



Wednesday, May 13th

Music and Movement

[Hola, Bonjour, HELLO!](#)
(bonus: [Mimi The Mermaid](#))

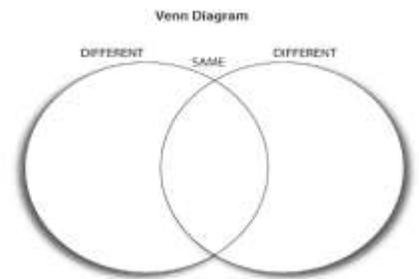
Phonological Awareness

Beginning Sounds with Sidewalk Chalk

Using sidewalk chalk, help your child draw five simple pictures such as a fish, beachball, sun, hat, and popsicle spaced apart a bit on your driveway so your child will be able to move from one picture to the next. Once the pictures are drawn, call out a word, and have your child move to the picture that begins with the same sound as the word. For example, if you say the word “people,” your child would move to the popsicle picture. To make this more fun have your child move like a bird, elephant, mouse, etc. when moving from picture to picture. If you don’t have sidewalk chalk, use crayons or markers to draw the pictures on paper and play the game inside.

Literacy

Read [The Mermaid](#) by Jan Brett. This is an under-the-sea version of *Goldilocks and the Three Bears*. In this story, Kiri, a curious mermaid, wanders into the home of an octopus family. After reading the story, compare this story to the traditional story of *Goldilocks and the Three Bears*. Consider using a Venn Diagram organizer to compare/contrast the two stories.



Math

Order Your Day

The concept of time is a hard concept for four and five-year olds. Associating the passing of time with actual events is helpful. Discuss your day or a routine part of your day with your child. See if he can tell it in order.

Make a list of activities in your home each day.

Ask questions such as: What do we do after breakfast? What do we do before bedtime?

Writing / Art / Fine Motor

Create an ocean picture with collage materials at home. Begin by having your child draw what she imagines under the ocean water looks like and what lives there. Use crayons and markers to draw. Consider using scrap paper, yarn, old buttons, pipe cleaners, gift wrap tissue paper, and more to create a beautiful and one-of-a-kind underwater adventure. Have your child dictate a story about her artwork.

Post pictures of you and your child learning together using [#gaprekathome](#)

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