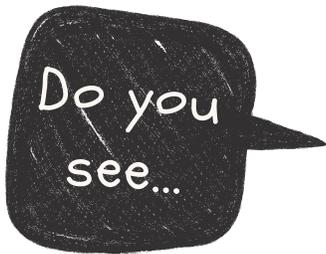


Family Explore: **LINE**

Exploring lines with children



Thick Lines



Thin Lines



Circular Lines



Curved Lines



Diagonal Lines



Parallel Lines



Letter Lines



Helping Children Notice & Explore LINE

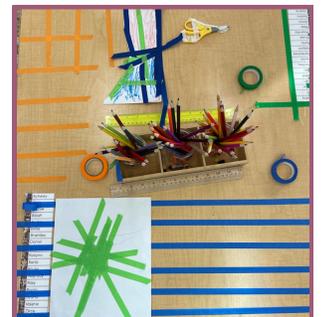
When children explore and follow their interests, they are growing their **Focused Attention**. Focused attention will help children learn from their teachers in school.

Noticing and talking about lines with children will help them notice that letters are made of lines as they begin to learn to read. Talk about the kinds of lines you see (*curvy, straight, thick, thin*).

When you use words to describe lines, you are helping your child learn more words. Research shows that children with larger **Vocabularies** (more words to describe the world) are more successful in school.

Say things like ...

- *You found a ... big circle, curvy path, long stick.*
- *I see you made a squiggly line, a thick blue line, a lot of pointy angles.*
- *Look! You built a road that looks like an S.*



What lines will you create?