



Tabletop Choices

Activity - Choices

Supplies:

Math manipulatives and small blocks - pattern blocks, Unifix and multilink cubes, wood blocks, lego
 Farm animals and barn
 Felt mats and fairy/gnome objects
 Car mat and cars
 Assorted puzzles and games
 Paper, pencils, pencil crayons, crayons, felt pens, scissors, craft items and glue sticks.
 Magnetic letters and trays.

Method:

Let participants choose activities.

Suggestions:

Remind children to check with residents and bring them the supplies they need for their activity choices.
 Invite a local musician to sing songs.

Intentions: Encourage choice of activities allowing for individual possibilities

Curriculum Links:

Play, Oral Language, Social Responsibility, Math, Art

Stories:

Children Make Terrible Pets, P. Brown
 Brown Bear, Brown Bear, B. Martin Jr.
 Little Pea, A. K. Rosenthal

Songs:

Skidamarink
 There's A Hole in the Bucket

Snack:

Cook's choice

Conversation Starters:

What do you want to do?
 What was your favourite thing to do when you were my age?
 What is your favourite thing to do now?