



Birth - 3 ECFE Distance Learning

2020/2021

Week of: February 8th, 2021

Focus: Love Is All Around Us

Music and Movement

Children love to play with their voice, making different silly sounds and talking in different tones. Have fun with the following song as you sing the first verse using a tiny, squeaky voice and the 2nd verse using a great big loud voice. Add little and big actions.

I'm a Valentine for You

(Tune: She'll Be Coming Round the Mountain)

I'm a teeny, tiny valentine for you.

I'm a teeny tiny valentine for you.

I'm a teeny, tiny valentine,

I'm always yours, will you be mine?

I'm a teeny tiny valentine for you.

I'm a great big valentine for you.

I'm a great big valentine for you.

I'm a great big valentine,

And I will love you all the time.

I'm a great big valentine for you.



Creative Corner

Marbleized Hearts



Materials:

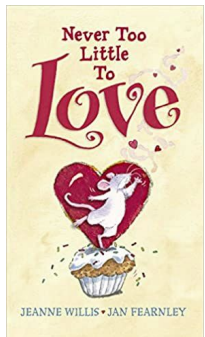
- 1 Tbsp of white vinegar
- 1 Tbsp vegetable oil
- 1 cup of hot water
- Food coloring
- Shallow pan for each color
- White construction paper
- Scissors
- Paper Towels

Directions:

- Cut out paper heart shapes (cut out 10 -20 extra for the Musical Hearts game below)
- In a shallow pan, combine the water, vinegar, and oil.
- Add several drops of food coloring to the shallow pan, and swirl them around
- Show your child how to dip a heart shape into the mixture, slowly pull it out, and lay it on a paper towel to dry
- When dry, can hang in a window for a pretty translucent valentine decoration, or give to a special person



Book Nook



Never Too Little to Love by Jeanne Willis and Jan Fearnley

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VpYBjZCAmxE>

When you are finished listening to the story, see how many items your child can remember that the mouse stood on top of to reach the giraffe so he could give her a kiss.

Musical Hearts



Materials:

- 10 - 20 paper hearts
- Marker
- Music

Directions:

- On each heart, write an action (e.g. blow a kiss, hula dance, do 5 jumping jacks, move like a robot, spin on one foot five times then spin on the other foot 5 times, hop on one foot 10 times, hug the person on your right, jump as high as you can 8 times)
- Place the hearts, face down, in a big circle on the floor
- Play music and walk around the circle of hearts.
- When the music stops, turn over the heart and do the action
- Play as long as your child is interested

Extension activity: Leave some of the hearts blank. If you land on a blank heart, you tell the other players 1 thing you love about them.