



## GUIDE SHEET: PLAY-DOH

LABEL AND TRY TO USE THESE WORDS IN CONVERSATION WITH YOUR CHILD THIS WEEK:

Colors:

green  
red  
yellow  
blue

Shapes:

triangle  
square  
circle  
oval

Textures:

squishy  
soft  
flexible

Objects:

play-doh  
scissors  
cookie cutters  
rolling pin

Numbers:

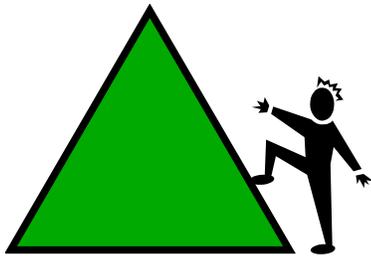
1 scissors  
4 cans of play-doh  
4 cookie cutters

Relationships:

push the play-doh  
pull the play-doh  
roll the play-doh

Describe your actions. Encourage your child to describe actions.

- Invite your child to tell about his/her experiences: *Have you ever played with play-doh? What does it feel like?*
- Matching: *Can you cut the blue play-doh using the yellow scissors? Let's find all of the red pieces, and put them over there.*
- Imaginary Play: *Let's make a pizza out of play-doh. Can you make the play-doh into a snake for me?*



### REMEMBER

ENCOURAGE  
Curiosity  
Imagination  
Independence

Encourage your child to TALK  
ASK the child questions  
LISTEN to the child's answers  
ADD to his/her comments

Encourage the child to WANT TO LEARN  
PRAISE when the child does well  
Try to IGNORE mistakes  
HELP when the child really needs it

