

TODDLER

Week

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Smart Activities



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Please and Thank You Signing

Materials: internet access, website:
<https://youtu.be/8RAhiJzvAwY>

Preparation: Preview video.

Instructions:

1. Have your child sing along and sign the words "please" and "thank you."
2. We will be working on the word "please" this week.



When I Grow Up

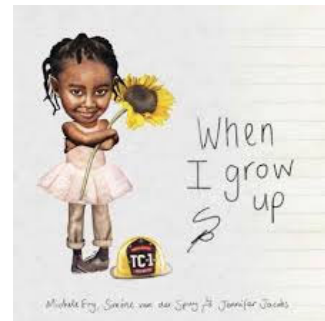
by Michele Fry

Materials: internet access, website:
https://youtu.be/hp0h_1ZI_UM

Preparation: Preview video.

Instructions:

1. Listen to the story with your child.
2. Ask questions, ex: "What do you think you want to be when you grow up?"



Chalk Art Drawing

Materials: paper, chalk

Preparation: Gather materials.

Instructions:

1. Show your child the chalk and paper.
2. Encourage your child to draw freely and tell you about what he/she is drawing.



Sign Language "Please"

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Firefighters Song for Kids - Fire Truck Song

Materials: internet access, website:
https://youtu.be/28yn_3BEraM

Preparation: Preview video.

Instructions:

1. Have your child sing and dance along with the firefighters.
2. Ask your child what a firefighter does after watching the video.



Pete the Cat: Firefighter Pete

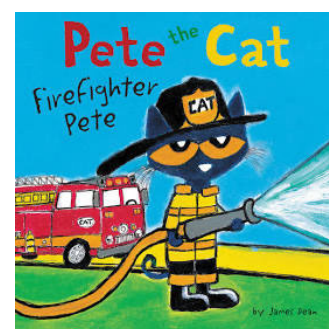
by James Dean

Materials: internet access, website:
<https://youtu.be/AvuHfFq6gI4>

Preparation: Preview video.

Instructions:

1. Listen to the story with your child.
2. Ask questions related to the story, ex: "What community helper was Pete the Cat?" "What did he do to help people?"



Fireman Sensory Bin

Materials: container, strips of yellow/orange/red colors of fabric, felt and ribbon, shredded yellow/orange/red tissue paper, Fireman Sensory template, scissors, paper

Preparation: Gather materials and place in sensory bin. Print the Fireman Sensory template and cut out. Place pictures under the items in the sensory bin.

Instructions:

1. Show your child the container and talk about the colors in the bin look like the colors of a fire.
2. Encourage your child to play and locate the hidden items.



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I Want To Be A Doctor

Materials: internet access, website:

<https://youtu.be/JxdrEFz9Jsw>

Preparation: Preview video.

Instructions:

1. Have your child watch the video and then encourage him/her to pretend to be a doctor.



Going to the Doctor

by Anne Civardi

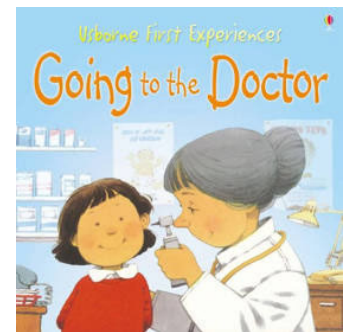
Materials: internet access, website:

<https://youtu.be/bBd-7Loqtfo>

Preparation: Preview video.

Instructions:

1. Listen to the story with your child.
2. Ask questions, ex: "Why did the family have to go to the doctors?" "Why do we go to the doctor?"



Band-Aid Please

Materials: band-aid, baby doll or stuffed animal

Preparation: Gather materials.

Instructions:

1. Show your child the band-aid and stuffed animal. Talk about what a band-aid is used for.
2. Encourage your child to decide where the band-aid should go on the doll.
3. Have him/her sign the word "please" to you to receive the band-aid.



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My Police Car

Materials: paper plate, blue and black crayon, red tissue paper, Police Car template, scissors, marker

Preparation: Print template and cut out pieces. Cut a small rectangle shape out of tissue paper

Instructions:

1. Have your child color the plate blue and give him/her the wheels to color black.
2. Trace the car on plate and cut out, including windows and the tires.
3. Then have your child help you glue on the wheels and red paper on top.
4. Discuss how police officers are helpers.



Tinyville Town: I'm a Police Officer

by Brain Biggs

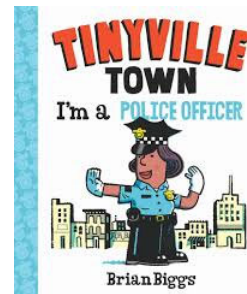
Materials: internet access, website:

<https://youtu.be/chYjwxcNxsM>

Preparation: Preview video.

