

Using Multiple Intelligence Activities for Preschoolers

Linguistic: Children will enjoy...

- Telling a story.
- Talking to another person about a subject or object.
- Bringing in an item for show and tell and talking about it.

Logical Mathematical: Children will discover while...

- Putting together puzzles.
- Counting items in the room.



Musical Intelligence: Children will connect to lessons by...

- Using a drum to add emphasis to a story.
- Tapping a foot or clapping hands to highlight an action of the story.
- Listening to quiet meditative music as the children are preparing to hear a story/or when learning something new.

Body-Kinesthetic: Children will benefit from moving their body as they...

- Learn and do sign language as they sing a song.
- Make up dance movements to express the action in a story.
- Play a game of charades using key actions to a story.

Spatial: Children will enjoy responding to what they have learned by...

- Drawing a picture after hearing a story or learning something new.
- Using crayons, felt, chalk, paint or clay to illustrate a story they heard.
- Closing their eyes and visualizing the story.
- Acting out the story.

Interpersonal: Children will talk about what they have learned by...

- Telling others the story or the new alphabet letter/number.
- Working as a group to create a picture or make up a story, play.
- Imagining another person's feelings and talking about it.
- Gathering a group to work on a project.

Intrapersonal: Children will desire to...

- Work alone on a picture or puzzle or quietly read a book.
- Tell someone quietly how they are feeling and what you like to do.

Natural: Children will enjoy...

- Taking a walk in a natural setting.
- Praying a prayer of thanks for things God has created.
- Planting seeds and watching them grow.

Existential: Children will be interested in the world and others by...

- Serving God by serving others.
- Asking questions (sometimes difficult ones) about the world and others.