Classroom Materials

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BLOCK 5

CLASSROOM ITEMS

Communication/Language

Play dough in 4 colors (Option 2)

Sheets of construction paper in colors matching the play dough (Option 2)

Sheets of construction paper in green, yellow, red (Option 3)

Pieces of construction paper in green, yellow, red (Option 3)

Glue sticks—1 per toddler (Option 3)

Play dough in multiple colors; items to manipulate play dough, such as cookie cutters, plastic knives,

and/or molds (Interest Area)

Cognitive

Building blocks (Options 1–3) Zoo animal figures (Option 3, Interest Area) Animal puppet (preferably a zoo animal) (Option 3) Cardboard blocks, several sets of toy keys (Interest Area)

Self-Regulation

Small stuffed toys—1 per child (Option 3, Interest Area)

Social-Emotional

Dollhouse (Option 1) Dollhouse furnishings (Option 1) Small toy zoo animal figures (Options 1–3, Interest Area) 2 small boxes (4" x 4") (Option 1) Blocks of different sizes (Options 2, 3, Interest Area) Felt pieces in natural colors such as green, brown, gray (Options 2, 3, Interest Area)

Physical/Health

Crepe paper streamers in several colors (Option 2) Scissors (staff use only) (Option 2) Tape (staff use only) (Option 2) Carpet squares—1 per toddler (Option 2) Small scarves—2 per toddler and staff (Option 3) *World Playground* for Kids CD (Option 3) Building blocks, pop beads, star builders, scarves, mirror, exercise stepper, basket, sock balls (Interest Area)



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BLOCK 5 continued

BOOKS

Communication/Language

A Color of His Own by Leo Lionni (Options 1–3, Interest Area) Brown Bear, Brown Bear, What Do You See? by Bill Martin Jr and Eric Carle (Interest Area)

Cognitive

Jack's House by Karen Magnuson Beil (Option 1)

Polar Bear, Polar Bear, What Do You Hear? by Bill Martin Jr. and Eric Carle (Optional Reading for Option 1) Dear Zoo: Animal Shapes by Rod Campbell (Optional Reading for Options 1, 3) Boats by Byron Barton (Optional Reading for Option 2) Blue Boat by Kersten Hamilton and Valeria Petrone (Optional Reading for Option 2) Mister Gumpy's Outing by John Bruningham (Optional Reading for Option 2) Richard Scarry's Boats by Richard Scarry (Optional Reading for Option 2) Good Night, Gorilla by Peggy Rathmann (Option 3, Interest Area) Books about zoo animals (Option 3)

Social-Emotional

Good Night, Gorilla by Peggy Rathmann (Optional Reading for Option 2) Several books about zoo animals (Interest Area)

Physical/Health

Duck and Goose: Let's Dance by Tad Hills (Optional Reading for Options 1, 3, Interest Area) *Baby Dance* by Ann Taylor (Optional Reading for Options 1, 3, Interest Area) *Here We Go Round the Mulberry Bush* by Child's Play (Interest Area)

