Using Tools with Toddlers

**Get to know your tools** Spend time exploring the shape and weight of the tools you’re learning to use. Work with your learner to think about what these tools might be used for. Practice holding your tool correctly, and find a natural position that feels comfortable.

**Simple Practice** Rap, tap, and thwack without worrying about a product. Instead, take time to build hand eye coordination and refine your motor skills.

**Simple Construction** Apply your new skill and create a project of your very own. Don’t get frustrated during this process—problem solve!

**Refine** As you practice your new skill you will grow in both confidence and ability.
SCREWDRIVER

- handle
- shank
- tip or head

SCREW

- drive
- head
- threads
- tip
HAND DRILL

- main handle
- pinion
- drive wheel
- chuck
- turning handle
- jaw

DRILL BIT

- shank
- flutes
- land
- point