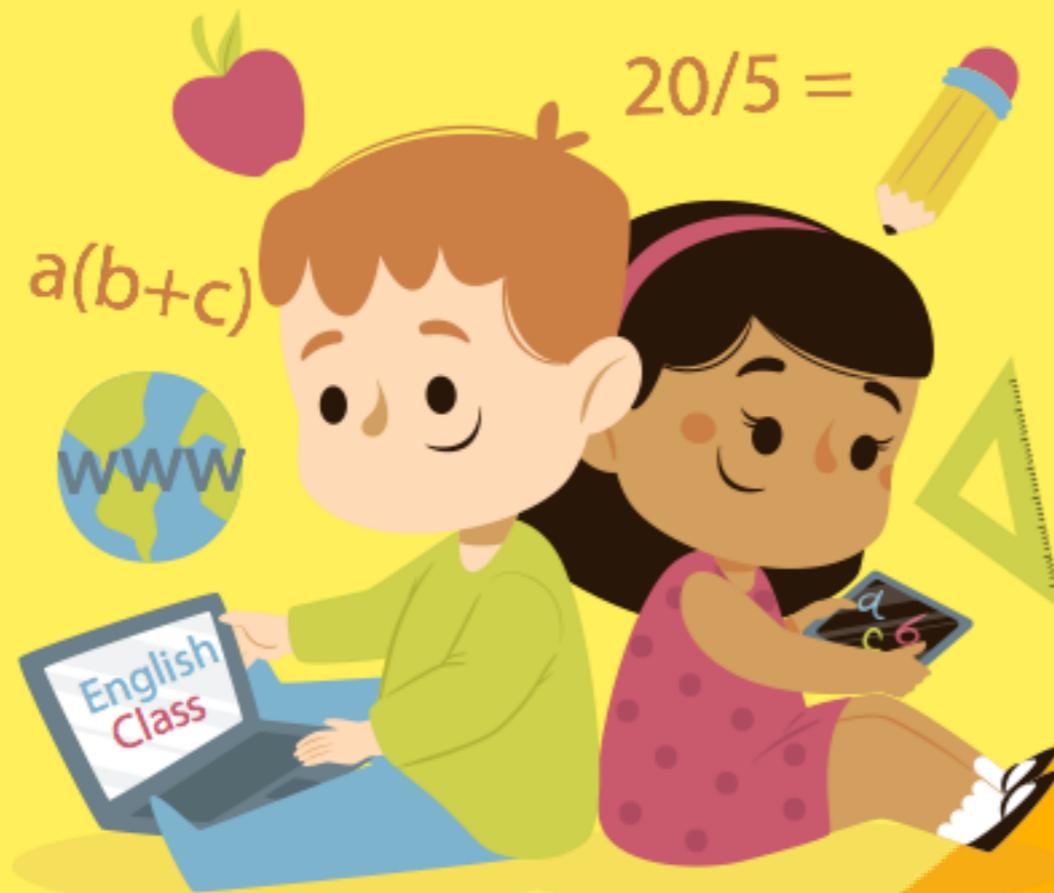


Fun time at home

HOME LEARNING Activities

- Hands On Activities
- Rhymes
- And More



Parent toddler program – A program specially designed to engage parents and toddlers with lots of fun filled activities through recorded videos and home learning activities.

Note to Parents:

- Organize every activity in neat pouches & trays.
- Ensure easy accessibility for the child to encourage independent learning.
- Allow the child to choose. These activities can be repeated too. Encourage routines and procedures around pack-up and clean-up.



If I cannot learn the way you teach me, teach me the way I can learn.

Dear parents,

To encourage creativity and imaginative play along with skill-based learning, here are some hands on activity suggestions for the week. Encourage the child to do a minimum of 2 per day.

Read a Book



How to:

- Reading to your toddler every night is a great way to introduce him to different words.
- Read him a simple book with pictures and ask him questions related to the story.
- You can also try pointing at images in the book and ask him to identify them.
- This can help improve his vocabulary and teach him to give accurate responses to the questions asked.

Bath the Animals

Materials Required-

- Tub of water
- Shampoo
- Plastic Animals
- Sponges/Brushes



How to-

- Let the children bath their animals using sponge and loofas.

Sticky Spider Web

Materials Required-

- Mask / Cello Tape
- Newspaper



How to

- Allow the children to crumple the newspaper making a ball
- Then let them throw the ball on the sticky web.

Play Dough and Buttons

Materials Required-

- Play dough
- Large Buttons



How to-

- Allow the children to to hide the buttons in the play dough and then dig them back out. This process is awesome for strengthening hand muscles!

Sponge Print Butterfly

Materials Required-

- A4 size white sheet
- Paints
- Sponge
- Rubberband



How to-

- Tie the sponge with rubberband and the put some paints on one side.
- Then press both the sides making sure, enough paint is there on both the sides.
- Allow the children to hold the sponge and make the butterfly prints on the paper.

RHYMES FOR THE WEEK

Parent
Toddler



If you're happy and you know it

If you're happy and you know it clap your
hands(2)

If you're happy and you know it and you
really want to show it

If you're happy and you know it clap you're
hands

Continue the same with stomp you're feet,
say hello....

We have an auntie..

We have an Auntie,
an Auntie Monica,
and when she goes shopping,
they all say ooo la la!

Umbrella is swinging, Umbrella is swinging, Umbrella is
swinging so,

We have an Auntie,
an Auntie Monica,
and when she goes shopping,
they all say ooo la la!

Purse is swinging, Purse is swinging, Purse is swinging so,

We have an Auntie,
an Auntie Monica,
and when she goes shopping,
they all say ooo la la!

Skirt is swinging, Skirt is swinging,
Skirt is swinging so.

RHYMES FOR THE WEEK

Parent
Toddler



Ram sam sam

A ram sam sam(2)
Goolie gooloie gooloie goolie
Ram sam sam
A raafi, a raafi
Goodlie goolie goolie goolie goolie
Ram sam sam

Thumbkin he can sing

Thumbkin he can sing, thumbkin he can
dance(2)
They all go merrily up together., they all go
merrily down together
They all clap hands

Continue the same- replace thumbkin with
pointer, tall man, ring man and baby.

Sensitizing Children Against Bias

“Look at that boy. He likes to read St. Clares books. Those are girl’s books.”

“Her heart is as black as her skin.”

“How can blue be her favourite colour? It’s a ‘boy colour’.”

“Those two boys are holding hands. Isn’t that weird?”

“She’s such a fatso. Let’s not call her to your birthday party.”

Hard to believe, but these are all sentences I have heard in the last year. And many more in the same line as well which are glaring biased sentiments. All from children below the age of 15 years.

In addition, recent incidents in India and the US have made us realise the importance of talking to children about bias and stereotypes. It is tough to isolate children from what is happening around them, but what you can do is that you can sensitize them to help mould them into positive and constructive thinkers.

Here are a few Tips on how to help children to avoid bias

- 1. Stand up to adults exhibiting bias in front of the child**
- 2. Talk about bullying with your child**
- 3. Expose the children to literature that celebrates differences**
- 4. Discuss media stories and what’s wrong about them**
- 5. Stop using certain vocabulary**
- 6. Talk about concept of inner beauty with your children**

Bias and stereotypes are important issues being faced by people in our own neighbourhood as well as across the world. Our responsibility lies with educating and sensitizing our children in the ways we best possibly can – so that they are armed with the necessary tools when they go out into the big bad world and make it into a better place.

To know more please visit: <https://parent.klayschools.com/bias-in-children/>