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Week of 27 January 2025

Practical Life Homework
Care of the Environment: Sweeping

Instructions:

1. Bring a child friendly broom and dustpan to an area that needs sweeping.
2. Hold the broom with your dominant hand near the middle of the broomstick and your subdominant hand towards the top of the broomstick.
3. Using short gently strokes, move the broom across the floor to sweep the debris into one area of the room.
4. Once all the debris is in one pile on the floor, collect the dustpan.
5. Crouching down, hold the dustpan with your subdominant hand and use your dominant hand to slowly sweep the debris into the dustpan.
6. Carefully lift the dustpan to check if any debris landed underneath the dustpan.
7. Carefully empty the contents of the dustpan into a garbage bin.
8. Return the broom and dustpan to their proper location.
9. Wash your hands thoroughly.



If you would like to send in a 3x5 photo of your child performing this task, we will be happy to post it on our Community at Work bulletin board. Seeing themselves on the board gives our students a greater sense of pride and encourages independence.