# INTEGRATED MOVEMENT APPROACH



This approach integrates movement with all aspects of a preschooler's life by incorporating strategies such as **Active Navigation Routes**, **Active Play Corners**, **Brain Breaks** and **Integrated Learning**.

## INTEGRATED LEARNING

Integrated lesson plans, as a movement strategy, incorporate literacy or numeracy skills into the preschoolers' gross motor experiences. Below is an example of an integrated lesson plan.



#### FIREMAN



To get preschoolers to do the following:

- Develop their fine and gross motor skills.
- Learn about numbers in a fun and exciting way.

# HOW TO PLAY:

- 1. Preschooler will walk across the marking cones in a zig-zag manner.
- 2. They will then try to balance while walking on the balance beams.
- 3. After that, they will bend over on their hands and knees to crawl through the tunnel.
- 4. Lastly, they will throw the bean bags or use the water squirter to shoot water towards the fire according to the number word/ numeral (1-5).

### MATERIALS NEEDED:

Bean Bags/ Water squirter, Printed pictures of fire with numeral/number words, Tunnel, Balance beams, Marking cones and iPad

Learn more about other movement strategies here.