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| **Standard** | **Activity** | **Home Extension** |
| **II Approaches to Learning**  A Eagerness and Curiosity  1. Shows increased eagerness and curiosity as a learner | Have the children cover their eyes and play sounds and let them guess. Play sounds like birds, ocean, cows, cat, air plane, etc. | Involve your toddler in cooking preparation. Talk to them about how things feel, how they smell, and how they taste. |
| **I Physical Development**  C. Fine Motor Development  1. Demonstrates increasing precision, strength, coordination, and efficiency when using hand muscles for play and functional tasks  **Benchmark a.** Coordinates the use of hands and fingers | Use green slime and googly eyes to make a sensory bin. Add pretend spiders and different Halloween items | Sing songs with your child with simple hand motions. Find some fall songs on the internet and teach it to them. |
| **VI Scientific Inquiry**   1. Scientific Inquiry through exploration and discovery 1. Uses sense to explore and understand their social and physical environment   **Benchmark b.** Begins to use sense to observe and experience the environment | Get a spool of bubble wrap and allow children to pop it. Have them stomp it or just press it with their fingers talking about popping loud and soft. | Provide sensory activities for your toddler. Create bins of a little bit of water and some toys or put a bin with kinetic sand. Talk to your child about how it feels and showing them how they can meet their sensory needs. |