

Name of Material: Pre-K Play Theme materials for TR1 (includes materials for Family theme)

Assembly/printing instructions:

Theme Planner--Print one copy per classroom to use as a guide for theme planning.

Role prompts-- Print as many copies as you like and cut on the dotted lines; you may wish to laminate for durability.

Action prompts-- Print as many copies as you like and cut on the dotted lines; you may wish to laminate for durability.

Center labels (theme specific)—Copy, cut, and attach to the center sign in your classroom.

Center labels for management wheel (theme specific)—Copy, cut, and attach (using Velcro) to the Management Wheel)

Activities this material is used in (Introduced at TR 1):

Make Believe Play (TR1)

Make Believe Play Planning (TR1)

Additional Information:

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Play Theme: Families					
Theme Building (Days 1-3)	Introduction to Theme: (Books/Media/Virtual Field Trips) Family theme power point Read books about families Children bring pictures from home Maisy Cleans Up The New Baby Family members come into class to discuss Spot Loves His Mommy Bunny Cakes			Theme Building Child Activities (prop & setting making, etc.) Make baby beds with boxes, fabric for blankets and pillows. Make baby rattle (paper towel tube or small plastic bottle filled with beans). Make shampoo bottles. Make baby bottles. Paint “curtains.” Make fabric softening sheets. Make box TV for pretend DVD’s. Make paint buckets, torn paper food.	
Centers	Roles and Role Props (Tags, dress-up)	Scenario Framework What happens in the center	Action Props & Role Supports	Story Problems – Emotional Terrain/Landscape	Literacy & Math Elements
Dramatic Play/ Kitchen	Mom/Apron Dad/Tie, Baby/Bib, Grandmother/Glasses	Parents cook food, children set the table, everyone eats, parents or sister/brother/grandparents feed the baby, wash dishes,	Kitchen stove, Dishes, Play Food, Pots and Pans, Silverware, Table/Chairs, Sink for washing dishes, Baby Bottles	Baby spits up on mom, Dad is hungry and dinner is late, Grandmother does not have chicken for the soup, All the baby bottles are dirty, Baby wants to eat just when the others are ready to eat, Sister spills her milk	Write grocery lists Make “recipe” w/ # of color objects to add (3 red, 2blue)Scale/balance for weighing food
Blocks/ Garage/ Car	Dad/Tie, Brother/Cap Sister/Skirt Grandfather/Suspenders	Parents/Grandparents mow the lawn, paint the house, build a shed or repair car. Brother/sister help get tools, help with jobs. They go on a trip and pack the car	Lawnmower, Paint Brushes, Bucket, Play Tools, Box decorated as Car, Blocks for building a shed, pretend car seat	The lawn mower is out of gas and mom has the car, The car has a flat tire, Dad does not have enough paint to paint the house, All the shed pieces are in a box w/ no directions. Mom and Dad need to run errands	Measuring tools-rulers, level, measuring tape Building plans Identify paints by color Different size brushes
Science/ Bathroom	Mom/Apron Dad/Tie Baby/Bib Grandmother/Glasses	Parents give baby a bath, dry & diaper and dress baby. Sister and brother help. Parents fix brother and sister’s hair.	Water table, Towels, Pretend Shampoo, Clothes for Diapers, Pretend Soap and Wash cloths, Brushes/Combs	Mom gets splashed, All the towels are wet, The shampoo bottle is empty, Baby’s pajamas are in another room, The hair brush is missing	Plastic baby books to read in tub. Different containers shampoo for comparing volume Scale for weighing
Literacy/ Bedroom	Mom/Apron, Dad/Tie Baby/Bib Grandmother/Glasses	Brother/sister/baby are read bedtime stories, dressed for bed, tucked in, lights off, pretend to sleep. Feed the baby, Make bed	Baby Bed/Pretend Box Bed, Rocker, Books, Pajamas, Baby Bottles, Blankets, Baby toys (rattle)	Grandmother can’t find sister’s favorite book, Pajamas are in the dirty laundry, Baby is crying because she is hungry, The blankets are in a pile	ABC books to read Check-list of things to do before bed. Measuring cups to measure baby formula
Table Toys/ Family Room	Mom/Apron, Dad/Tie Baby/Bib Grandmother/Glasses Grandfather/Suspenders Brother/Sister	Family is together. They can pick a DVD/TV pretend to watch, play games/fix puzzles, get snacks, read books, draw family pictures	Puzzles, Books, Rocker, Paper and Crayons, Manipulatives for pretend snacks,	Brother needs someone to play a game with him, Sister can’t find her favorite doll puzzle, Dad is doing work and can’t play, There are no apples for snacks	ABC & Number puzzles. Plates/napkins for 1:1 correspondence for snack
Art/ Laundry Room	Mom/Apron Dad/Tie Grandmother/Glasses Brother/Sister	Mom/ Dad/Grandparent sort clothes with sister/brother help, put coins in Laundromat machines, hang up clothes to dry, fold clothes, Play with baby	Clothes to sort and fold, Clothesline with clothespins, Laundry Basket, Pretend Washer and Dryer, Purse- pretend coins	The clothes washer doesn’t work, The clothes on the clothesline are still wet, Brother’s pants for tomorrow are dirty, Sister lost her sweater, There are too many clothes to fit in the washer.	Sorting, classifying kinds of clothing Money to put in washer/dryer