Instructions:

1. Listen to the story with your child.
2. Ask questions, ex: "What is a police officer's job?" "What did she do to help her town?"



Counting Community Helpers

Materials: Community Helper template, paper, scissors, glue, craft sticks

Preparation: Gather materials and print the template. Glue each helper on a craft stick.

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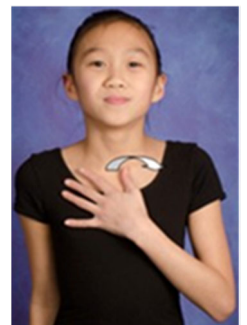
1. Show your child the different community helpers and talk about each one's job.
2. Then, lay them down pointing to each one and count how many.
3. Allow your child to play with the various community helpers.



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Who Am I Community Helpers

Materials: internet access, website: <https://youtu.be/eqqauEyrpuQ>

Preparation: Preview video.

Instructions:

1. Have your child watch the video and guess which community helper is being described.
2. The video repeats itself so encourage your child to answer on his/her own.

COMMUNITY HELPERS



Biscuit Visits the Doctor

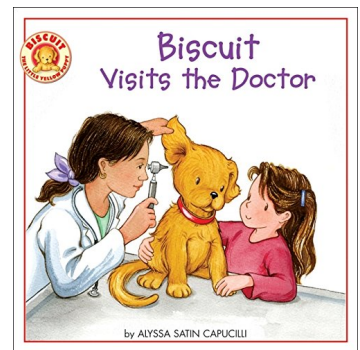
by Alissa Satin Capucilli

Materials: internet access, website: <https://youtu.be/xVRjr3Q7Rp4>

Preparation: Preview video.

Instructions:

1. Listen to the story with your child.
2. Ask questions, ex: "What type of doctor did Biscuit visit?" "What did Dr. Green give Biscuit?"



I Am A Veterinarian

Materials: stuffed animals (ex: dog, cat, bird), play stethoscope (if you have one)

Preparation: Gather materials.

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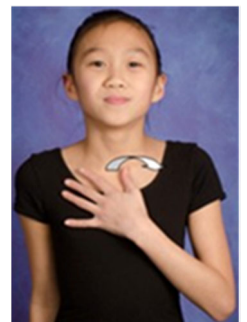
1. Show your child the stuffed animals.
2. Encourage him/her to examine the animals like a vet would do.



