Developmental Observation Topic Plan

Template for Developing Your Own DOT Plan

Areas on the DOT

☐ Summary of “what parents will be observing”
☐ Environment
☐ Opening Discussion
  ☐ Hello Song
  ☐ Introducing the DOT
    ☐ Providing the Information on the DOT
    ☐ Sharing what we already know
    ☐ Summarizing the main points
  ☐ Describing the Environment
  ☐ Suggesting Things to Do
  ☐ Making Predictions
☐ Parent-Child Observation Time
☐ Transitions
  ☐ From Activity to Snack
  ☐ From Snack to Songs & Games
☐ Parent-Child Songs & Games
☐ Closing Discussion
  ☐ Reviewing Predictions
  ☐ Main Points
  ☐ Carry-Over to Home
  ☐ Good-Bye Song