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Centers	Simple Scenarios & Scripts	Vocabulary
Dramatic Play/ Kitchen	<p>Mom is fixing dinner for the family :</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ‘stirring, stirring’ ‘chop, chop’ ‘careful, hot’ ‘put it in’ ‘let’s taste it!’ • “Are you hungry?” “Do you want to eat carrots or peas?” • “Sister, can you set the table? Get the plates and silverware.” “Okay, Mom.” <p>Scenario & Script Evolution: What can happen next?</p>	<p>Delicious, prepare the food, chop, stir, fry, mix timer, saucepan, set the table (cup, saucer, mug, fork, spoon, knife, plate), another helping, please pass, casserole, reheat, microwave, __ degrees, __ minutes, pot holder, hot</p>
Blocks/ Garage/ Car	<p>Family is getting read to go in the car on a trip.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • “Car seat” “seatbelt” “here we go!” “driving, driving.” “where’s the map?” “are we there yet?” “Let’s get out!” <p>Family is going to build something</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • “I need help – can you get my tools?” • “Here Dad – do you want a screwdriver or a hammer?” <p>Scenario & Script Evolution: What can happen next?</p>	<p>Car seat, directions, map, screwdriver, saw, paintbrush, measure, drive , pack, engine, motor, paint, red, blue (color words), key, gas</p>
Science/ Bathroom	<p>Time for baths.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • “Washing, washing.” “shampoo” “rinsing, rinsing.” “drying you off” • “Can you help wash the baby? Do you want to wash her hair or her hands?” “I want to wash her hair.” “Here’s the shampoo – squeeze some in your hands <p>Grooming</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Wash my face, brush my teeth, fix my hair <p>Scenario & Script Evolution: What can happen next?</p>	<p>Soap, shampoo, bubble bath, warm, hot, cold, shower, bath, washcloth, towel, hairdryer, conditioner, comb, brush, head, hair, eyes, ears, nose, lips, arms, legs, belly, feet, toes, diaper</p>
Literacy/ Bedroom	<p>The children want a story before bedtime.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • “Bedtime!” “sweet dreams!” “pull up the covers!” • “Let’s all get into bed, pull up our blankets and listen to our favorite story. Do you want to read ____ or __?” “I want to read _____!” <p>Scenario & Script Evolution: What can happen next?</p>	<p>Interesting, exciting, funny, long book, short story, pajamas, nightgown, slippers, bathrobe, blankets, sheets, pillow, nightlight</p>
Table Toys/ Family Room	<p>The family gathers together to watch TV</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • “Turn it on.” “Go to channel 3” “I like this show.” “Let’s eat popcorn.” • “Let’s watch TV – what do you want to watch?” “I like Discovery Channel?” <p>The Family gathers to play games:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • “Game time!” “puzzles!” “put it here!” • What game do you want to play, ____ or ____ or do you want to play with the puzzles?” “I want to play ____.” <p>Scenario & Script Evolution: What can happen next?</p>	<p>Take turns, board game, puzzles, read, TV show, remote control, DVD, movie, popcorn, scary, exciting, funny</p>
Art/ Laundry Room	<p>Mom has lots of laundry to do.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • “Washing, washing.” “Here’s a sock and here’s a shirt”, “Fold it.” “Put in the soap.” “Who has quarters?” “Put it in the dryer.” “Folding, folding.” • “ I need some help with all of these dirty clothes, let’s sort them.” “I’ll make a pile of baby clothes, Mom.” “And I will sort all the pants, Mom.” <p>Scenario & Script Evolution: What can happen next?</p>	<p>Colored clothes, white clothes, detergent, fabric softener, bleach, damp, dry, washer, dryer, buzzer, fold, sort</p>



