

Root Vegetables Activities and Resources

Here are some activities you can implement in your classrooms that connect to the Georgia Early Learning and Development Standards (GELDS).

<u>Harvest for Healthy Kids</u> has free resources that includes activity plans, picture cards, newsletters, and recipes.

Artsy Momma has over 12 carrot crafts and art projects for kids.

<u>Scholastic</u> has lesson plans to teach children about carrots!

Find root vegetable activities at Play Ideas.

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Carrot Rip Art

PDM6: The child will demonstrate fine motor skills.

CD-CR2: The child will create and explore visual art forms to develop artistic expression.

Supplies: Orange and green paper, scissors and large white paper.

Step 1: Read *Carrot Soup* by John Segall. Children will learn that carrots grow underground and the leaves grow above ground.

Step 2: Trace the child's hand and cut out. This will be the carrot top.

Step 3: Start ripping orange paper into small pieces.

Step 4: Cut out the carrot. Glue the pieces on the sheet. Have the children overlap the pieces too.

Step 5: Glue handprint for greenery on carrot.

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