**Learning Center Ideas**

**RESOURCE FOR:** Developmentally Appropriate Practice
Learning Center Ideas

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| **Dramatic Play** | **Construction** |
| * Kitchen/house
* Mail/post offfice
* Store
* Library
* Restaurant
* Puppets and stage
* Costumes and hats
* Doctors
 | * Blocks
* Car track
* Unifix cubes
* Dominos
* Play dough
* Puzzles
* Transportation and traffic
* Lincoln Logs
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| **Math/Science** | **Art/Literacy** |
| * Counting mats
* Number tracing/writing
* Large clock
* Materials for measuring
* Assortment of objects for counting
* Geometric shapes
* Play money
* Fish aquarium
* Magnets
* Bird feeder
* Seeds
* Thermometer
* Compass
* Shells and rocks to observe and classify
* Magnifying glass
* Scales
 | * “Rainbow” write name
* Homemade “books”
* ABC magnets to build names and words (words with pictures of objects on cards to reference)
* Matching game
* Classroom library – books to just “read”
* Markers
* Crayons
* Colored pencils
* Scissors
* Glue
* Coloring pages
* Blank paper
* Scraps of colored paper
* Magazines and catalogs
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