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Monkey See, Monkey Do! 25 min

Objective:
Preschool story time w/puppet theme for Summer Reading Club

Big Idea:
Repetition and imitation lead to learning

1. Warm Up / Anticipatory

Sing-along- see https://jbrary.com/ YouTube channel for demonstration:

_Funky Spunky Monkey climbed up the coconut tree_
_Down came the coconut and bonked him on his knee_
_Along came his mama and kissed away his pain_
_So the funky spunky monkey climbed up the tree again._

Resources
- Funky Spunky Monkey https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YMfj1xELL9c

2. Investigation and New Learning 20 min

Read - Spunky Little Monkey by Bill Martin and Michael Sampson with illustration by Brian Won
Additional books for Monkey themed story times

3. Review & Check for Understanding 30 min

Craft a monkey paper bag puppet

Note: Note from Michael Sampson: Daily exercise is very important. Not only does it make your arms, legs, lungs and heart stronger; it also stimulates brain function and gets little monkeys everywhere ready to learn!