

PDI CODING INSTRUCTIONS

5-Minute CDI & 2-Minute PDI Instructions

Let the parent know that you are going to watch and code for the next 5 minutes to see how things are going, then you are going to give them another task and watch for 2 more minutes.

Then say:

"Tell [CHILD'S NAME] that it is Special Time and [HE/SHE] can play with any of the toys. Use all the CDI skills you've been practicing while you follow along with [HIS/HER] play."

After 5 minutes, say:

"Now we are going to switch to PDI. Choose any activity and get [CHILD'S NAME] to follow your rules. Remember to use direct commands and follow through with a labeled praise or warning. Use CDI skills in between commands."