



Picture Smart



Here are some ideas to try out at home if your child has been identified as having a strength in the area of Picture Smart. These activities will encourage this smart while developing other areas of intelligence as well.

- Create a scavenger hunt/map of your back yard for your child to find and discover items in nature and a few treats that you plant out there as well. (Picture/Nature)
- Read a descriptive book about something your child loves and have them close their eyes while you read. When the story is finished, ask them to draw a picture about their favorite part. (Picture/Word)
- Print out coloring pages of your child's favorite characters from websites and use different types of mediums to color them in (i.e. crayons, paints, markers, pastels, etc.). Use chalk to outline your child's body on the driveway and have them draw/color in their body parts. (Picture/Body)
- Find puzzles that are age-appropriate for your child that show children demonstrating different feelings (happy, sad, silly, angry). (Picture/Self)
- Sing songs such as the "Hokey Pokey" and have children identify where different parts of their body are while acting out the song. (Picture/Music)
- Play with shape-sorters that include geometric shapes. (Picture/Math)
- Use a large floor puzzle that can be used by more than one person at a time. Take turns placing pieces in together. (Picture/people)

