



# Three Delightful Dr. Seuss Activities for Preschoolers

## **Required Materials:**

- Green Eggs and Ham (Item # 9600)
- ABCs (Item # 9587)
- One Fish Two Fish Red Fish Blue Fish (Item # 98951)
- 12 Plastic Green Eggs
- Egg Carton
- Construction Paper (Blue) (Item # 13337-BL)
- Pompoms (Item # 88909)
- Easy-Grip Tweezers (Item # 91081)
- Baking Pan
- Shaving Cream
- Red Food Dye (optional)

### Green Eggs Match-Up

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This exciting matching game celebrates the Dr. Seuss classic, *Green Eggs and Ham*. Children can match the egg halves, identify and count the numbers, and develop fine motor skills by pulling apart and reconnecting the eggs. Counting and matching have never been so fun!

- 1. Add matching numbers, shapes, or stickers to both the top and bottom pieces of a green plastic egg.
- 2. Separate eggs and scatter across the table.
- **3.** Encourage the child to match the egg shells together and place back into the carton.

#### **Fish Sorting**

The timeless counting and rhyming book One Fish Two Fish Red Fish Blue Fish comes to life with this fish sorting game. Cut out paper "pond" shapes for students to place pompom "fish" into each pond using Easy-Grip Tweezers. This easy to make, no mess activity encourages fine motor development, sorting skills, and color recognition.

- **1.** Create "fishing ponds" out of blue construction paper and place on the table.
- 2. Provide a variety of colored pom poms to serve as your "fish."
- **3.** Using fingers or tweezers, have the child sort the fish into the ponds by color while counting.

### **ABCs In Cream**

For a fun-filled *ABCs* themed activity, have children draw and write letters, words, and shapes in the creamy canvas. This is a fantastic activity is wonderful for encouraging pre-writing skills and alphabet awareness in children.

**1.** Spray half a can of shaving cream (not gel) onto a baking tray and add a few drops of red food coloring (optional).

- 2. Have the child mix the color into the shaving cream and smooth it down to create a writing surface.
- 3. Call out letters, numbers, and shapes for the child to draw into the cream.





