

THREE AND FOUR YEAR OLD UNIT THEMES

AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER																								
<p>Back to School</p> <p>School Rules All About Me Five Senses Friends and Family Learning is Fun (ABC's, 1, 2, 3) Letter Recognition: First letter in the child's name Number Recognition: 1, 2 Color: Blue Shape: Imitate "V" Stroke Emotion: Scared Opposites: Fast/Slow Special Event: School Rules and Routines Words of the Month: the, and B-ROW Lessons 1 & 2 Lesson 1-Thank You Lesson 2-I'm Sorry *Review established rules daily</p>	<p>Community Helpers</p> <p>Doctors Police Officers Firefighters Teachers Farmers Letter/Number Recognition: J, N, Q, W, 1, 2 Color: Black Shape: Square Emotion: Excited Opposites: In/Out Special Events: Grandparent's Day Words of the Month: are, he B-ROW Lessons: 3 & 4 Lesson 3-Honor and Respect Lesson 4-Cooperation and Fairness</p>	<p>Fall is Coming</p> <p>Fall/Autumn Down on the Farm Fall Harvest (Fall Fruits and Vegetables) The Colors of Fall Letter/Number Recognition: A, B, T, C, 3, 4 Color: Brown Shape: Circle Emotion: Sad Nutritious Activity: Roasting Pumpkin Seeds Opposites: Front/Back Special Events: Columbus Day, School Rules and Routines, Fire Prevention Month Words of the Month: to, see B-ROW Lessons: 5 & 6 Lesson 5-Compassion Lesson 6-Honesty</p>	<p>We Are Thankful</p> <p>Sharing and Helping Others Food We Eat (7 Food Groups) Thanksgiving Hanukkah Letter/Number Recognition: S, X, Z, O, F, P, 5, 6 Color: Red Emotion: Happy Nutritious Activity: Applesauce Opposites: Above/Below Shape: Star Special Events: Native Americans Heritage Month, Veterans Day, Thanksgiving Words of the Month: like, me B-ROW Lessons: 7 & 8 Lesson 7-Honesty Lesson 8-Organization</p>																								
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<p>Cultural Celebrations Around the World</p> <p>Christmas Kwanzaa New Year's Eve Letter/Number Recognition: F, H, S, J, 6, 7 Color: Green Shape: Rectangle Emotion: Surprised Nutritious Activity: Smoothie w/fruit Words of the Month: For, At Opposites: Big/Little, Special Events: Christmas, Hanukkah, New Year's Eve B-ROW Lesson: 9 Lesson 9-Punctuality</p>	<p>Winter is Here</p> <p>Things to Read Winter Let it Snow! Winter Animals Winter Where I Live Letter/Number Recognition: E, C, D, N, V, 78 Color: Orange Emotion: Calm Nutritious Activity: Ice Cream in a Bag Shape: Triangle Opposites: Loud/Quiet, Left/Right Special Events: Dr. King's Birthday Words of the Month: it, you B-ROW Lessons: 10-11 Lesson 10-Patience Lesson 11-Cheerfulness</p>	<p>Black History Month</p> <p>Black History Famous Black Inventors Famous Black Athletes Famous Black Musicians Letter/Number Recognition: V, P, K, 8, 9, G Color: Pink Emotion: Unhappy Shape: Heart Opposites: Fewer than/More than Special Events: Valentine's Day, President's Day, Famous People Nutritious Activity: Bananas Words of the Month: she, can B-ROW Lessons: 12 & 13 Lesson 12-Citizenship Lesson 13-Courage</p>	<p>Spring is Coming</p> <p>Dr. Seuss Celebrating Reading Spring What Goes Up Colors of the Rainbow Letter/Number Recognition: Y, R, T, K, 9, 10 Color: Purple Shape: Oval Emotion: Angry Opposites: Soft/Hard, Push/Pull Special Events: National Nutrition Week, St. Patrick's Day Nutritious Activity: Green Eggs & Ham Words of the Month: go, is B-ROW Lessons: 14 & 15 Lesson 14-Respect for Teacher Lesson 15-Sportsmanship</p>																								
APRIL	MAY	<p>*All ingredients will be supplied by the kitchen staff * Keep in mind of the students with food allergies</p> <p>This is a guide; however, if children are ready to explore other areas, go for it! HAPPY LEARNING!</p> <p>Introduce one nursery rhyme per week. Remember to read several books daily to children in addition to your literacy field trips.</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th></th> <th colspan="5">CENTRAL DOMAINS</th> </tr> <tr> <th></th> <th>APPROACHES TO LEARNING</th> <th>SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL DEVELOPMENT</th> <th>LANGUAGE AND LITERACY</th> <th>COGNITION</th> <th>PERCEPTUAL, MOTOR, AND PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <th>▲ INFANT/TODDLER DOMAINS</th> <td>Approaches to Learning</td> <td>Social and Emotional Development</td> <td>Language and Communication</td> <td>Cognition</td> <td>Perceptual, Motor, and Physical Development</td> </tr> <tr> <th>● PRESCHOOLER DOMAINS</th> <td>Approaches to Learning</td> <td>Social and Emotional Development</td> <td>Language and Communication Literacy</td> <td>Mathematics Development Scientific Reasoning</td> <td>Perceptual, Motor, and Physical Development</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>			CENTRAL DOMAINS						APPROACHES TO LEARNING	SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL DEVELOPMENT	LANGUAGE AND LITERACY	COGNITION	PERCEPTUAL, MOTOR, AND PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT	▲ INFANT/TODDLER DOMAINS	Approaches to Learning	Social and Emotional Development	Language and Communication	Cognition	Perceptual, Motor, and Physical Development	● PRESCHOOLER DOMAINS	Approaches to Learning	Social and Emotional Development	Language and Communication Literacy	Mathematics Development Scientific Reasoning	Perceptual, Motor, and Physical Development
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<p>Spring Has Sprung</p> <p>Caring for Earth Come Into the Garden Birds Creepy Crawlers Vacation Letter/Number Recognition: M, Z, U, R, 10, 11 Color: Yellow Shape: Diamond Emotions: Review All Emotions Opposites: Longest/Shortest Nutritious Activity: Creepy Crawlers Words of the Month: my, came B-ROW Lessons: 16 & 17 Lesson 16-Self-Control Lesson 17-Loyalty</p>	<p>Animals</p> <p>Jungle Animals Rain Forest Zoo Animals Pets Letter/Number Recognition: I, W, L, M, 11, 12 Color: Review All Colors Shape: Review All Shapes Emotions: Review all emotions Opposites: Wet/Dry Special Events: Memorial Day, Mother's Day, Cinco de Mayo Nutritious Activity: Cheese Wraps w/ Salsa Words of the Month: this, play B-ROW Lesson: 18 Lesson 18-Respect for the Environment</p>																										