Open and Close a Drawer Safely

Toddler readiness-Grade 1 | Practical life | Safety routine | Color

Learner: _____ Date: _____

Practice only with a grown-up and an empty, easy drawer. Point to, act out, or follow each step. A helper may control the drawer while the learner chooses the next action.

1 **CLEAR THE FLOOR**

2 **HOLD THE HANDLE**

3 **PULL A LITTLE**

4 **KEEP FINGERS CLEAR**

5 **PUSH SLOWLY**

6 **CHECK IT IS CLOSED**

Grown-up check: Suggested order shown. Use only a light, stable drawer with an adult controlling the motion. Never climb, hang on, or reach into unsafe drawers.

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