



# Relational Concepts Busy Book

The TASK: You are an education consultant. Your job is to help children grow cognitively, helping them to grasp Jean Piaget’s relational concepts.

The DETAILS: You and your team will be creating a busy book for children who are in the pre-operational stage of Piaget’s theory of cognitive development. The busy book needs to include the following:

- Hands-on activities for either 2-4 year olds, 3-5 year olds or 5-7 year old children (activities need to be re-doable, not once and done)
- Include at least 5 activities, each focusing on a different relational concept
- Be secure in construction as it will be played with by young children
- Include color and creativity in design as well as activities
- Include a cover and title page
- Include a written paragraph (5 sentences minimum) for each activity explaining what relational concept the activity represents and what children will learn from doing it

Use the blank paper to sketch out your ideas for the book and briefly fill in the chart below to help you keep track of ideas and objectives. However, before you begin brainstorming, your team must make a few decisions:

- Will your activity book be constructed from felt or construction paper? Circle one.
- Which age group will your activity book be geared toward?  
Ages 2-4, 3-5 or Ages 5-7? Circle one.
- What will be the title of your book?

Activity	Relational Concept	What Child Will Learn

## Rubric

### Relational Concepts Activity Book

Criteria	Yes	No	Points
Cover Page with Title—5 pts.			
5 Different Relational Concepts Activities Included—25 pts.			
Neat & Secure Construction of Pages & Activities—10 pts.			
Written Paragraphs for Each Activity—25 pts.			
Activities=Age Appropriate—10 pts.			10
Total Points--75			

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