

**Outdoor Learning Experience (4 years old)**

<p><b>Learning Experience:</b> Working Together with My Friends</p>	<p><b>Shared by:</b> Ms Hephzi Tee Siew Cheng</p>
<p><b>Environment:</b> Open grass area</p>	<p><b>Estimated time:</b> 30 minutes</p>
<p><b>Children’s prior knowledge:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Children need to be able to wait for their turns.</li> </ul>	
<p><b>What children will experience (NEL Learning Areas):</b></p> <p><b>Language and Literacy:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Children will respond appropriately to words</li> </ul> <p><b>Social Emotional Development:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Children will be able to support one another in the passing of pebble and wait for their turn.</li> </ul> <p><b>Motor Skills development:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Children will develop fine motor control and hand-eye coordination as they collect and pass small objects with a spoon.</li> </ul>	<p><b>Suitable for:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 4 years old</li> </ul>
<p><b>What you will need:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• pebbles</li> <li>• spoons</li> </ul>	<p><b>Benefit-Risk Assessment:</b></p> <p><u>Benefit:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Children build social emotional skills and ability to work in a team.</li> <li>• Children develop fine motor skills in holding a spoon, collecting and passing object in a spoon.</li> </ul> <p><u>Risk:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sharp edges of the stones/pebbles</li> <li>• Uneven surfaces</li> </ul> <p><u>Management:</u></p>

- Checking of environment for potential hazards (e.g., sharp objects)
- Suitability of the open space
- Access to help (e.g., vicinity to centre, communication devices)

**How to make it happen:**

In this activity, children need to work together to pass the pebble without dropping it.

1. Children to be gathered in a circle.
2. Instructions given: They have to wait for their turns.
3. When the pebble comes to them, they have to first collect it with their spoon.
4. Next, they have to pass it to their friends by placing the pebble onto their friends' spoon.
5. They need to ensure that no one in the team drops the pebble.
6. They need to work together.

**Photographs:**

