



**Pyramid Support at Home Activity: Snow/Sand Play Activites**

**Description:** Simple ideas for learning opportunities while playing in the snow or sand

**Materials:** Snow or Sand, Optional and Can be Varied (Shovel, Bucket, Muffin Tin, Food Coloring, Spray Bottle, Cookie Cutters, Baking Sheet or Pan

**Supplemental Links:** N/A

**POTENTIAL LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES** – You DO NOT need to do these all at once. Remember you can run the activity multiple times and focus on the same or different learning opportunities each time you do the activity. Take a look below or brainstorm your own learning opportunities and pick a few to focus on when working with your learner.

Requests	Comments	Directions	Critical Skills	Other Learning Opportunities
-Snow or Sand	-It's cold	-Spray or paint	-Work on waiting	- Independently setting up and cleaning up materials
-Shovel	-I like it	-Take ____	-Work on turn taking	-Playing independently
-Colors	-Looks good	-Open the ____	-Requesting Help	-Playing with a peer or sibling
-Spray Bottle or Paintbrush	-I built a ____	-Look	- Answering a yes/no question	-Counting
-Bucket, Muffin Tin, etc.	-It's a ____ (heart) or It's ____ (red, big, etc.)	-Stop	- Tolerating "no" if something is not available and making another choice	- Shape ID
-Gloves	-Awesome, Fantastic, etc.	-Get the ____		- Letter ID
-Cookie Cutter (specific shapes)		** These can be vocal direction or picture directions		-Prepositions
-Build				
-Dig				
- Look				