



Symbol Sightings

Symbols are everywhere! Common symbols include signs or logos with shapes and letters. Go on a symbol hunt by looking for symbols in the classroom, outside, or throughout your program. Encourage children to share what they think each symbol means and other places they've seen it. Explain new or unfamiliar symbols. To support children with visual impairments, provide descriptions of colors, shapes, or sizes, and/or allow children to touch signs/symbols when appropriate.

More Support: Identify signs and symbols for children and prompt them to consider what they mean. Narrate the meaning of symbols for children.

Label Symbols

“Look at that one! I see a red circle with a line through it on the picture of a dog. That means dogs are not allowed in that area.”