

# 15 Fun Water Activities for Preschoolers

Preschoolers love water. Give them a tub of water and a cup and they will fill and pour water over and over again. So why not add on to this with some fun hands-on learning? I've put together **15 fun water activities for preschoolers**. Activities that allow them to:

- Feel
- Squeeze
- Pour
- Poke
- Explore

These activities can be done year round, in the classroom or at home. With one child or many children.

And they are easy. We like that!



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[Color Sorting](#): This activity not only builds color recognition skills, but fine motor, too!

[Water Squeezing](#): Have you ever used turkey basters in your water table? This is a favorite with our preschoolers! (Our

toddlers love it, too.)

[Transferring Water:](#) Once young children can master turkey basters, they are ready for pipettes. This fine motor activity is also nice for calming down energetic children.

[Washing with Water:](#) Add small sponges to soapy water, along with some favorite toys to wash. In this particular activity, we used our collection of rubber ducks.



[Kitchen Water Xylophone:](#) Fill jars with various amounts of water and notice how different they sound. (Sugar, Spice and Glitter)

[Leak-Proof Bag:](#) Stick pencils through a plastic bag filled with water and it won't leak! (Paging Fun Mums)

[Keeping Paper Dry Science Activity:](#) This water science idea will be like magic to preschoolers! (Pleasantest Thing)

[Soapy Sea Foam Sensory Play:](#) The colors in this activity are beautiful! Just add shells and ocean animals and pretend you are at the ocean. (Two-Daloo)



[Pool Noodle Boat Fun:](#) What a fun idea to use cut pieces of pool noodles as boats for the water table! (FSPDT)

[Floating Chalk Prints:](#) Wonder what happens when you shave colored chalk and add it to a pan of water? And then place a piece of paper on top? Try this activity and find out! (Picklebums)

[Water Wall:](#) You can make a homemade water wall for the backyard that your children will love! (Little Bins for Little Hands)



[Bottle Caps and Water:](#) Fill caps with water using pipettes. Another fun way to work on those fine motor skills! (Fantastic Fun and Learning)

[Sink or Float:](#) Collect items from nature and see which ones sink and float. (Laughing Kids Learn)

[Experiment with the Changing Shape of Water:](#) Find out what happens when water is poured into different shaped containers. (Stir the Wonder)

[How Many Drops of Water Fit on One Penny:](#) This activity will add some fun STEM into your day! (Our Whimsical Days)



**What are your preschooler's favorite water activities?**



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