



Following By Leading

Handout C17



Other shapes or pictures I can make for my toddler:

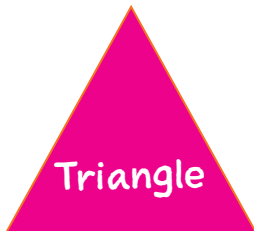
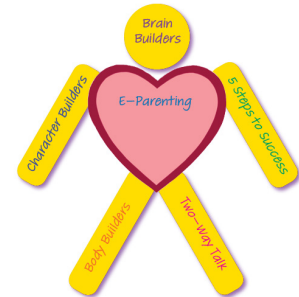
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Which Daily Do I want to focus on practicing:

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When will we do this activity:

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Which skills or concepts I want my child to learn:

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How to do this activity:

1. Use **Ready for Play and Learning** to see if your child is ready to play and learn. Remember to use **5 Steps to Success** as you help your toddler explore their natural curiosity during the activity.
2. Use tape to create **LARGE** shapes on the floor or draw them on the sidewalk with chalk.
3. Tell your child that they're going to play a game where they follow you. You can say something like: **I'm running around the rectangle. Follow me! Let's run around the rectangle together. Now I'm crawling inside the triangle. Follow me!**
4. Remember to give your toddler an opportunity to be the leader as you follow them around or inside the shapes.