

DRAMATIC PLAY



What they are the children learning:	Equipment & Materials I have available to support this learning:
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Role playing ▪ Physical Development ▪ Social Development ▪ Emotional Development ▪ Language Development ▪ A means of expressing feelings ▪ Fostering creativity and imagination ▪ Problem solving ▪ Exposure to real life experiences ▪ Provide practice in symbolic thinking ▪ Develop attention span ▪ Listening skills ▪ Taking turns ▪ Co-operative Play ▪ Self-Esteem ▪ How to create stories from experiences and imagination 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Career dress up outfits and accessories ▪ Kitchen set & pretend food/dishware ▪ Grocery center/cash register/shopping cart ▪ Wood Castle and accessories ▪ Wood Doll House and accessories ▪ Wood Barn and animals ▪ Babies and accessories ▪ Doctor and Nurse kits ▪ Construction tools ▪ Pirate dress and accessories ▪ Cars – various sizes and garages ▪ Train and accessories ▪ Child size tables and chairs ▪ Puppets and Puppet theater ▪ Outdoor playhouse ▪ Outdoor Play kitchen ▪ Outdoor tables and seats ▪ Tent ▪ Fort building materials ▪ Keyboards ▪ Telephones ▪ Office supplies ▪ Child size real tools ▪ Mail Center

Playing in Dramatic Play areas meets 82 of the Illinois Early Learning & Development Standards for Preschool.

Language – 18

Math – 7

Science – 7

Social Studies – 15

Physical – 10

Social & Emotional Development - 25

