

Props to use in Dance Class



The use of Props in a Preschool Movement class offers a concrete resource to draw the children in, capture their attention and aid in the learning experience.

This list is to just get you thinking!! All of these ideas have more than one way of using them, use your imagination and creativity and if you need a new idea, just ask a Preschooler!

As educators we have a ton of ideas and by sharing we can add them to our bag of tricks and keep our classes exciting!

Please share any unique ways that you have used props in class and join us in the forum to learn, share and grow! Join us on our Facebook group - *Childhood Expressions Fine Arts Preschool*

If we could only pick five, this is our wish list because they can be used in many open ended ways and we use at least one in all most every Preschool Movement class.

Our Top Five Props:

- Hand drum
- Scarves
- Wands
- Bean bags
- Ribbons

Your Top Five Props:

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Props Ideas

- Flash lights
- Bubbles
- Large Stretchy Elastics
- Balls
- Parachute
- Plastic skeleton (movable)
- Birds - Motion sensitive
- Puppets - bumble bees, chipmunk
- Windchime
- Tunnel
- Fabric autumn leaves
- Fabric flowers
- Flying carpet (we use a small runner - oriental pattern)Low bench
- Crowns
- Footprints
- Flashcards (animals)
- Floor lines (rope)
- Teachers hand drum
- Ribbons, long ribbons and ribbon rings
- Scarves - large, small, single colour and multiple colour
- Blankets
- Floor spots and shapes
- Stuffed animals &/or dolls
- Bean bags
- Finger puppets &/or small animales ie. little mice
- Wands - fairy, stars, hearts, snowflakes
- Rain & Snow streamers
- Window Stickies - pumpkins, snowflakes
- Sand, shells, plastic fish
- Magic pot
- Magic keys
- Roll of shelf liner to use as a path
- Hula hoops
- Balloons

Books and Instruments (lists for those coming later)

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