

SOCIAL

Earth Art

<https://handsonaswegrow.com/kids-earth-art/>

Target: peer interactions



Outside Dramatic Play

<http://www.theempowerededucatoronline.com/2017/06/dramatic-play-outside-ideas.html/>

Target: teamwork

Read a book outside

Target: taking turns

Nature Study Kit

<https://rainydaymum.co.uk/nature-study-kit-kids/>

Target: peer discussion

Nature Soup

<https://www.mericherry.com/2014/05/04/making-nature-soup-nature-water-play-toddlers/>

Target: cooperation



PHYSICAL

Gross motor

Hoola hoop kick ball

<https://thecraftingchicks.com/hula-hoop-croquet/>

Scroll down to #4. You can purchase hoola hoops at the Dollar stores and use any balls you have at your home.

Target: balance



Pool Noodle ring toss

<https://trishsutton.com/pool-noodle-ring-toss/>

Target: coordination



Moving Beach Balls

(beach balls and pool noodles can be bought at the Dollar stores)

Target: coordination



Garden Yoga

<https://childhood101.com/yoga-for-kids-a-walk-through-the-garden/>

Target: balance



Nature Jump

Place some branches, twigs, rocks, leaves etc. on the grass for the children

To jump over.

Target: balance

Fine Motor

Playdough Nature Prints

<https://hellosociety.com/sb/play-doh-nature-prints>

Target: grasping



Blowing bubbles

(Get your bubbles and supplies at the Dollar Stores)

Target: grasping

Fly Swatter painting

(Purchase the fly swatters at the Dollar Store)

<http://munchkinsandmoms.com/fly-swatter-painting/>

Target: eye hand coordination



Bubble Snakes

<http://onelittleproject.com/bubble-snakes/>

Target: grasping



Painting with water

<http://www.stillplayingschool.com/2014/04/outside-water-painting-from-e-to-d.html>

Target: grasping

Nature Cutting Tray

<https://munchkinsandmoms.com/nature-cutting-tray/>

Target: cutting skills



INTELLECTUAL

Bouncing Bubbles

<https://www.diyncrafts.com/28544/homemade/make-bouncing-bubbles-wont-pop-sensory-play>

Target: cause and effect

Nature Investigation

<https://www.notimeforflashcards.com/2009/04/happy-earth-day.html>

Target: labeling



Memory game

<http://www.123homeschool4me.com/2015/07/giant-outdoor-memory-game-for-kids.html>

Target: matching

Math and Movement

<https://www.messforless.net/outdoor-math-game/>

Target: counting



Color Golf

<https://www.schooltimesnippets.com/2013/07/color-golf.html>

Target: color recognition



CREATIVE

Painting with water

(Buy the supplies at the Dollar Store)

<https://happyhooligans.ca/painting-water-activity-for-kids/>

Target: decision making



Painting with Nature

[/kidscraftroom.com/painting-with-nature-process-art/](http://kidscraftroom.com/painting-with-nature-process-art/)

Target: texture

Outdoor Soup

<http://www.craftykidsathome.com/toddler-water-play-making-daisy-soup/>

Target: making choices

Kool Aid Finger paint

(Make this paint and then let the children paint on the grass, sidewalk, fence, tree etc.)

<http://www.growingajeweledrose.com/2013/05/summer-fun-with-kool-aid-paint.html>

Target: creativity



Sandbox Volcano

<http://www.growingajeweledrose.com/2014/04/sand-volcano-fun-for-kids.html>

Target: sensory



Sidewalk Paint

<https://thetiptofairy.com/diy-sidewalk-foam-paint/>

Target: creativity



EMOTIONAL

Sidewalk Chalk

(Give the children different colors of chalk to use their imagination create pictures on the sidewalk, fence, trees etc.)

Target: independence

Painting with your feet

<https://www.funathomewithkids.com/2013/08/big-art-painting-with-your-feet.html>

Target: self expression

Mud Pies

<https://mysmallpotatoes.com/2012/03/24/build-a-mudpie-station/>

Target: self confidence



Nature Sensory Bin

<https://littlebinsforlittlehands.com/nature-sensory-bin-outdoor-explore-discover/>

Target: self- expression



Outdoor Sticky Mural

<http://www.icanteachmychild.com/outdoor-sticky-mural-for-toddlers/>

Target: independence



OUTDOOR
sticky mural



Frozen Flower Sensory Play

<https://www.craftsonsea.co.uk/frozen-flowers-sensory-ice-play/>

Target: self confidence

Mud Bricks

<https://www.education.com/activity/article/brick-making/>

Target: independence



COOKING

Picnic

Set up a blanket on the ground and have a picnic with the children

Target: peer interactions

Fruit Slush drinks

(Have the children assist in making different slushy drinks to take outside. The children can take turns adding the ingredients and turning the blender on and off. These drinks are perfect for a hot day) Use your favorite recipe or find one on the internet.

Target: taking turns