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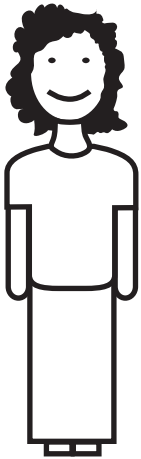
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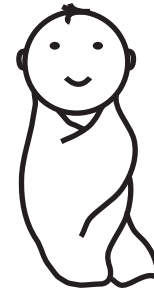
Role card prompts for family page 1



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Dad



Baby



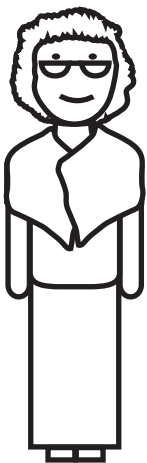
Brother



Sister



Role card prompts for family page 2



Grandmother 😊



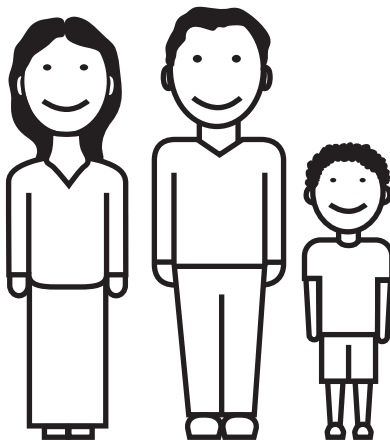
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Aunt 😊



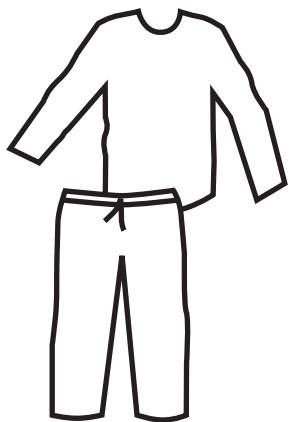
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Friends 😊

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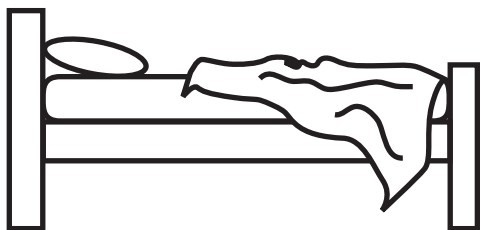
dress for bed



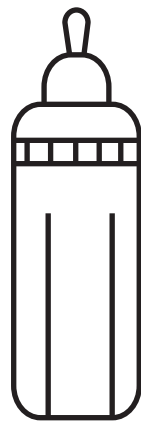
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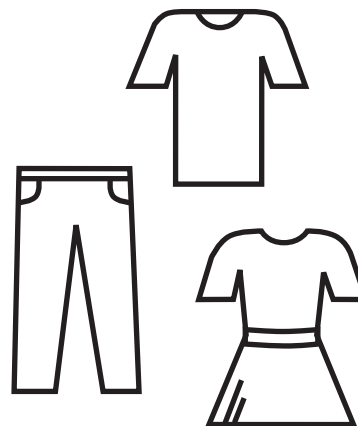
Action card prompts for the Bedroom



