



August

EHS News

During the month of August Ms. Patti will be focusing on fine motor development.

Fine motor activities involve the use of small muscles that control the hands, fingers and thumbs. Fine motor skills help children perform important tasks such as feeding themselves, grasping objects and writing. The ability to accomplish everyday tasks via fine motor skills helps children to develop confidence and a sense of self worth.

Some fine motor activities that Ms. Patti will be sharing include:

Baby Drum Circle-using pots, pans, bowls and wooden spoon

Ribbon Pulling-empty oatmeal container or cardboard box along with a variety of ribbons

Pom Pom Drop-paper towel tube, masking tape and pom poms

Puzzle Play- making puzzles out of food boxes

Pool Noodle Exploration-sliced pool noodles, pom poms and tongs

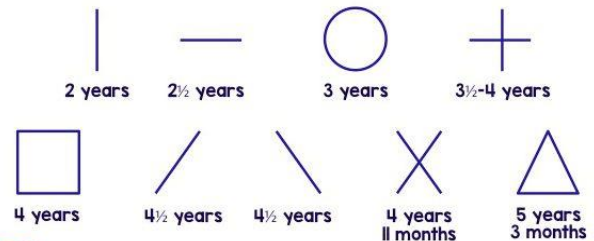


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PRE-WRITING SHAPES

Before your child can learn to write, he or she needs to be able to draw these shapes



Children who can draw an oblique cross are able to copy more letters and numbers than children who cannot



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IMPORTANT INFO

All Well Child Checks must be current and up to date throughout the year. If this requirement is not met per Head Start/Early Head Start standards, your child can/will be dropped from our program. Please make your child's appointment immediately if you haven't done so already. Any questions, please don't hesitate to call. 347-4685.