

Mom's Kitchen

Applicable Age Group 3-4 year-old toddlers

- Activity Objectives**
- ☑ Understand the structure and functions of a kitchen.
 - ☑ Explore circles in daily life, including the characteristics and applications of circles.

Activity Description The kitchen is a place for cooking. All the delicious food we eat at home is carefully made by Mom step by step in the kitchen. Work with children to learn about kitchen components: there is a refrigerator for storing food, cabinets for organizing pots and pans, a gas stove, a range hood, and more. Usually, Mom rarely lets children enter the kitchen because there is fire during cooking, which is dangerous. Guide children to observe where circles are in the kitchen and explore the application of circles in daily life.

STEAM Competence Development Indicators

Method Indicator	Raise questions to understand kitchen layouts	Plan and build kitchen facilities	Refine the kitchen based on cooking processes	Further explore the application of circles
Curiosity and Imagination				
Flexibility and Adaptability	●	●		
Verbal and Written Communication Skills				
Cross-boundary Cooperation and Exemplary Leadership				
Critical Thinking and Problem-solving Skills			●	
Proactive and Pioneering Spirit				●
Ability to Evaluate and Analyze Information				



Interactive Tips

- Plan the location of basic kitchen facilities and encourage children to make orderly and relatively neat plans.
- After finding "circles", interact with children by asking: "Where else have you seen circles?" For example, cabinet handles are round, gas stoves are round, the small chair Mom sits on is round, etc.
- Remind children to recall the scene of Mom cooking in the kitchen while building. When planning the scene, they should consider how to make it more convenient for Mom to cook.

