



## TEACHER JESSICA FOLLOWS PRESCHOOLERS' SITUATIONAL INTERESTS

In this video, a preschool teacher, Jessica, uses her curriculum responsively based on children's situational interests. This curriculum provides a unit about spring and includes learning experiences outdoors. Use this video guide to record how Jessica builds on children's situational interests to create a small group learning opportunity. Consider how this learning experience supports learning across the ELOF domains.

- How did the children's interest in pill bugs emerge?
- How did Jessica build on their interest in pill bugs?
- What did you notice about the children's level of engagement?



- How did Jessica use her curriculum's guidance to provide a learning environment, learning experiences, and interactions that built on children's interests?
- How does this learning activity support learning across the ELOF domains?

