

## ACCESS AND PARTICIPATION: FACILITATOR GUIDE

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Creative Arts Expression	Table top easel	All children can use an easel to paint, draw, and write.
Physical Development & Health	Beach balls, foam balls, and balsa wood airplanes	All children can throw, catch, and play sports with friends.
Literacy Knowledge & Skills	Technology device—tablet, smart phone, etc.	A child who is a dual language learner is able to play alphabet and word games.
Mathematics Knowledge & Skills	A giant calculator with large numbers	A child with visual impairment can see and touch numbers.







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