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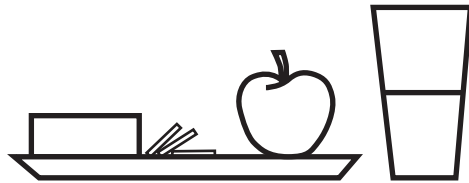
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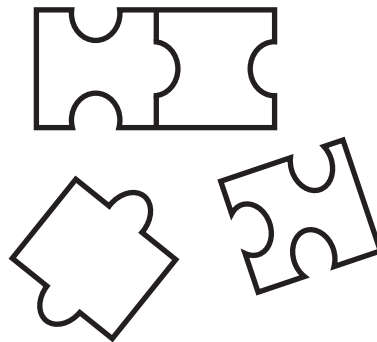
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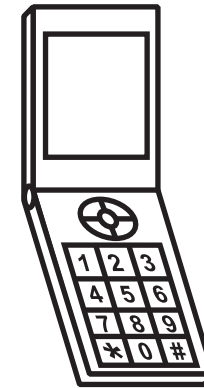
Action card prompts for the Family Room



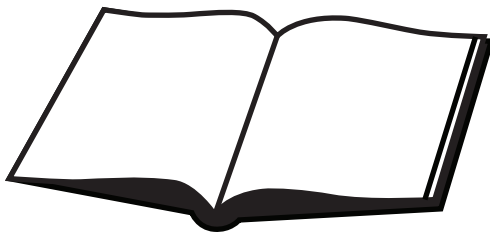
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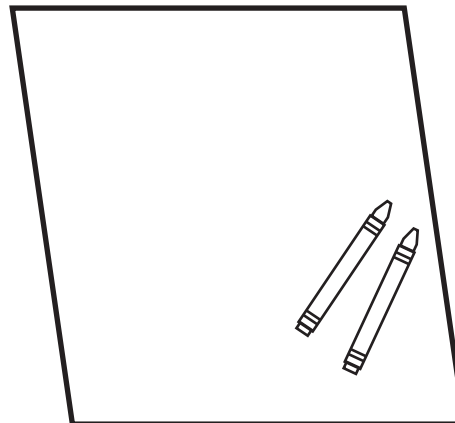
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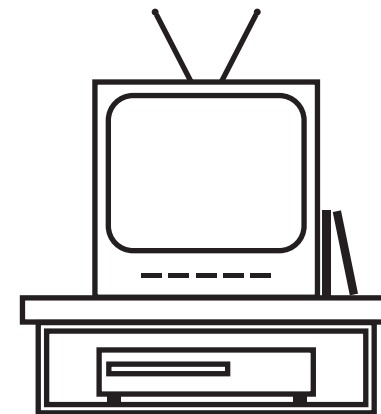
talk on the phone



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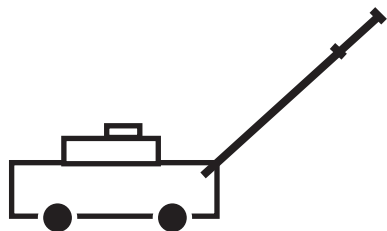


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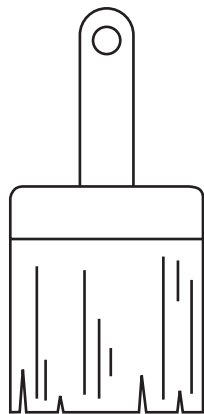


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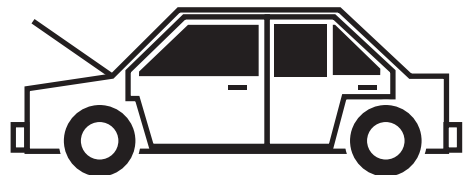




