

Parent tips



Playful learning:

EYFS Main Learning Outcome:

16-26 months - shows interest in toys with buttons, flaps and simple mechanisms, and beginning how to operate them.

22-36 months - seeks to acquire basic skills in turning on and operating some equipment.

Try these at home:

Not all Children will have remote control cars/ metal detectors at home, so have a look for torches and toys that have switches and buttons. Show your child how to work these toys, be patient these skills require a lot of practice and need to use several fine motor skills at once.

If you have old mobile phones (remove battery and sim card) old computer key boards these make good toys for your child/ren to play with.

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Rhyme of the Week

Five little monkeys jumping on the bed
One fell off and bumped his head
So Mummy called the doctor and the doctor said
No more monkeys jumping on the bed!

Four little monkeys jumping on the bed
One fell off and bumped his head
So Mummy called the doctor and the doctor said
No more monkeys jumping on the bed!

Three little monkeys jumping on the bed
One fell off and bumped his head
So Mummy called the doctor and the doctor said
No more monkeys jumping on the bed!

Two little monkeys jumping on the bed
One fell off and bumped his head
So Mummy called the doctor and the doctor said
No more monkeys jumping on the bed!

One little monkey jumping on the bed
He fell off and bumped his head
So Mummy called the doctor and the doctor said
No more monkeys jumping on the bed!



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