# Changes to Learning Areas

## Current topic or theme: Chicka Chicka Boom Boom

### House/Dramatic Play
- palm tree prop with Velcro letters
- coconut tree hats
- fake coconuts

### Blocks
- Blow-up palm tree
- Giant foam letters

### Toys/Puzzles/Math
- Letter cubes
- Lacing letters
- Alphabet floor puzzles
- Alphabet matching puzzle
- Alphabet interlocking cubes

### Art
- Letter stencils
- Foam letter sponges
- Letter stamps w/ stamp pads
- Letter stickers
- Magazines
- Musical instrument supplies
  - Empty 20 oz. drink bottles, rice, beans, alphabet noodles, beads

### Books
- Miss Spider's ABC, ABC For You and Me
- Chicka Chicka Boom Boom, Dr. Seuss's ABC
- Alphabatics, Alphabet City
- Eating the Alphabet
- Kipper's A to Z
- Flora McDonnell's ABC
- ABC Kids
- Into the A, B, Sea
- ABC T-Rex

### Listening
- Ray Charles tape w/ Chicka Chicka Boom Boom Book

### Computer
- Chicka Chicka Boom Boom CD ROM

### Science
- Real coconuts
- Pictures of coconut trees

### Flannel Board
- Flannel letters
- Flannel palm tree

### Sensory Table
- Plastic blow-up palm tree
- Foam or plastic letters
- Alphabet sand molds

### Cooking Experience
- Celery stalks
- Peanut butter
- Alphabet cereal

### Writing
- Magnetic letters
- Palm tree on magnetic surface
- Coconut letter matching game
- Alphabet stickers
- Uppercase/lowercase letter matching game
- Vocabulary word cards from Chicka Chicka Boom Boom story

### Other
- Family Project - letter decorating
- Group project - class coconut tree

### Outside
- Sidewalk chalk
- Alphabet literacy bag