

ACTIVITIES THAT KINDERGARTEN CHILDREN MAY DO AT HOME

1. Visit museums.
2. Visit libraries and book store
3. Read to you child - not too long at one sitting (approx. 15 min.).
4. Build models such as birds, planes, boats, etc.
5. Magazines - cut out animals, food, Mothers, Fathers, babies, etc.
6. Play with magnets.
7. Play with magnifying glasses.
8. Listen to records.
9. Games - "Candy - land," "Chutes and Ladders," "Chinese Checkers," "Dominoes," etc.
10. Save milk bottle caps:
 - Color them
 - Make designs with them by drawing around them
 - Use for counting
11. Water play - boats, short hose, funnels, containers, etc.
12. Building with blocks - use airplanes, cars, animals and trains with the blocks.
13. Working with wood - variety of wood pieces, tools, nails.
14. Looking at pictures:
 - Tell story about picture
 - Tell colors in picture
 - Count number of people , animals, objects, etc. in picture
 - Look for detail in picture
15. Pets - care for them.
16. Make a terrarium or an aquarium.
17. Cooking - help make cookies, puddings, frostings, etc.
18. Tracing paper - use to trace simple, large, clear pictures. Color them.
19. Art work:
 - Crayoning, painting, pasting, use of scissors (cutting)
 - Colored construction paper
 - Colored chalks
 - Toothpicks and raisins (make figures and designs)
 - Pipe cleaners
20. Dress - up play - house, use housekeeping equipment; cowboys; trains; etc.