

September

Home Connection Activities

2-3 years

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PLEASE and THANK YOU Teach child appropriate time to use please and thank you.	MAKING SOUNDS Make sounds with pots, pans, kitchen utensils, keys, ect.	HOP HOP HOP Have your child hop around the yard in different directions.	I'M SPECIAL Discuss with your child his/her special Character.	COPY CAT Child will copy parents every move.	DRESSED UP Child will learn to dress his/her self with help from parent.	PARTS OF BOOK Name parts of book during storytime.
MOVE WITH MUSIC Demonstrates the ability to move in time with music.	FINGERS AND TOES Count up to 3 fingers and toes.	NATURE WALK Take a walk around the neighborhood and talk about surroundings.	SPONGES Let your child experiment with sponges.	SCARF DANCING Dancing to different songs with scarfs.	LOUD VOICE/ SOFT VOICE Have your child listen to a nursery rhyme in a soft voice then a loud voice.	HOLDING A PENCIL Child will learn to use thumb and forefinger to hold pencil.
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MOODS Point to pictures that represent feelings and names of emotions.	SORTING LAUNDRY Have your child help sort laundry by items.	YUMMY PUZZLE Cut front of cereal box to create a puzzle for child.	RECOGNIZING Recognize furniture in house and point.	MINE OR YOURS Help your child learn the difference between yours and theirs.	KICK A BALL Set a low target and have the child kick the ball towards it.	WHO IS? Points to people in photographs.

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SHOWING INDEPENDENCE The child will move away from parent to get favorite toy.	TUNNEL CRAWL Make a tunnel for your child to crawl through by covering a table with a blanket.	TURN PAGES Let your child turn the pages of the book during storytime.	BUILDING A TOWER Stack several blocks and call it "my house".	TOILETING Encourage child to pull up and down pants.	LISTENING Give child simple Directions. "Pick up toy and put in box".	READ A BOOK OUTDOORS Choose a book with outdoor pictures.
HELP SET THE TABLE The child will assist parent with setting the plates on the table.	SQUEEZE AND CRUMBLE Give the child paper to squeeze and crumble.	SCRIBBLE Show child that scribbled work is a communicated message.	GOOD HELPER Child will help clean up around the home.	BALANCE Balance on one foot and count how many seconds.	DRY YOUR HANDS Focus on drying hands after washing.	HOLDING A PENCIL Child will learn to use thumb and forefinger to hold pencil.
COLOR RED The child will point to red objects throughout the house.	COUNT TO 1 Have the child practice counting to 1.	CUT THE PLAYDOUGH Allow the child to explore with playdough.	TELEPHONE TALK Give the child a toy phone and pretend to have a conversation.	BODY PARTS Name body parts and have child point to them.	BRUSH TEETH Practice brushing teeth.	CATCH A BALL Practicing catching a ball with parent.
SORTING LAUNDRY Have your child help sort laundry by items	KNOBS AND SWITCHES Let the child help you with turning knobs, switches, or handles.	TEXTURE COLLAGE Gather different materials and explore them.	SHOE STORE Find his/her shoes when it is time to get dressed.	STOP AND GO Practice playing stop and go outside.	UNZIP AND ZIP Practice working with zippers on clothing.	HIDE AND SEEK Parent and child will play hide and seek outdoors.

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COLOR BLUE The child will point to blue objects around the house.	EYE SPY Nature hunt outside. I see _____.	PLEASE AND THANK YOU Say please and thank you during meal times.	MOVE WITH MUSIC Move your body to the beat of the music.	ONE FOOT Stand on one foot for 5 seconds.	COUNT to 2 Count with the child up to 2.	CIRCLES Child will find circle shapes throughout the house.
MELTING Take ice cubes out in the sun and watch them melt.	TOILETING Child will practice pulling pants up and down.	UP/DOWN STAIRS Child will go up and down stairs/steps.	STEP OVER Child will practice stepping over a line.	SORTING LAUNDRY Child will assist parent/adult sort the laundry.	FIRST LETTER OF NAME Child will practice recognizing the first letter of his/her name.	FREEZE Play music and freeze when the music stops.
COUNT to 3 Count with the child up to 3.	HOW OLD AM I? Child will practice telling parent/adult how old he/she is.	SQUARES Child will find square shapes in the house.	YUMMY PUZZLE Cut front of cereal box to create a puzzle for child.	COPY CAT Child will copy parents every move.	FLOAT The child will find different objects that will float in the water.	SCAVENGER HUNT Make a list of household items and search for them.
COLOR YELLOW The child will point to yellow objects around the house.	WALK THE LINE The child will practice walking a straight line.	SINK The child will find different objects that will sink in the water.	ON TOP/UNDER Puts an object "on top" or "under" the table.	MINE OR YOURS Help your child learn the difference between yours and theirs.	COLOR PURPLE The child will point to purple objects throughout the house.	LAST NAME Practice saying last name.
ITSY BITSY SPIDER Practice singing the finger play "Itsy Bitsy Spider".	HOP HOP HOP Have your child hop around the yard in different directions.	UP/DOWN LINES The child will practice drawing lines up and down (horizontal).	COLOR BLACK The child will point to black objects around the house.	FRONT OF BOOK Have the child identify the front of the book.	STOP AND GO Practice playing stop and go outside.	COLOR ORANGE The child will point to orange objects around the house.

