

Informational Websites for Early Interventionists

1. Information and strategies for **all areas of development**:

<http://www.earlyinterventionsupport.com/>

2. A variety of **gross motor** exercises for infants and toddlers (see “Tips and Tricks”):

<http://beyondbasicplay.wordpress.com/>

3. Strategies for **bottle feeding, self-feeding, improving eating, and sensory play**:

<http://www.yourkidstable.com/>

4. Strategies for **promoting positive relationships** with others and the importance of having **daily routines**:

<http://www.pbs.org/wholechild/providers/getting.html>

5. Games for enhancing **cognitive development**:

<http://everydaylife.globalpost.com/games-cognitive-development-during-early-childhood-6870.html>

6. Great **speech and language** activities WITH visuals that include songs, nursery rhymes, etc. and can be used at home or at school:

***Once you are on the Dr. Jean homepage, click on the “FREE ACTIVITIES” tab, and scroll to the bottom until you find the section labeled “Free Books”, such as “Color Farm”, “Alphardy”, and “Tooty Ta”. The best part about this website is that you can print out the songs along with the pictures! (You can even laminate the pages to keep them in tact longer. 😊)

<http://drjean.org/>

7. Information on **FREE vision screenings** in Hillsborough and Polk for 2014.

<http://florida.preventblindness.org/florida-calendar>

8. **Resource guides** for Hillsborough and Polk:

<http://www.blfspolk.com/assets/Docs/polk%20county%20quick%20guide%202012.pdf>

<http://www.safetampabay.org/resourceguide/communityservresources.html>

9. Children’s Board of Hillsborough County offers great **community resources** for families:

<http://www.familysupporthc.org/>

10. Information about **Autism** and autism resources:

<http://www.autismspeaks.org/family-services/tool-kits>

Information about **Down Syndrome**:

<http://www.ndss.org/Down-Syndrome/What-Is-Down-Syndrome/>

11. Homemade toys and how toys and play relate to infant-toddler **learning and development** (NAEYC):

https://www.naeyc.org/files/yc/file/201109/Using%20Toys_Guyton_Online_0911.pdf

12. Nurturing **early development** in children for parents and professionals:

<http://www.zerotothree.org/>