CURRICULUM MODIFICATIONS:

A small change to ongoing classroom activities or materials to increase a child's participation

Activity simplification is one of the eight types of curriculum modifications.

ACTIVITY SIMPLIFICATION

Simplify a complicated task by breaking it down into smaller parts or reducing the number of steps.

CHANGE THE STEPS

1. **Teacher** opens bag.

2. ***Child*** *takes bread out of bag.*

3. ***Child*** *puts bread in toaster.*

4. **Teacher** closes bag.

5. **Teacher** takes toast out of toaster.

6. ***Child*** *spreads butter on toast.*

REDUCE THE NUMBER OF STEPS

1. ***Child*** *opens bag.*

2. ***Child*** *takes bread out of bag.*

3. **Teacher** puts bread in toaster.

4. **Teacher** closes bag.

5. **Teacher** takes toast out of toaster.

6. **Teacher** spreads butter on toast.

FINISH WITH SUCCESS

1. **Teacher** opens bag.

2. **Teacher** takes bread out of bag.

3. **Teacher** puts bread in toaster.

4. **Teacher** closes bag.

5. **Teacher** takes toast out of toaster.

6. ***Child*** *spreads butter on toast.*

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