

LEARNING AT HOME

Laundry

Math

- Sort clothes by color, size or type of clothing
- Discuss the difference in folding towels in half versus folding in thirds (Which saves more space where towels are stored?)



Vocabulary

- Discuss different types of materials clothes are made from (cotton, linen, silk, wool). Talk about the difference in texture and how they feel.
- Discuss the purpose of a washer, a dryer, a laundry basket, laundry detergent, dryer sheets, fabric softeners, etc.. Use appropriate laundry terminology when putting a load through the washer or dryer or folding the clothes.
- Talk about the differences between washer/dryer and detergent/softeners/stain removers.

Discussion Topics

- Describe the kinds of clothes you wear everyday.
- How are clothes that are for special occasions or certain types of weather different from everyday clothes?
- What types of clothes and accessories do you need for different types of weather?
- Why might some pieces of clothing need to be hand-washed instead of machine-washed?

Reading

Discuss the steps taken to wash a load of clothes. Talk about what the effects might be if a step is skipped.

Books to Listen To

- No Clean Clothes
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SfZ4r4jdz8E>
- Mrs. McNosh Hangs Up Her Wash
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=u7jFOH0M1WY>

Most importantly...

HAVE FUN!