

## Tot Learning Center Activities for April 6-10

### The Very Hungry Caterpillar

#### Reading

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=75NQK-Sm1YY>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vkYmvxPOAJI>

If you have the book at home, try some guided reading with your child. Your child can point out words they know, let them retell the story without words, or draw the story as they remember. This is also a great opportunity to learn about metamorphosis of caterpillars to butterflies.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TvmQiWpgX5c>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=V5RSpMQQOpw>

#### Art

Make the very hungry caterpillar out of an egg carton

Paint/draw the hungry caterpillar and his days of meals

Make the caterpillar out of paper plates (color or paint plates)

Paint or draw a butterfly. Butterflies wings are symmetrical, this can be reflected in the art.

#### Learning

Review and write down the days of the week in order from the book

Find as many foods in your house as you see in the book, arrange them in order according to the book

Sort the foods by healthy/unhealthy

Cut out circles, write either numbers or letters on them, have your child put them in order.

Assemble them into a caterpillar at the end with a face, legs, etc.

Weather permitting, take a nature walk looking for caterpillars or butterflies outside. Draw what you see, or make it a journal entry.

You or your child draw (or print if you can) pictures of caterpillars in their various stages of growth and transformation, and put them in order.

These are just general ideas, and can always be modified. As always, google is an excellent resource, especially when you're home with limited supplies.