Teaching Signs of Comfort

Consider the importance of showing your little ones to give and receive affection. Introduce signs such as [hug](#), [I love you](#) and [kiss](#).

Music and Movement

Standard: Respond to music by joining in on one or two words in a song or moving physically upon hearing a familiar melody or rhythm

Music with Ms. Jenna: <https://youtu.be/1WzYTaNsKYG>

Yoga with Ms. Bailey: <https://youtu.be/xOn8JcfudwA>

Toddler Activities

Creative Expression

Standards: Small Muscle Movement and Coordination

Family Portraits: [Multicultural Family Portrait Sticky Wall - HAPPY TODDLER PLAYTIME](#)

Math/Science

Standards: Math: Attributes, Sorting, and Patterns. Science: Investigating and Using Evidence cause and effect

Cheerio Self Portraits: [Cheerios Self Portraits \(thechaosandtheclutter.com\)](#)

Books and Songs

Whoever You Are: <https://youtu.be/CbeSJDX6ykU>

Outside Time:

Standards: Large Muscle Movement and Coordination

Scavenger Hunt: You can plan a scavenger hunt to play with kids in the snow. Just hide an apple or anything you like in a mound of snow with a little bit peeking out. Give the kids silly directions to follow while they search for it.

Preschool Activities

Creative Expression

Standards: Small Muscle Movement and Coordination

Family Portraits: Multicultural Family Portrait Sticky Wall - HAPPY TODDLER PLAYTIME

Math/Science/Writing

Diversity bingo helps children learn about other cultures from around the world.

Materials: Bingo cards with images that relate to a specific culture and a large set of picture cards with the same images as those on the bingo cards; some ideas might be an Indian sari, chopsticks, or a sombrero.

Instructions: In each square of the bingo card, place an image of something from a specific culture. To play, hold up one of the large set of pictures; tell the children (or ask them) what the picture is and what culture it comes from.

Books and Songs

Whoever You Are:

<https://youtu.be/CbeSJDx6ykU>

Outside Time:

Standards: Large Muscle Movement and Coordination

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Resources and Links:

Tapdance with Ms. Sarah

https://youtu.be/jZB6m_QdwVI

Story Time with Ms. Karla

<https://youtu.be/2-4dPEWOKlk>

Colors in Spanish with Ms. Jullisa

<https://youtu.be/TodF2BkK3Iw>