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COLOR GREEN The child will point to green objects around the house.	POUR The child will practice pouring liquid into different containers.	OPEN CUP Practice drinking from an open cup without spilling.	MIRROR DANCE Parent and child will watch each other dancing in front of mirror.	TOOTING TOWEL ROLLS Parent and child will make different sounds using towel rolls.	MARCH TO MUSIC Child will march to the rhythm of the music.	RECTANGLES Child will find rectangle shapes around the house.
TURN PAGES Let your child turn the pages of the book during storytime.	ACT LIKE ANIMALS Child will make an animal sounds and movements.	WEATHER TALK Parent and child will talk about the weather for the day and describe it.	FINGERS AND TOES Count up to 5 fingers and toes.	PARTS OF BOOK Name parts of book during storytime.	IT IS A BUG Learn safety rules about bugs that harm and bite.	VERTICAL LINES Have the child practice drawing vertical(side to side) lines.
MARY HAD A LITTLE LAMB Child will practice singing the nursery rhyme.	COUNT TO FIVE Practicing counting up to five.	PULL IT OFF Stick tape to an old cookie sheet and have the child pull it off.	PRACTICE USING A FORK Child will practice using a fork during meal time.	CLAP TO MUSIC Child will clap to the sound of music and the rhythm.	GERM GERM GO AWAY Wash hands for 20 seconds while singing a song.	MOVE WITH MUSIC Demonstrates the ability to move in time with music.
FULL NAME Practice saying full name (first and last).	BACK OF BOOK Have the child identify the back of the book.	DENTIST Talk about a trip to the dentist.	LAUNDRY PAIRS Sort laundry and match pairs.	TABLE SETTING Child will practice setting the table for a meal time and talk about it.	A-CHOO The child will practice cover mouth during a sneeze or cough.	SCARF DANCING Dancing to different songs with scarfs.
SQUEEZE AND CRUMBLE Give the child paper to squeeze and crumble.	BATH TIME BODY PARTS During bathtime name different body parts	POTTY TIME Talk about positive potty time.	BLOW PAPER Cut paper then blow paper across the table back and forth.	SOCK PUPPETS Place sock on hand and move fingers to mimic a puppet	BRUSHING TEETH The child will practice toothbrushing.	WHEELS ON THE BUS Have the child practice singing "Wheels on the bus".

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WHEELS ON THE BUS Have the child practice singing "Wheels on the bus".	MOODS Point to pictures that represent feelings and names of emo-	DRESSED UP Child will learn to dress his/her self with help from parent.	KNOBS AND SWITCHES Let the child help you with turning knobs, switches, or handles.	SCRIBBLE Show child that scribbled work is a communicated	TEXTURE COLLAGE Gather different materials and explore them.	SOCK PUPPETS Place sock on hand and move fingers to mimic a puppet
CATCH A BALL Practicing catching a ball with parent.	BUILDING A TOWER Stack several blocks and call it "my house".	YUMMY PUZZLE Cut front of cereal box to create a puzzle for child.	RECOGNIZING Recognize furniture in house and point.	WALK THE LINE The child will practice walking a straight line.	ACT LIKE ANIMALS Child will make an animal sounds and movements.	GOOD HELPER Child will help clean up around the home.

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DRY YOUR HANDS Focus on drying hands after washing.	COUNT TO 1 Have the child practice counting to 1.	UNZIP AND ZIP Practice working with zippers on clothing.	EYE SPY Nature hunt outside. I see _____.	MELTING Take ice cubes out in the sun and watch them melt.	HOW OLD AM I? Child will practice telling parent/adult how old he/she is.	COLOR PURPLE The child will point to purple objects throughout the house.
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