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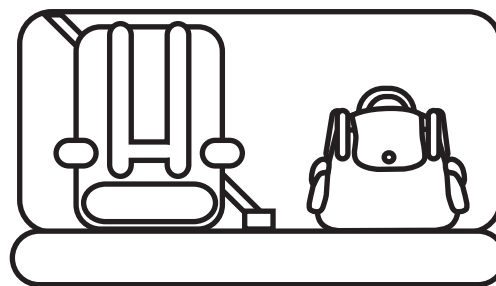
paint the house



repair the car



build a shed



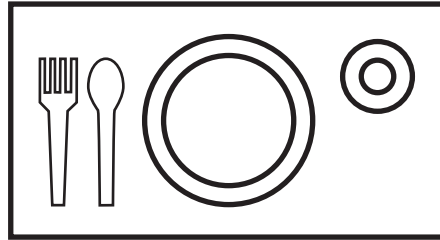
take a trip



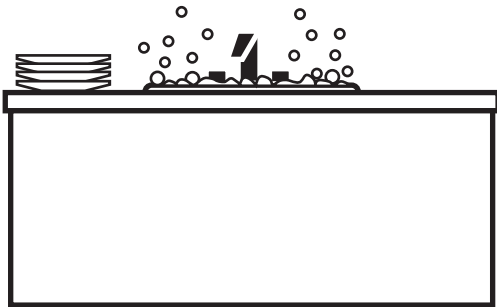
Action card prompts for the Garage



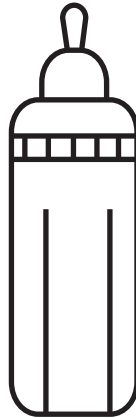
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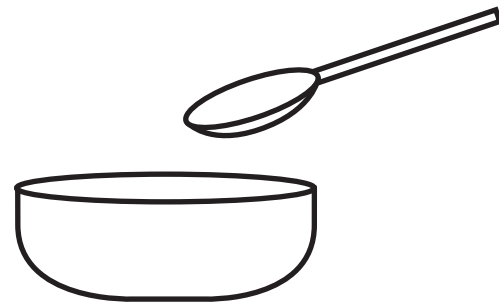
set the table



wash dishes



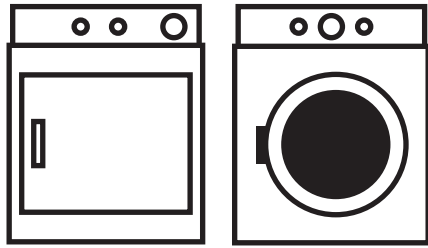
feed the baby



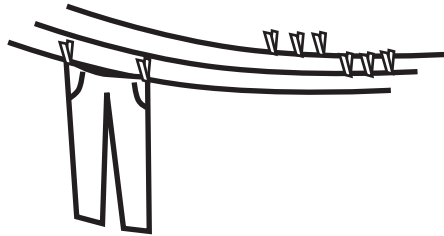
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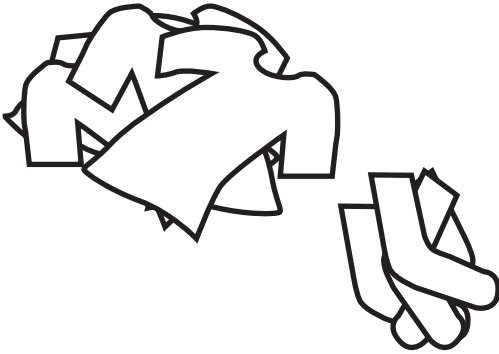
Action cards for the Kitchen



