

# Family Engagement with Books, Balls, Blocks



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# Goals of Books, Balls, Blocks

- ✿ To complete a developmental screenings: ASQ-3 & ASQ-SE
- ✿ Talk about developmental milestones in a fun engaging way
- ✿ Share community resources with families
- ✿ Connect and build relationships



# Books, Balls & Blocks Overview

-  **Interactive:** Explain, Show, Review
-  **Community Partners:** Libraries, Community Agencies, Head Starts
-  **Time of the Day**
-  **Registering for Event**





# Description of the Event

- ✿ **Books, Balls, and Blocks (ASQ-3):** (Name of place) is teaming up with Help Me Grow Onondaga to discuss with parents the 5 areas of developmental milestones in children. We will share fun, low cost activities and books that you can do at home to cultivate a love for learning and encourage development from birth to kindergarten.
- ✿ **Books, Balls, and Blocks (ASQ-SE):** (Name of place) is teaming up with Help Me Grow Onondaga to discuss with parents the 7 areas of social emotional developmental in children. We will share fun, low cost activities and books that you can do at home to cultivate a love for learning and encourage development from birth to kindergarten.



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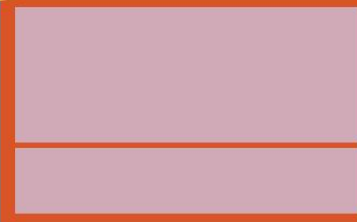


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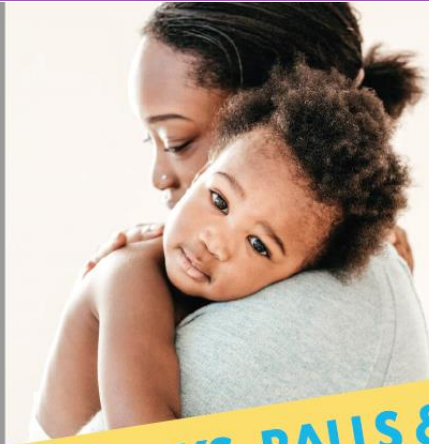


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# Developmental Tote Bags



\* Funding for tote bags provided by a grant from Excellus BlueCross BlueShield

# Books, Balls & Blocks: ASQ-SE








- Developed in response to COVID and social isolation
- Parents' comments about social-emotional concerns
- Highlight resources in the community for parents and kids with simple tips



# Parent Testimonials



-  *“I learned that some of the things my daughter does that drive me crazy (like climbing on the furniture and jumping off of everything) are ways that she is learning!”*
-  *“I came away with a greater appreciation of some of the basic stuff we already have. For instance, I hate Play-Doh, but after last night, I'm more willing to break it out so they can work on their fine motor skills.”*
-  *“I have never heard of Help Me Grow. I learned about the new resource and how to get help on development if I need it. I stay at home with Logan, and he has never been enrolled in daycare or any sort of school. It's great to know about resources I can use if needed.”*
-  *“I learned about the services offered by Help Me Grow Onondaga and will absolutely share with others! I also learned a few new developmental activities to help my kids - I will be saving empty food boxes for my kids to play with and will try to make a photo book as well.”*
-  *“I learned some new activities to help entertain/teach the kids. I like the idea of using the mirror and teaching emotions/faces.”*





# Discussion

Thoughts? Questions?



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