May Howard Pre-K

May 11th, 2020

Good morning Pre-K! Please choose from any of the activities below and have fun learning at home. If you choose to go on an adventure or engage in play based learning instead of the activities below, we'd love to hear about what you have engaged in (a visit to a park, creating art, fine motor practice, cooking). Keep reading books with your children. Snuggling up and reading an actual book is the best, but online stories are great too! Epic, Story online, and Story time from Space are all online options (bottom right section of the symbaloo https://mayhowardprek.weebly.com/additional-activities.html) Your May Howard teachers are recording weekday stories and posting to the website as well. https://mayhowardprek.weebly.com/story-time.html Have fun!

Language and Literacy	Social Studies	Math	Science
Use masking tape or playdough to create letters or words on the floor or table. You can create these yourself or ask an adult to help you. Take a marker and trace over the letters, remember to think about tracing from left to right.	Design your own playground. You have to think about how your playground will enhance your learning, improve your skills and challenge you. Be creative; you could make it using physical items e.g playdough, lollipop sticks etc. or through drawings. Can you make a video of your playground to share with your friends and teachers?	2D Shapes Matching Connecting Bricks Game Draw or print out your own shapes and stick them onto blocks like shown in the picture. Can you find and match the shapes by stacking the blocks? What are the names of the shapes that you have connected and matched?	'We share the world with many other living things' Watch this 1 minute video and answer these questions: What animals did you see in the video? What do you think they are doing? How do you know? If the animals could talk, what would you ask them?
Alphabet Knock Down	Or		Or
Materials Needed: pool noodles, popsicle sticks, ball, alphabet stickers	Have you gone on a "field trip" lately? Where did you go? Strawberry picking? Wildlife refuge? Beach? Draw a picture of your experience and	Or Make your own math puzzle Get a sheet of	Sinking and floating Extension Fill the bowl with water. Can you make something
Slice pool noodles into small 2 inch pieces and cut them in half to make "c" shapes. Push	dictate to an adult what happened during your time on your trip.	cardboard- cut out from a cereal box. Write out your numbers and cut out. Mix up and piece together as a puzzle.	that you think will float? Explore a range of materials. For example tin foil, paper, wood, plastic or playdough.
popsicle sticks with letter stickers at the top into the pool noodles (see picture). Spread the sticks out around		21 4 6	What can you design with the tin foil to make it float? Can you design different shaped boats? If you design a boat that floats

What other puzzles can

your house about a

foot or two apart from

Which one floats better?

what does it look like?

each other. Grab a
ball, pick a stick, and
knock the alphabet
letter over by throwing
the ball at it. See more
detailed instructions
here:

https://www.toddlerapproved.com/2014/04/alphabet-knock-down.html



you make?

Can you add different objects to the boat and see if it will still float? What happened? What changed? Sink or Float

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Potato and spoon game

It's time to play a game to exercise our hand-eye coordination and balance. Use a potato or anything oval shaped or round for this game. Balance it on the spoon and then try walking, increasing speed as you get more comfortable. Try reaching a certain point by creating a line across the room/outdoor area.



How quickly can you walk? Let's try dancing as you move!

Still life drawing

Choose two plants you have at home and observe their similarities and differences. What do the leaves look like? Are they the same? Look at the shape, colors, size, texture. What about the roots? Can you see them?

Take a big piece of paper and draw those two plants. Pay close attention to the details and draw only what you can see.