

Classroom Environment & Peer Interaction

With your classroom team, find ways to use materials already in your classroom to encourage peer interaction.



Mealtime

How can we set up tables, chairs, or the meal to encourage interaction between children?

What can we do before, during, and after meals to encourage peer interaction?



Play

What toys can we use to encourage children to notice and engage with each other?

How will we use these materials to encourage peer interaction?



Outdoors or Gym

What materials or equipment are available that can encourage peer interaction?

How will we set these materials up to encourage peer interaction?



Getting Ready

Which types of self-care activities would be appropriate opportunities to encourage children to notice and/or engage with each other?

How can we encourage interaction during these types of activities?

