# Leading Children in Hands-On Exploration

# **Learning Log**

### **Prepare Ahead**

#### **View**

In the video:

•	What steps do the educators take in order to be fully prepared to lead children in a
	hands-on exploration?

- How does trying the activity before using it with children help the educators lead a more effective activity?
- How does their preparation, in general, lead to a more meaningful exploration for children?

#### Reflect

In your program:

- How do you prepare for hands-on exploration?
- What did you learn that you will put into practice in your own learning environment?

#### **Notes**

# **Guide Children's Explorations**

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• What other strategies do the educators use to support children's inquiry and exploration?

#### Reflect

In your program:

• How do you guide children's explorations?

• What did you learn that you will put into practice in your own learning environment?

#### **Notes**

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## **Help Children Make Connections**

#### **View**

In the video:

•	What are some different ways the educators help children make connections to science
	concepts and ideas?

How do they encourage children to express their observations, ideas, and thinking?

#### Reflect

In your program:

- What strategies do you use to help children make connections between science concepts and everyday life?
- What did you learn that you will put into practice in your own learning environment?

#### **Notes**



