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Five big dump trucks rolling down the road. Five big dump trucks rolling down the road. One pulls out to unload. Four big dump trucks rolling down the road, etc.

(Count down to "Zero big dump trucks," ending with "No more dump trucks rolling down the road!")

Construction Vehicles

Roads and buildings around town are always getting worked on or updated! This gives you and your child a great opportunity to observe this important activity in action. As you observe, talk about the different construction vehicles you see and what they each do. There may even be some vehicles working in your neighborhood!

- Check out books about construction vehicles and talk about the vehicles as you read together.
- Take the time to stop and observe construction near your home, talking about the various machines you see and the jobs they do. Go outside and do your own construction in the soil! Use trucks, buckets, large spoons or whatever you already have at your house.
- If you are playing inside, use blocks, pillows, or cardboard boxes to construct buildings together. Talk about the shapes you are using and the shapes you create as you build.
- Go to a local park and build with other families you may meet there. The Tot Lot in Fircrest is a wonderful park for very young children. It's fully fenced and has a sandbox full of trucks! cityoffircrest.net/government/parks-and-recreation/parks

More Books

Ideas

- Goodnight, Goodnight, Construction Site by Sherri Duskey Rinker
- I'm Dirty! by Kate McMullan
 - Little Excavator by Anna Dewdney
 - Machines at Work by Byron Barton
 - Vroom, Vroom Trucks by Karen Katz



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