



GUIDE SHEET: LACING BEADS

LABEL AND TRY TO USE THESE WORDS IN CONVERSATION WITH YOUR CHILD THIS WEEK:

Shapes:

circle
square
Star
cube
cylinder

Actions:

creating
sorting
lacing
stringing
matching
counting

Concepts:

same colors
different colors
in and out
round and point
big and little

Colors:

blue
red
purple
green
yellow

Numbers:

One
two
three
four
five

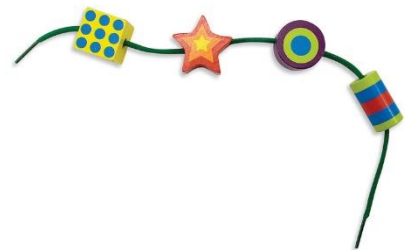
Describe your actions. Encourage your child to describe actions.

- General: Name all of the shapes and practice stringing and lacing.
- Sorting and Patterns and Counting: Sort by color or shape. Count all the shapes and laces. Make patterns with shapes or colors.
- Fun Play: Take shapes of one kind and place them in a bag. Have your child reach in the bag and feel the shapes. Can he tell you what shape is in the bag?

Encourage your child to TALK
ASK the child questions
LISTEN to the child's answers
ADD to his/her comments

REMEMBER

ENCOURAGE
Curiosity
Imagination
Independence



Encourage the child to WANT TO LEARN
PRAISE when the child does well
Try to IGNORE mistake
HELP when the child really needs it