ACTIVITY PLAN 2 – CREEPING ON TUMMY

Aim

To learn to move on the floor

Age

5-6 months

Equipment

Appropriate floor space and a variety of toys with different colours, textures and sizes

Area required

Indoor floor space

Time

5-10 minutes

How?

Position babies on their tummies on the floor (away from mobile children to keep them safe). Place toys a short distance away from the babies for them to move towards.

Key points

Not all babies will learn to creep on their tummy. If babies do not start to
move on the floor in this manner by themselves, they need to be encouraged
to develop this skill. Crawling is a key component of development.