



Expectations of a kindergarten child

Help your child to do things for themselves:

Independence

- dress and undress themselves independently (clothes, buttons, buckles, zippers)
- blow their nose (use of paper handkerchiefs)
- go to the toilet by themselves (wipe, rinse, wash and dry hands)
- accept and follow rules
- carry out verbal orders when spoken to directly
- separate from parents for several hours



Social contacts

- has contact with other children
- plays with children of the same age (playgroup, playground)
- can stay in a game, alone or with others
- knows the most important rules of courtesy: greetings, thank you, please, eye contact
- is curious and open to new things



Language

- can say his or her name and feels addressed when called upon
- has a knowledge of Swiss German or German



Experiences and mobility

- has had experiences with sand, with water, in the forest, off-road, climbing, climbing stairs, balancing on a wall
- helping at home, tidying up, cooking, handicrafts, cleaning
- has had first experiences using scissors, glue, modelling clay, building materials, games, books and pencils
- tidies up their own things



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