

# Have fun with mATH & SCIENCE

## Ideas for Expanding Your Fun with Math & Science Offerings

By adding a few basic items to your early childhood area, you can help children build and develop math and science skills. Here are a few items that might be good additions to a STEM Center at your library.

Large, easy to hold magnifying glasses to investigate the world



A balance scale to explore weight

Lightweight dense foam blocks for quieter play



Magnetic gears for a budding engineer

Sorting and Counting Games to strengthen math skills



Large tape measures to see how tall they are

Looking for more ideas? Check out some of these sites:

- [Constructive Playthings](#)
- Discount School Supply – [Early Math](#), [Manipulatives](#), [Science](#)
- School Specialty – [Early Childhood](#)
- Lakeshore Learning - [Preschool](#)
- Kaplan Early Learning Company – [Block Play](#), [Math](#), [Science](#)



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