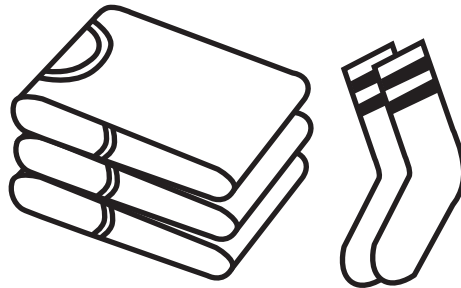
wash clothes



hang clothes



sort laundry

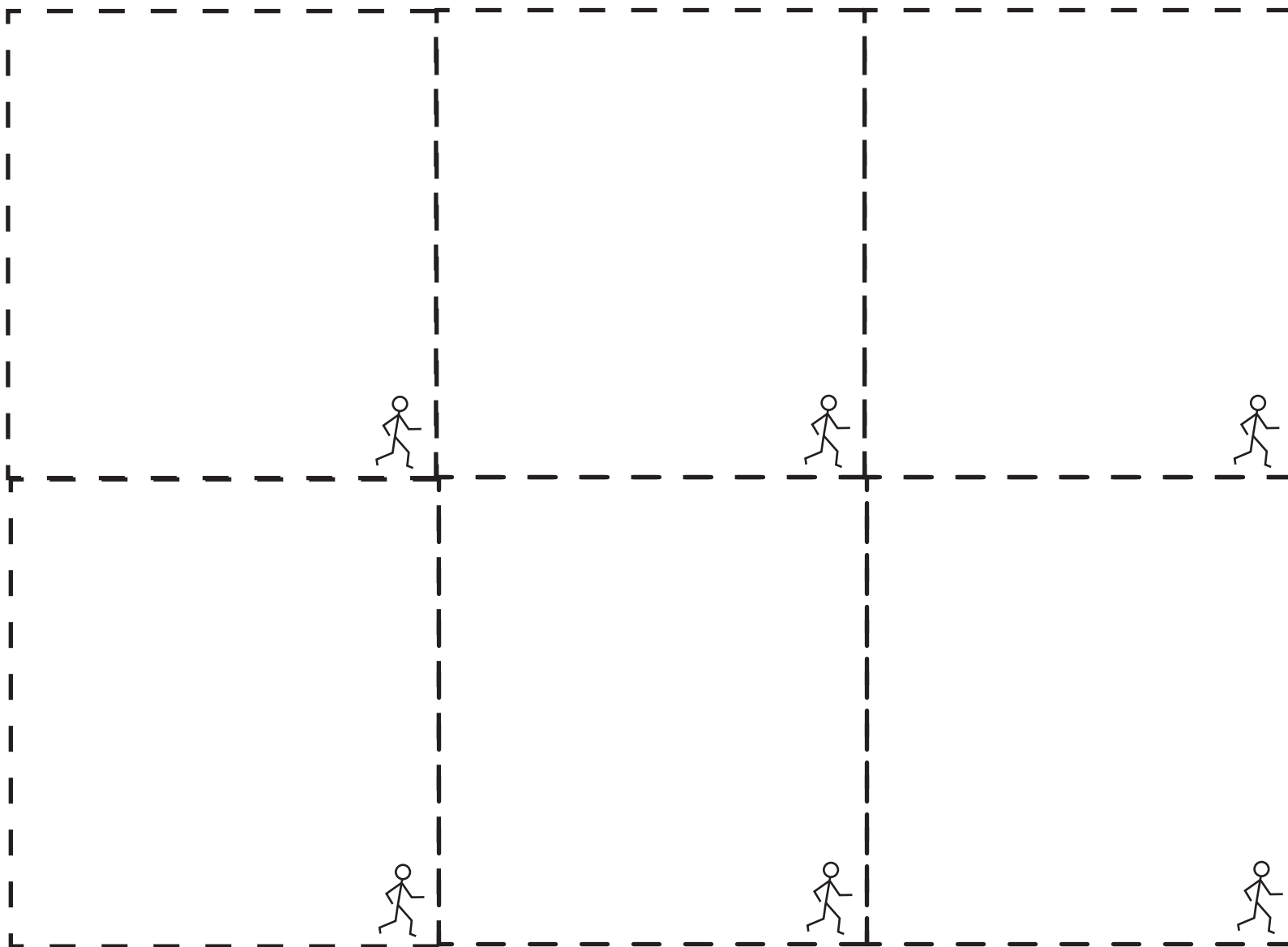


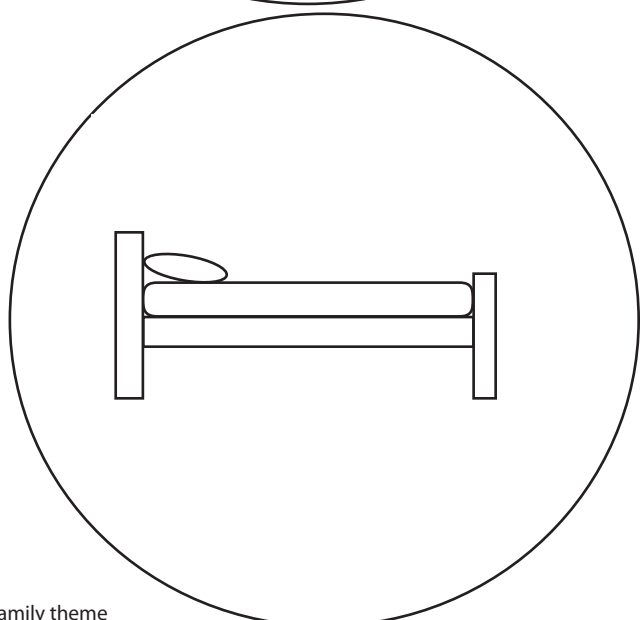
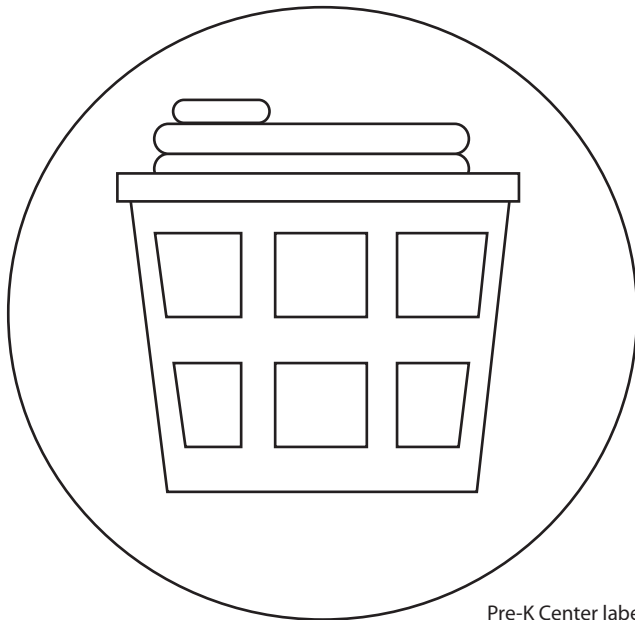
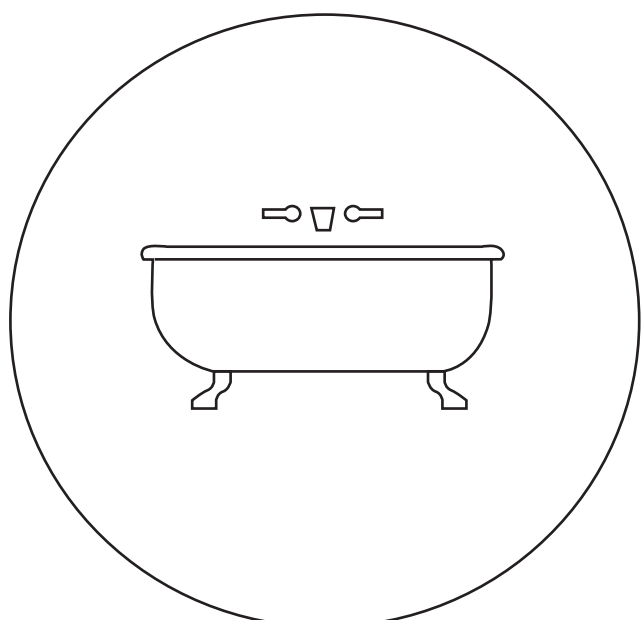
