PROJECT 5

Babies

Goal
Children study a baby’s physical, emotional, and cognitive needs and the ways in which families from different parts of the world care for their babies.

What
During the Babies project, children study how babies grow and the different ways they are cared for around the world. Children use baby dolls to practice feeding, bathing, and caring for babies.

Why
Young children are fascinated by babies, what babies can do, and how they can help care for babies.

Community
Babies and their caregivers are invited to visit the classroom to help children connect with real babies.

Family
Family members can donate gently used baby items, visit the classroom with a baby, take part in a Book Sharing event to view a Baby Care book that children create, and talk with children about what they were like as babies.