

Permanence Boxes

Montessori Toddler :

Presentation

When ?

Child can sit up alone :
8-12 months

Why ?

Develop sense of permanence :
the non visibility of an object
is not permanent

Benefits

concentration by repetition
patience, fine motor skills
hand-eye coordination

Presentation



Place the object with your child in front of him/her.



Sit in front of your child



Name the box and the ball by saying it



Place the ball in the hole to show your child



Show happiness and smile when you pick up the ball, from the tray or the drawer



Repeat the action



Invite your child to place the ball in the hole



Slowly and quietly move aside when your child start playing properly, independently



When child finish playing, invite him/her to put the material away, accessible in case
your child want to play again

"Teaching by teaching, not
by correcting"

Maria Montessori