

REMAINING PROACTIVE IN EARLY CHILDHOOD CLASSROOMS

DURING COVID 19 PART 2

MORE WAYS TO ENSURE HEALTH AND
SAFETY IN OUR PROGRAMS WHILE
KEEPING A SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL FOCUS

TRY...



Listening to children
and acknowledging
their concerns.



Seeking new gross motor
& movement activities



Creating long term
health & wellness habits



Talking with children on
their level, both
physically and cognitively



Limiting Centers



Dividing materials into 2
or 3 bins for controlled
use



Helping children respect
& practice personal
space



Making fresh playdoh
daily



Rotating materials for
engagement

INSTEAD OF...



Overlooking or
sugarcoating their
concerns



Doing the same old gross
motor & movement
activities



Just going through
your daily routine



Talking at them &
giving no information
or information that is
too advanced



Opening All Centers



Allowing children to
handle all materials in 1
bin



Simply telling children to
move apart



Reusing playdoh



Exposing unused
materials

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"Every Day Counts in the Life of a Child"