

September 2023

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| Closed - Holiday - | Seats - Investigation Question - Day 1 | Seats - Investigation Question - Day 1 | Seats - Investigation Question - Day 2 | Seats - Investigation Question - Day 3 |
| <p>Preparation Collect materials and prepare for the day.</p> <p>Daily Experience Opportunity: Small-Group Connecting With Music and Movement <i>Intentional Teaching Experience M22, "Jump Counting"</i> : Children attempt to count as they jump.</p> <p>Investigating Seats Big Seats and Small Seats Point out the differences between child- and adult-sized seats.</p> <p>Building on the Investigation Engaging In Discovery <i>Intentional Teaching Experience P06, "Rocking on a Roller"</i> : Children use their balance to rock on a child-sized rocking chair or rocking horse.</p> <p>Daily Experience Opportunity: Going Outdoors Going Outdoors <i>Mighty Minutes 02, "Silly Animal Walk"</i> : Children move like animals.</p> <p>Daily Experience Opportunity: Enjoying Stories and Books <i>Intentional Teaching Experience L102, "Reading Wordless Books"</i> : Children listen to a wordless book.</p> | <p>Preparation Collect materials and prepare for the day.</p> <p>Investigating Seats Seats in Our Classroom Prompt children to share how seats in the classroom are used and document their ideas on a chart titled <i>Types of Seats</i>.</p> <p>Building on the Investigation Enjoying Stories and Books <i>Intentional Teaching Experience L117, "Three Bears"</i> : Children listen to an oral retelling of the story <i>Goldilocks and the Three Bears</i>. Discuss the different seats in the story.</p> <p>Daily Experience Opportunity: Small-Group Creating With Art <i>Intentional Teaching Experience L116, "Tissue-Paper Play"</i> : Children explore tissue paper and discuss what they can do with it.</p> <p>Daily Experience Opportunity: Going Outdoors Going Outdoors <i>Intentional Teaching Experience M18, "Rock Collection"</i> : Children search for rocks to add to the rock collection and describe and compare the rocks they find.</p> <p>Daily Experience Opportunity: Enjoying Stories and Books Listen to a story while holding a stuffed animal.</p> | <p>Preparation Collect materials and prepare for the day.</p> <p>Investigating Seats High Chairs and Strollers Prompt children to share how high chairs and strollers are used and document their ideas on the <i>Types of Seats</i> chart.</p> <p>Building on the Investigation Imitating and Pretending Children incorporate high chairs, strollers, and baby dolls and accessories into their pretend play.</p> <p>Daily Experience Opportunity: Small-Group Connecting With Music and Movement <i>Intentional Teaching Experience M08, "Pats and Pans Band"</i> : Children play instruments in a pats and pans band.</p> <p>Daily Experience Opportunity: Going Outdoors Going Outdoors <i>Intentional Teaching Experience P07, "Making Bubbles"</i> : Children use their fine-motor skills to dip and blow bubbles through a wand.</p> <p>Daily Experience Opportunity: Enjoying Stories and Books <i>Mighty Minutes 190, "For Twos: Tell Me All About It!"</i> : Children point to illustrations and share what they see or what is happening in a familiar story.</p> | <p>Preparation Collect materials and prepare for the day.</p> <p>Investigating Seats Sofas and Couches Take children to visit a place in the school with a bench, sofa, or loveseat. Support the children to take turns sitting on the seat.</p> <p>Building on the Investigation Engaging In Discovery Children count how many animals or pretend play people can sit on a cardboard box, bench, or sofa.</p> <p>Daily Experience Opportunity: Going Outdoors Going Outdoors <i>Mighty Minutes 158, "For Twos: Animals on the Move"</i> : Children act out an affirmative chant about animals.</p> <p>Daily Experience Opportunity: Small-Group Playing With Toys <i>Intentional Teaching Experience M17, "This Little Piggy"</i> : Children use toy pigs to dramatize the nursery rhyme "This Little Piggy."</p> <p>Daily Experience Opportunity: Enjoying Stories and Books <i>Intentional Teaching Experience L125, "A Book of Faces"</i> : Children look at and discuss what they see in a book that features people's faces.</p> | |

Daily Experience Opportunity: Mighty Minutes

Imitating and Pretending

Mighty Minutes 130. "For Twos: Benny the Bunny"

: Children act out the actions in a poem about a bunny.

Reflecting on the Day

Reflect on your teaching practice and the events of the day.

Daily Experience Opportunity: Mighty Minutes

Connecting With Music and Movement

Mighty Minutes 133. "For Twos: Popcorn Pops!"

: Children use scarves to act out a playful rhyme.

Reflecting on the Day

Reflect on your teaching practice and the events of the day.

Daily Experience Opportunity: Mighty Minutes

Imitating and Pretending

Mighty Minutes 188. "For Twos: Where's the Dragonfly?"

: Children show understanding of spatial relationships while a playful chant about a butterfly.

Reflecting on the Day

Reflect on your teaching practice and the events of the day.

Daily Experience Opportunity: Mighty Minutes

Connecting With Music and Movement

Mighty Minutes 115. "For Twos: Shaker Shakes."

: Children shake instruments as they sing a song.

Reflecting on the Day

Reflect on your teaching practice and the events of the day.