

INFANT

Week

15

Smart Activities



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Red Peek-A-Boo

Materials: red paper

Instructions:

1. Hold your baby and say, "We are going to play peek-a-boo with red paper."
2. Hide your face behind the red paper and observe as your baby attempts to imitate your actions.
3. Enjoy this classic game with your baby.



The Red Song

Materials: internet access, website:

<https://youtu.be/sMfkODJw30M>

Preparation: Preview video.

Instructions:

Enjoy this song about the color red with your baby as you point out red objects around your house.



Red Heart

Materials: paper, red crayon

Preparation: Draw a heart on the paper.

Instructions:

1. Hold your baby and say, "This shape is a heart. We are going to color it red."
2. Assist your baby and color the heart shape.
3. Enjoy this priceless art.



Sign Language "More"

Instructions:

1. Touch fingertips of both hands in flattened "O" hands in front of your chest with palms facing down as if bringing one hand to the other.
2. If you do this while shrugging your shoulders and raising your eyebrows, then you are asking if your baby wants more.



Red Apples

Materials: artificial or toy red apples

Preparation: Gather materials.

Instructions:

1. Hold your baby and say, "These are red apples."
2. Encourage your baby to grasp the apple as you talk about its features.
3. Observe your baby as he/she coordinates motions using eyes and hands.



I Choose Red

Materials: internet access, website:

<https://youtu.be/EqpkSHZXLwU>

Preparation: Preview video.

Instructions:

Enjoy this red sing along with your baby.



Red Prints

Materials: red paint, paper

Preparation: Gather materials.

Instructions:

1. Hold your baby and say, "We are going to make red handprints."
2. Paint your baby's hand and gently press it on the paper.
3. Allow your baby to imitate your actions.
4. Enjoy this priceless art.



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Red Outside

Instructions:

1. Hold your baby and say, "We are going outside to find red objects."
2. Name the things that you find.
3. Name and repeat objects to encourage language development.



What is Red?

by Deborah Schecter

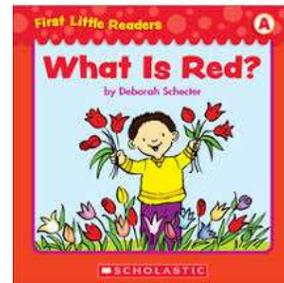
Materials: internet access, website:

<https://youtu.be/KuyPrSBVHW4>

Preparation: Preview video.

Instructions:

1. Enjoy *What is Red?* by Deborah Schecter with your baby.
2. Talk to your baby about what you saw in the book to encourage language development.



Red Collage

Materials: small red objects, paper, glue

Preparation: Gather materials.

Instructions:

1. Hold your baby and say, "We are going to glue the red objects on the paper."
2. Assist your baby with gluing the objects.
3. Name the objects to encourage language development.



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Patty Red

Materials: red paper, tape, scissors

Preparation: Cut out red circles and tape them to your hands.

Instructions:

1. Hold your baby and say, "We are going to sing a short version of Patty Cake."
Patty Cake Patty Cake
(Clap hands together)
Circles Red
(open your hands to show the red circles)
2. Observe as your baby engages in active play.
3. Continue as interest remains.



Something Red

Materials: internet access, website:

<https://youtu.be/8ZqQjDNeMRQ>

Preparation: Preview video.

Instructions:

Enjoy this sing along about the color red with your baby.



Red Everywhere

Materials: paper, red paint

Preparation: Gather materials.

Instructions:

1. Hold your baby and say, "We are going paint with your hands using red paint."
2. Paint your baby's hand.
3. Encourage and assist them in rubbing the paint on the paper.
4. Observe as your baby explores the paint.



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Red is Falling

Materials: red paper

Preparation: Tear paper into large strips.

Instructions:

1. Hold your baby and say, "We are going to watch the red paper fall down."
2. Encourage your baby to assist you as you toss the paper up in the air.
3. Depending on age/development, observe your baby as he/she attempts to imitate your actions.



Color Red

Materials: internet access, website:

<https://youtu.be/fPCEbQPTm3Q>

Preparation: Preview video.

Instructions:

Enjoy this red sing along with your baby.



Red Foot

Materials: paper, red paint

Preparation: Gather materials.

Instructions:

1. Hold your baby and say, "We are going to paint your feet red."
2. Paint your baby's foot and gently press it on the paper.
3. Enjoy this priceless art.



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