Preschool Remote Learning: 18 Week IV: April 6th – April 12th

Theme: Airplanes

All aboard! It's time for takeoff!

Airplane Song: <u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=omTOqecTimU</u> Counting Airplanes Children's Learning Video <u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2MK-7_-qzPA</u>

Pack Your Backpack

Give your children their school backpack and ask them to pack things for a trip. First have them select 3-4 clothing items followed by a few toys/activities. Have them zip their bag once full. Next let them put it on. Can they easily wear it and walk or is it a bit heavy? Let them experiment with taking things out/adding new things so it is comfortable.

Next go through the items they have put in their bag. Talk about the types of clothes - are they for cold or warm weather? What toys/activities did they select and when would it be best to use them? (In the car to the airport, on the plane or at their final destination). Discuss with your children.

With older siblings you could also provide context for the activity by giving them a destination before they start packing. Ask your children: "What should we pack if we are going to the beach, somewhere with snow, or camping?"

With younger toddlers as you discuss their items you can tell them what places they might be good for. Such as a winter hat and gloves could be for somewhere with snow. You can go on YouTube and show them videos of various locations/terrains.

Snow Song https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nlc8qfAfAMs Going Camping Song https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Wk1Zu2VHbao Going to the Beach Song https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EcBhiDqyibo

Sock Matching Game

Gather a few pairs of your children's socks. If you have solid colored socks or patterned socks mix up 2 or 3 pairs and ask them to find the matches. You can make it more/less challenging by adding more pairs to match at once or picking socks with the same colors but different shades.

Next, work together with your children to put the matching pairs of socks on the feet of a pretend doll or stuffed animal. They can practice their self-help skills and matching skills at the same time!

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