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Exploring and questioning; finding ideas and things fascinating.

Curious people are excited by life and learning. They are eager to explore something new. They are intrigued by how things work. Curious people aren't quick to judge, they expect something interesting to reveal itself; they expect not to know all of the answers and are stimulated by the chance to discover. Curious people actively listen to others.

Curious children are interested in a wide range of topics, experiences, or people. They are never bored because their lively minds are actively engaged in experiences. They ask and answer questions to deepen understanding.



You can help children develop curiosity by modeling curiosity in your talk and in your actions. Ask aloud questions that can't be answered right away; that require **investigation and research**. Try new moves on the playground, at the beach or park. You can help children learn that they can use their curious energy to be **creative problem solvers** and inventors-in the **kitchen, science lab, library, or art room**. You can celebrate children's curiosity when they ask questions and **conduct investigations** with zest by joining them in the **process of wonder and inquiry**. Curious children are on the quest to discover more about themselves and their world!



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zest for learning and discovery.
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