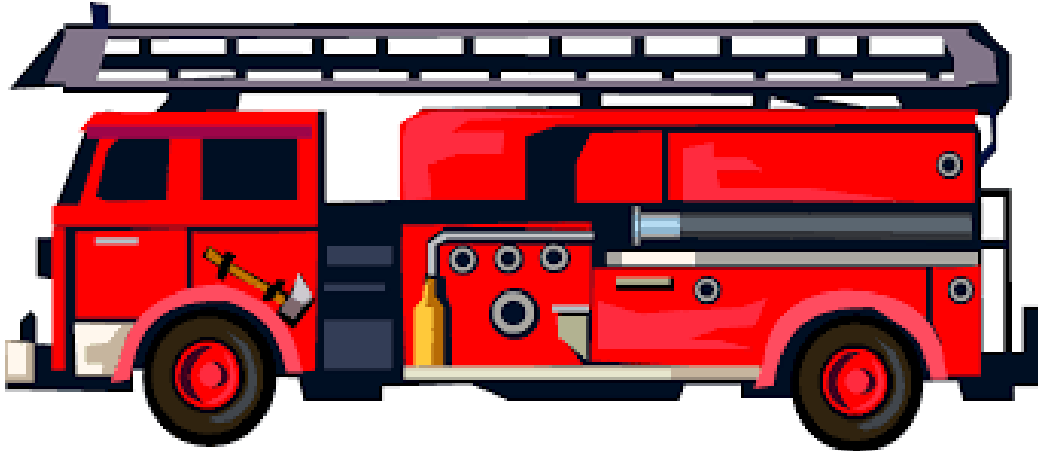
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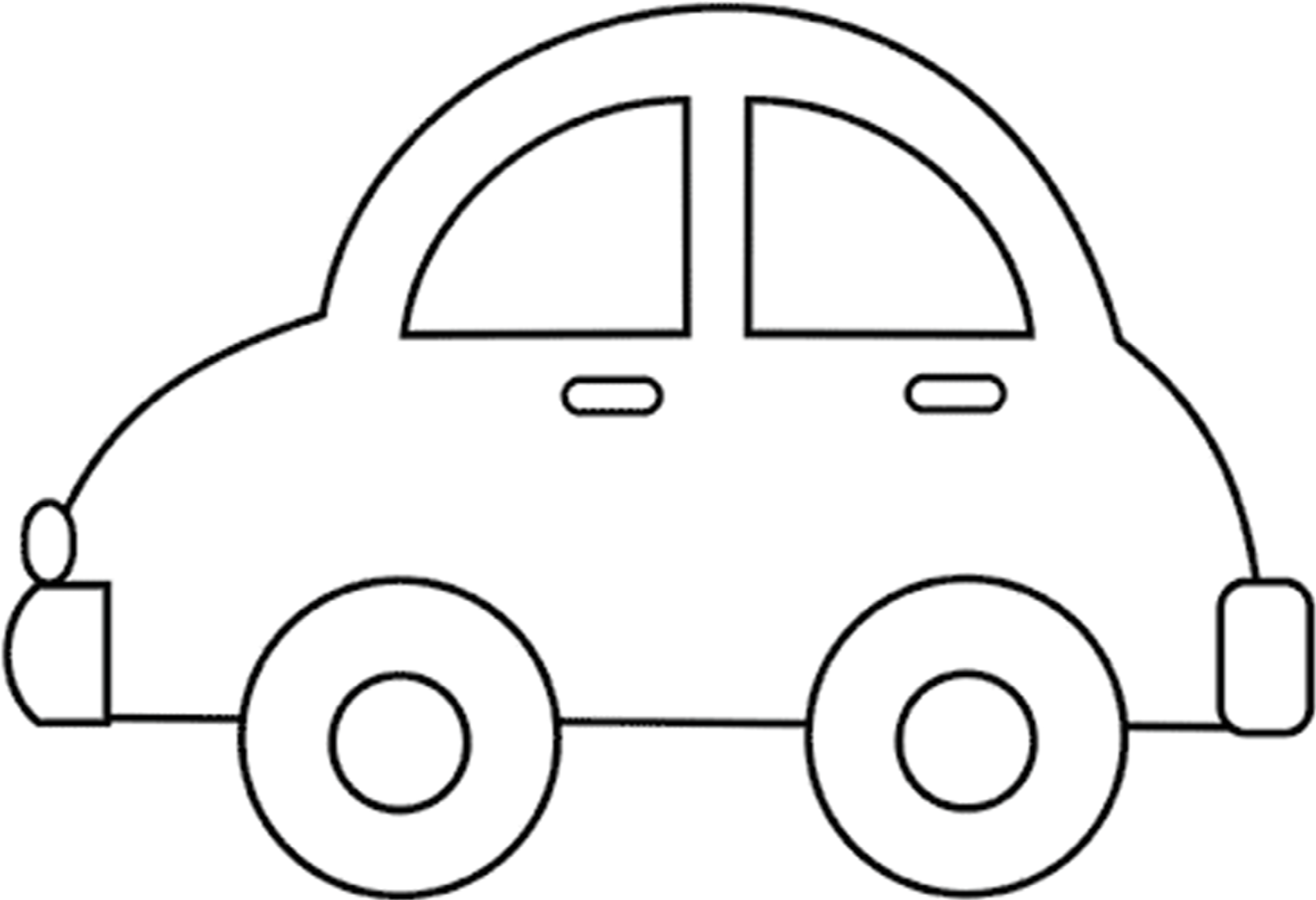
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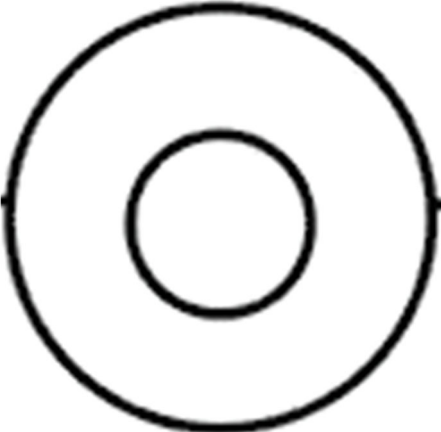
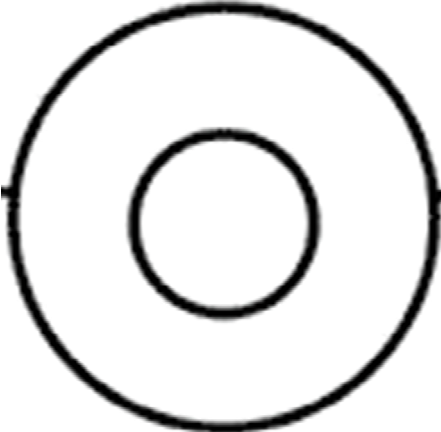
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