

Ideas for having fun & learning all summer!

coloring squirt toys clothespins

cut out pictures sidewalk chalk buttoning

bubble wrap using tongs zippers

stringing beads wind up toys

stickers

pouring: filling & emptying containers

slides tunnels jumping/running playgrounds

sit & spin ball toss

swings building tents

DANCING (they LOVE to dance!)

matching & sorting (colors, shapes, pictures, big/small, etc.)

puzzles

count (everything!)

tea parties

dress up

trains & cars

animals

housekeeping

puppets/dolls

GAMES: Mr. Potato Head, Hi Ho Cherry Oh, Let's Go Fishing, Candyland, Don't Break the Ice, Hungry-Hungry Hippos, and Memory are just a few!

READ! READ! READ!

The same books get old for adults, but children love the same stories over and over.

Switch things up! Have them tell you the story, talk about the pictures, act out the book with them or with stuffed animals and small toys.

MUSIC

We have used many songs this year from Cedarmont Kids. They have music available on Amazon and iTunes.