

Fine Motor

The fine Motor section focuses on skills in eye-hand coordination, which involves reaching grasping and manipulating objects. A sequence of fine sensorimotor behaviors using cubes, scissors, clay, puzzles and toys is included.

1 year	1. Beats 2 spoons together
	2. Places 1 cube in cup
18 months	3. Builds tower of 3-4 cubes
22 months	4. Completes 3-piece formboard
2 years	5. Pounds, squeezes and pulls clay
	6. Unscrews lid of bottle
	7. Turns pages of book singly
27 months	8. Turns handle of egg beater
30 months	9. Folds and creases paper
3 years	10. Builds tower of 10 cubes
	11. Imitates building "bridge" with cubes
	12. Closes fist and wiggles thumb, right and left
	13. Stirs liquid with spoon
	14. Puts 6 pegs in pegboard
	15. Picks up small object with tongs
	16. Adapts to formboard reversal
	17. Strings 1" wooden beads
	18. Cuts paper with scissors
	19. Folds and creases paper horizontally and vertically
42 months	20. Makes flat round "cake" out of clay
	21. Rolls "snake" from clay
	22. Makes ball out of clay
	23. Strings ½" wooden beads
	24. Winds up toy
4 years	25. Spreads fingers on 1 hand and brings thumb into opposition with each finger in turn
	26. Places small objects into bottle
	27. Folds and creases paper horizontally, vertically, and diagonally
	28. Completes 3-Piece puzzle
	29. Imitates building "gate" with cubes
	30. Cuts line with scissors
54 months	31. Puts paper clip on papers
	32. Uses pencil sharpener
5 years	33. Crumples tissue paper into ball with 1 hand
	34. Makes recognizable objects out of clay
	35. Winds thread on wooden spool
	36. Cuts square with scissors
	37. Inserts prefolded material into envelope
	38. Inserts paper in ring binder
	39. Ties knot
6 years	40. Scrapes carrot with food scraper/skin carrot
	41. Cuts out magazine picture
	42. Opens pop bottle with pry opener