

November 2024 Newsletter

LearningMadeFunWithMaestraCasiano.com is not just an online store
... it is a dynamic learning hub for kids of all ages!



Maestra Casiano's mission is to help extend learning beyond the walls of the classroom & foster a life-long love of learning!

Using years of experience as a multicultural facilitator & teacher, Maestra Casiano has created a fun, free online learning hub for kids of all ages! You can find many funtastic family learning opportunities including:

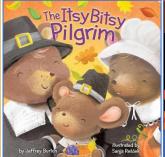
- Kid-friendly recipes
- Videos & music
- Holiday printable activities
- Read-aloud stories & book lists
- STEAM projects
- Daily activity suggestions
- Movie night suggestions

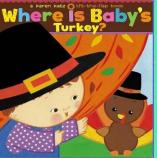


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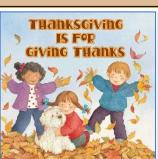


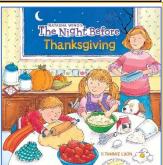
Visit the **Learning Made Fun with Maestra Casiano's** Online store & Learning Hub to find holiday books galore with many kids' books for under \$5! You can also find games, educational resources, family activities, printables, plush toys & more – featuring - Squishmallows, Disney, Hello Kitty, Nightmare Before Christmas & more!

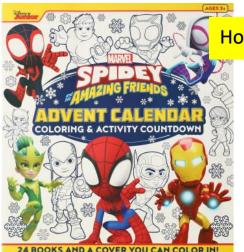




Books Under \$5



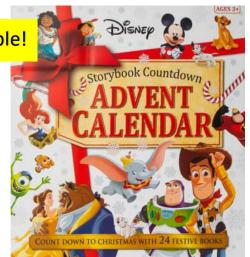




Holiday **Layaway Plans** Available!

Storybook
Advent
Calendars
(Holiday Countdown)

\$9.99









TIP #6 Provide Hands-On Opportunities for Learning

Help your child to appreciate that learning can happen *any*where & at *any*time. Often, children develop ideas that learning only takes place in a classroom & that learning only takes place when an academic textbook or worksheet is involved. These are unfortunate & debilitating misconceptions of what learning is & how learning occurs. As a parent, you have the powerful potential of correcting these misconceptions & bringing learning to life!



Applying academic concepts, principles, & knowledge to real-world, every day life can help children to move information from working memory into long-term memory for longer retention of that knowledge. It helps kids understand that the knowledge they are being presented has a purposeful, meaningful role in life which also helps to connect new information to preexisting information which can make it easier for a person to retrieve stored information from memory.

Encourage your child to seek out opportunities to apply & explore concepts in the real world. For example, if a child is learning about "perimeter" & "area", ask your child to explore measurements at home. Ask your child to make predictions about the size of the home, which rooms are bigger than others. Then, ask about painting a room to apply "area" to the exploration. If you wanted to paint a room, you would need to know the surface area of the walls. That would help you determine how much paint to buy. What about planting flowers right up against & around the house? That would help you to apply the concept of "perimeter". How many flowers would you need to buy if you plant one flower every 6 inches? What about exploring "volume"? Ask if you were going to try to fill your house with helium to try to make it float like in the movie "Up," what volume of space would you need to cover with helium balloons in each room?

Who says learning can't be fun?



LearningMadeFunWithMaestraCasiano.com

is the one stop shop for engaging learning materials; fun, family activities; interactive books; novelty gift ideas & **FUN**-tastic resources for curious minds of all ages!

