**Handout A-2**

**Environments**

**Picture 1**



Credit: NAEYC.org

**Picture 2**

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Credit: Vancouver Montessori

**Picture 3**

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Credit: Allkidsfirstnj.com

**Picture 4**

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Credit: beautifulsavior-gc.net

**Picture 5**

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Source: teachthemdiligently.net

**Picture 6**

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Credit: childcarecenter.us

**Picture 7**

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Source: Small Wonders Family Child Care

**Picture 8**

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Source: Harris Family Child Care

**Handout A-3**

Looking at Safe, Appropriate Environments

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**Using the photos on Handout\_, answer the following questions:**

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