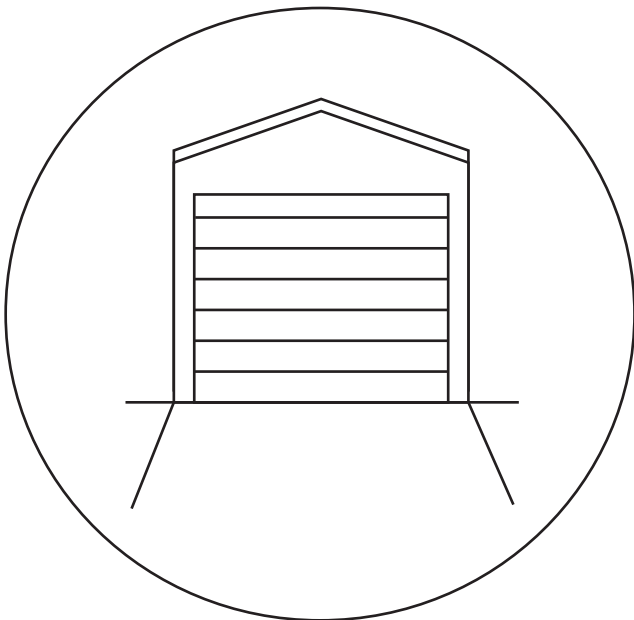
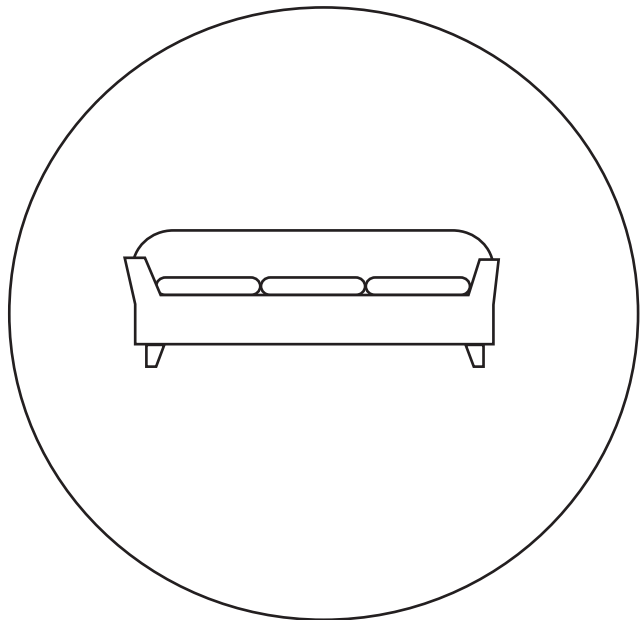
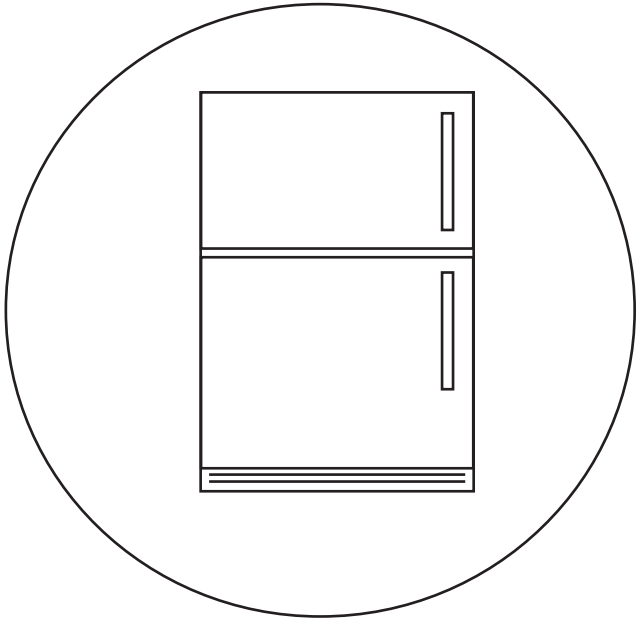
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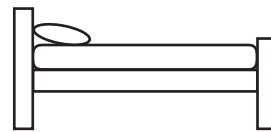
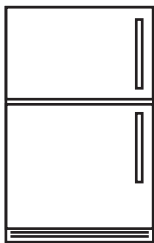
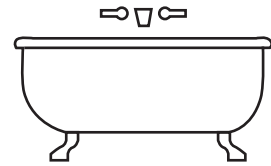
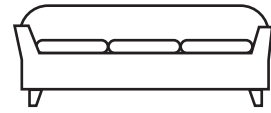


Action cards for the Laundry

Blank Action cards prompts







Pre-K Center labels for management wheel-family theme