

Benefits of Hands-On LEARNING



Hands-on learning is all about learning by doing and experiencing, rather than showing or telling. Learning “hands-on” is important for young children because this is how they begin to explore and understand the world.

Hands-on learning:

1

Builds fine motor skills.

Any activity that involves the hands such as cutting or sticking helps to strengthen hand muscles and build the skills needed to accomplish real-world tasks, such as tying shoes or writing.



2

Involves multiple parts of the brain.

Hands-on learning uses both the left and right side of the brain. When both sides of the brain are activated, children create deeper connections and remember new information.



3

Is fun and engaging!

Children develop and learn skills much faster when they are having fun. Making learning fun also increases a love for knowledge, which is a valuable lifelong skill.



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