**Learning Center Ideas**

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

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| **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 |
| **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 |

