



Pointing Fun

Handout A67



Other places I could do this activity with my baby:

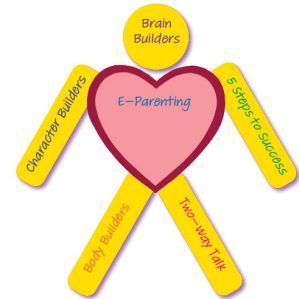
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Which Daily Do I want to focus on practicing:

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When will we do this activity:

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Which skills or concepts I want my infant to learn:

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How to do this activity:

1. Use **Ready for Play and Learning** to see if your baby is ready to play and learn. Remember to use **5 Steps to Success** as you help your infant explore their natural curiosity during the activity.
2. Walk slowly around your home with your baby, either carrying them or standing next to them at their eye level. Notice objects or things that capture their attention, and then point to them. As you point to each object, describe the item to your infant.
3. Encourage your baby to point as you get excited about their efforts. You might say something such as: **This is how I point to the book. Can you point to the book? Hold your finger out like this...you're trying hard...that's right. You're pointing to the book!...I'm so proud of you.**