**TODDLER LAB**

**PERFORMANCE OBJECTIVE ASSIGNMENT #5**

**Name:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Period:\_\_\_\_\_ Score:\_\_\_\_\_/60**

**Directions:**

Today you are going to participate in three age-appropriate activities for toddlers and explain how each activity stimulates the toddler’s development physically, socially, emotionally and cognitively.

All the supplies needed for today’s lab will be found on the supply table up front.

Follow the directions found in this packet and answer the questions for each activity.

Be sure to complete all of the activities before leaving class today.

If you don’t finish the questions it then becomes homework.

Please watch your time. You should spend no longer than 20 minutes with each activity.

***This assignment is due next class period***

**Activity 1 – Rainbow Art**

**Materials Needed:** Premade rainbow tray, salt, paint brush

**Directions:** Pour salt into the rainbow tray until all of the papers are covered. Using the paint brush, write and draw anything you’d like. Be creative and have fun. Answer the questions below.

**How could this activity help to develop a toddler’s…**

1. Physical growth
2. Social growth
3. Emotional growth
4. Cognitive growth

**Activity 2 – Matching Card Game**

**Materials Needed:** Two cardstock papers of pictures, scissors

**Directions:** Cut out the pictures. You should have 12 pictures in all. Turn them over and play the matching game with a classmate. Answer the questions below.

**How could this activity help to develop a toddler’s…**

1. Physical growth
2. Social growth
3. Emotional growth
4. Cognitive growth

**Activity 3 – Straw Flowers**

**Materials Needed:** Paper cups, crayons/markers, straws, scissors, stickers, paper baking cups

**Directions:** Take some crayons or markers and color the paper cup. Attach the baking cup with a sticker to the straw. Cut the straw length to fit the cup. Arrange the “flowers” in the cup. Make 5-6 flowers. Answer the questions below.

**How could this activity help to develop a toddler’s…**

1. Physical growth
2. Social growth
3. Emotional growth
4. Cognitive growth