

INFANT & TODDLER

BIRTH - 3 YEARS

SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL DEVELOPMENT

1.1 Self

Infants and toddler display a positive awareness of self.

1.2 Self-Regulation

Infants and toddlers show increasing awareness of and ability to express emotions in socially and culturally appropriate ways.

1.3 Relationships with Adults

Infants and toddlers relate positively with significant adults.

1.4 Relationships with Children

Infants and toddlers respond to and initiate interactions with other children.



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PHYSICAL WELL-BEING AND MOTOR DEVELOPMENT

2.1 Healthy and Safe Living

Infants and toddlers participate in healthy and safe living practices.

2.2 Large Motor Development

Infants and toddlers develop large motor skills.

2.3 Small Motor Development

Infants and toddlers develop small motor skills.

APPROACHES TO LEARNING

3.1 Curiosity and Initiative

Infants and toddlers express curiosity and initiative in exploring the environment and learning new skills.

3.2 Engagement and Persistence

Infants and toddlers purposely choose, engage, and persist in play, experiences, and routines.

3.3 Reasoning and Problem Solving

Infants and toddlers purposefully demonstrate strategies for reasoning and problem solving.



Infants and toddlers engage in play to learn.

SOCIAL STUDIES

4.1 Awareness of Family and Community

Infants and toddlers demonstrate a sense of belonging within their family, program, and other social settings or groups.

4.2 Awareness of Culture

Infants and toddlers demonstrate a strong sense of self within their culture.

4.3 Exploration of the Environment

Infants and toddlers explore new environments with interest and recognize familiar places.



CREATIVE ARTS

3.4 Play and Senses

5.1 Art

Infants and toddlers participate in a variety of sensory and art-related experiences.

5.2 Music, Rhythm, and Movement

Infants and toddlers participate in a variety of rhythm, music, and movement experiences.

5.3 Dramatic Play

Infants and toddlers engage in dramatic play experiences.



COMMUNICATION, LANGUAGE, AND LITERACY

6.1 Language Understanding and Use

Infants and toddlers understand and use communication and language for a variety of purposes.

6.2 Early Literacy

Infants and toddlers engage in early reading experiences.



6.3 Early Writing

Infants and toddlers engage in early writing experiences.

MATHEMATICS

7.1 Comparisons, Numbers, and Operations

Infants and toddlers show increasing understanding of comparisons and amounts, including use of numbers and counting.

7.2 Patterns

Infants and toddlers begin to recognize patterns.

7.3 Shapes and Spatial Relationships

Infants and toddlers show increasing understanding of spatial relationships.



SCIENCE

8.1 Scientific Investigations

Infants and toddlers gather and interpret information from the environment around them.

8.2 Scientific Reasoning

Infants and toddlers use reasoning to make sense of information in their environment.

8.2 Scientific Communication

Infants and toddlers share information and understanding about experiences in their environment.



