



Tykes Mini Movers: Week One

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Activity	QR	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Comments
Nursery rhymes with actions (Body awareness)							
Sensory walk (Body awareness)							
Mark making on an upright surface (Balance & strength)							
Row row row your boat (Balance & strength)							
Reaching across midline (Bilateral integration)							

- Outdoor environment Grass/hills/sand/bark/uneven surfaces
- Pen
- Paper/whiteboard
- A3 sized paper for Lazy '8's' racetrack
- Toy car/moveable object to be used in Lazy '8's'
- Play Doh
- Play Doh tubs or household pots





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Facial features (Body awareness)							
Mirror game (Body awareness)							
Outdoor play (Balance & strength)							
Stomping (Balance & strength)							
Obstacle course (Balance & strength)							

- Chalk
- Crayons
- Pen/pencil
- Paper
- Mirror





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Outdoor play (Body awareness)							
Hand and footprints (Body awareness)							
Obstacle course (Balance & strength)							
Crawling through tunnels (Balance & strength)							
Ball skills (Bilateral integration)							

- Outdoor play area
- Paint that can be used to create foot/handprints.
- Paper or card
- Obstacle course e.g., Balance beams, spots, steps, wobble mats/cushions
- Tunnel
- Different sized balls e.g., tennis ball, football, blowup beach ball





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Scooters, bikes and trikes (Balance & strength)							
Kicking a football (Balance & strength)							
Simon says (Body awareness)							
Outdoor play (Bilateral integration)							
Animal walks (Body awareness)			P				

- Outdoor mobility equipment e.g., Bikes, trikes, scooters
- Football/medium sized ball
- Outdoor play area/climbing equipment





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Inset puzzles and jigsaws (Visual perception)							
Pegs (Fine motor)							
Crafts (Fine motor)							
Musical instruments (Bilateral integration)							
Colour matching (Visual perception)							

- Jigsaw/inset puzzle
- Clothes pegs
- Tubs which can be used to clip pegs onto
- Washing line/string
- Paper
- Scissors
- Pen/crayons
- Glue stick
- Stencils





- Variety of different easy musical instruments e.g., drum and drumsticks
- Variety of different coloured items/toys with matching-coloured spots/pots





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Balloon patting (Visual perception)							
Pouring and filling (Bilateral integration)							
Messy play (Fine motor)							
Squeezing bottles (Fine motor)							
Feely bags (Visual perception)							

- Balloon
- Pots/tubs
- Different containers that can hold liquid
- Dried or cooked pasta
- Small toys e.g. Lego figures
- Sand
- Household objects that can be used for squeezing e.g., drinks bottles
- Different textured household items that can be placed in a bag and used for textural play e.g., a sponge, bottle, buttons, clothing, paper, card





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Play Doh (Bilateral integration)							
Target games (Visual perception)							
Multi-sensory mark making (Fine motor)							
Search and find (Visual perception)							
Threading and lacing (Fine motor)							

- Play Doh
- Play Doh cutters, stencils, rolling pin
- Target games e.g., skittles/bowling
- Search and find games e.g., Where's Wally?
- Threading and lacing e.g., shoe laces, string, buttons, pasta tubes





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Obstacle course (Visual perception)							
Large tweezers (Fine motor)							
Inset puzzles and jigsaws (Bilateral integration)							
Play doh (Fine motor)							
Sorting by size (Visual perception)							

- Obstacle course e.g., Balance beams, spots, steps, wobble mat/cushions, tunnel
- Large tweezers/kitchen tongues
- Small toys
- Sand
- Jigsaw/inset puzzles
- Play Doh
- Play Doh cutters, rolling pin, scissors
- Variety of items/toys of different size





Tykes Mini Movers: Week Nine

Please select five of the exercises from the last eight weeks that your child has found difficult to do. Add them to the table below. Do each of these exercises for about three minutes. They need to be done at least three days per week.

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Tykes Mini Movers: Week Ten

Either carry on with the exercises that you were doing last week (if your child was still finding them difficult, we would recommend this) OR change one of the exercises for another from the first 8 weeks that they found tricky.

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If your child is improving with the exercises in this programme please continue with them. You could do the whole programme again if you think they would benefit from it.

If your child has not improved with the programme and you continue to have concerns about their motor skills please refer them to Children's Therapy. You can find the referral here *********************************. You will need to submit a copy of these exercise record sheets with the referral.