

Activity: Car Watching ages 0-3 yr (Daily life skills)

Materials:

Your little one, you, and a place to watch cars or a reoccurring activity (i.e. car watching 😊)

Directions: Sit behind your little one, or have them sit on your lap and let them see the cars pass by. Choose to count cars or to make a motion when a car passes by. We choose to lift our arms in the air when a blue car would pass by.

Language Development:

When the car passes by, say the number in chronological order, or say the color of the car. This helps your kiddos with number and color recognition.

Music & Movement:

If your kids are old enough to choose what movement to make — let them! If not you can lift them in the air, lift both arms, or a leg when you say the color/number.

Letters & Numbers:

If they are old enough, let them show you other items of the same color/number. You can say, 'Can you get three things?', or have your child search for items of the same color. Have fun and turn it into an 'eye-spy' game!

Colors and Shapes:

After the activity take your little one around the house. IF you have a wee little one— carry them around the house and point at items of the same color. Let them touch the items and feel them! Their expressions are great!

Creative Art: This will be more catered towards the older kiddos (2-3 yrs)!! After the children have found objects of the same color/ number, have them create a picture with those items. Let the kiddos lay them out and give them coloring items. Have them go to town recreating their master piece!