

5 BENEFITS OF LETTING KIDS CREATE



Independence: Giving our students a place to play, create and explore without having someone showing them what to do each step of the way, gives them confidence that helps create independence.

Fine Motor Skills: Cutting, screwing, nailing, tying...each of these skills help our students learn to use their little hands to create! Being able to grasp small objects and manipulate them effectively also helps little ones develop fine motor skills.

Resiliency: The act of creating is not an easy one. Most successful attempts at building, stacking and even cutting and folding paper is only accomplished after many the preschooler has failed many times first. Letting our students try, and fail, and succeed helps them learn resiliency.

Fosters Creativity: When you set students down in front of a table filled with fun objects they have never used before, you are pushing them to come up with new ways to use each thing! Tinkering and making lets a preschooler grow their imagination.

FUN!: The best part about letting preschoolers create? It is fun! Think about what happens when you give a two year old a box, how many hours can they spend imagining in it? Children are naturally curious and excited about the world around them, so let them have fun!

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