

CHAPTER 23

Art, Music, and Movement

Study Guide

Directions Fill in the blanks as you read the section in the textbook or listen to lectures and view demonstrations.

Developing Artistic Expression

Art is _____

Art Curriculum Goals

Well-planned art activities develop the following:

- Physical skills: _____
- Language skills: _____
- Thinking skills: _____
- Emotional skills: _____
- Social skills: _____
- Appreciation of diversity: _____
- Basic concepts: _____

Stages of Children's Art

Each child works through stages at an _____ rate.

Children go through predictable stages as they develop their art skills:

- Stage 1: _____

- Stage 2: _____

- Stage 3: _____

- Stage 4: _____

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The Art Center

A well-planned art center:

- _____
- _____
- _____
- _____
- _____

Safety tips include:

- _____
- _____
- _____
- _____

Guiding Art Experiences

Use the following principles as you plan and guide children's art experiences:

- _____
- _____
- _____
- _____
- _____

Art Activities

Some activities require more _____ than others, which affects

Drawing and Coloring

Supplies for drawing and coloring can include _____

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Experts believe that overexposure to coloring books can _____

Painting

The art center should include the following painting supplies:

- _____
- _____
- _____
- _____
- _____

Finger Painting

Finger-paint paper is _____

Create finger-paint substitutes by _____

Modeling and Shaping

Three-dimensional: _____

As they mold and shape the dough or clay, children practice _____

Cutting and Tearing

Cutting activities develop _____

Toddlers can develop these skills by _____

Pasting, Gluing, and Attaching

Collage: _____

Developing Musical Expression

Children who acquire an appreciation of music from an early age _____

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Music Curriculum Goals

Music activities benefit development in many areas:

- Physical development: _____

- Intellectual development: _____

Define *lyrics*, *tempo*, *pitch*, and *melody*:

- _____
- _____
- _____
- _____

- Emotional development: _____

- Social development: _____

The Music Center

A well-stocked music center has _____

Rhythm instruments: _____

Guiding Music Experiences

When guiding musical experiences, be sure to follow many of the same principles for guiding art:

- _____
- _____
- _____

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Music Activities

Music experiences may include the following:

- _____
- _____
- _____
- _____
- _____
- _____

Playing Instruments

Children love to play simple rhythm instruments such as _____

To introduce children to musical instruments:

- _____
- _____
- _____
- _____

Some ways to include instruments in the music curriculum are:

- _____
- _____
- _____
- _____
- _____

Music Throughout the Day

Good times to include music are during _____

Songs may be used as _____

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Motor Development and Fitness

Important components throughout life are _____

Motor Skill Development in Children

Regardless of a child's level of development, the role of a teacher is _____

Activities should be planned for _____

Through movement activities, children learn to _____

Exploring Creative Movement

Creative movement: _____

With creative movement, children should be allowed to _____

When conducting creative movement activities:

- _____
- _____
- _____

The elements that make up creative movement are:

- Body awareness: _____

- Force and time: _____

- Space: _____

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- Locomotion: _____

- Weight: _____

- Moving in groups: _____

Active Play and Recreation

Teachers plan play activities that consider _____

Benefits of Active Play

Active play: _____

Active play helps children _____

Establishing good exercise habits during early childhood _____

Other ways that active play promotes children's development include:

- Physical development:

- Intellectual development:

- Emotional development:

- Social development:

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Outdoor Active Play

Having _____ is ideal.

Play yards should have:

- _____
- _____
- _____
- _____

Items that should not be included in a play yard include _____

Indoor Active Play

Some programs have a separate room for indoor active play, which may include

Ways to conduct active play experiences in limited space may include:

- _____
- _____

Guidelines for Safe Play

Whether indoors or outdoors, children need _____

Play areas should also be free of _____

State rules _____

The following are sample safety rules for active play equipment:

- Climber rules:

- Swing rules:

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- Slide rules:

Active Play Materials

The best active play materials are _____

Many toys and games meet this criteria, including _____

Active Play Activities

Start with simple activities and then _____

Suggestions for active play activities include:

- Parachute play: _____

- Beanbag and balloon play: _____

- Rope and hoop play: _____

- Balance beams, obstacle courses, and mazes: _____

- Games: _____

- Active water and snow play: _____
