CONVERSATION STARTERS

DISCOVERING

together



"I notice

you colored the sky green."

Acknowledges something without judgment.



"I wonder

how we could make the car move slower."

Shows curiosity and a desire to learn more.



"Tell me more

about your design."

Encourages a child to express their ideas.







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CONVERSATION STARTERS

READING

together

"Why do you think

the character did that?"

Encourages children to explain their ideas.



"How would you feel

if you were in that situation?"

Helps build empathy.

"What do you think will happen next?"

Prompts children to make predictions.







CONVERSATION STARTERS

PLAYING

together

"What's the same/different

about these two dolls?"

Asks children to compare and contrast.





"Can you find a way

to make the base of your tower stronger?"

Challenges children to improve their work.

"How can we work together?"

Encourages collaboration.









CONVERSATION STARTERS

EXPLORING

together



"What do you notice

about the leaf?"

Prompts children to observe closely.



"What would happen if

we didn't use any tape next time?"

Encourages children to consider different approaches.

"How could we find out more

about trains?"

Asks children to seek out new information.









CONVERSATION STARTERS

REFLECTING

together



"What was easy/hard

about putting that puzzle together?"

Asks children to evaluate their skills.



"What are you most proud of?"

Focuses attention on emotions.



"What would you try differently

next time?"

Encourages children to consider different approaches.





