

# **Studio Monthly Themes**

- September

- Big balls with parachute
- Goals for spot markers
- Blue pom poms for ceiling hangs
- Foundations
  - Week 1: Dancing with my buddy; parachute
  - Week 2: Dancing with my buddy; bubbles
  - Week 3: Princess & Pirates; obstacle course
  - Week 4: Unicorns & Dragons; costumes
- Be the Light: GOALS
  - Week 1: Pass out journals; think about goals for class
  - Week 2: Goal setting pages & worksheets
  - Week 3: SMART goals
  - Week 4: Goal check in

- October

- Pumpkins with parachute
- Pumpkins for spot markers
- Pumpkins & Spiders for ceiling hangs
- Foundations
  - Week 1: Dinosaurs; parachute
  - Week 2: PP WEEK FOR COMBO; Under the Sea; bubbles
  - Week 3: Superhero; obstacle course
  - Week 4: Halloween/COSTUME WEEK-put \$1 in pumpkin to dress up
- Be the Light: TERMINOLOGY
  - Week 1: Worksheets/Journal
  - Week 2: PP WEEK; See it/say it/do it
  - Week 3: Game with prize
    - Freeze dance with name on board & prize
    - Spelling Bee/Showing Bee
    - Written quiz

- Week 4: COSTUME WEEK-put \$1 in pumpkin to dress up
- November
  - Leaves with parachute
  - Leaves or turkeys for spot markers
  - Leaf bouquets for ceiling hangings
  - Foundations
    - Week 1: Animals; parachute & bubbles
    - Week 2: Princess & Pirates; obstacle course
    - Week 3: Turkey dances/Thanksgiving Fun & Playlists
    - Week 4: CLOSED
  - Be the Light: History
    - Week 1: About the style
    - Week 2: Famous choreographers
    - Week 3: Famous dancers; Thanksgiving/Turkey dances
    - Week 4: CLOSED
- December
  - Christmas bows with parachute
  - Christmas characters for spot markers
  - Christmas balls for ceiling hangs
  - Foundations
    - Week 1: Dancing with my buddy (audience); parachute
    - Week 2: Unicorns & Dragons; bubbles & obstacle course
    - Week 3: Christmas Celebration: watch dances & do all the fun things
    - Week 4: CLOSED
  - Be the Light: GAMES
    - Week 1: Choreography Games
    - Week 2: Dance/bonding games
      - Dance telephone
    - Week 3: Christmas Celebration: watch dances & do all the fun things

- Week 4: CLOSED

- January

- Ping pong balls with parachute
- Snowflakes for spot markers
- Snowflakes for ceiling hangs
- Foundations
  - Week 1: PJ week; Frozen theme; Snowball fights
  - Week 2: Recital Book & music reveal; Under the Sea; bubbles
  - Week 3: Recital Dances Start; Superheroes; obstacle course
  - Week 4: Princess & Pirates; costumes
- Be the Light: GOALS
  - Week 1: Review goals from September; compare; did you follow steps
  - Week 2: Recital Book & music reveal; Journal music; Update goals
  - Week 3: Recital dances start; Set steps
  - Week 4: Goal Check In

- February

- Hearts with parachute
- Hearts for spot markers
- Hearts for ceiling hangs
- Foundations
  - Week 1: Dinosaur; parachute
  - Week 2: Animals; bubbles
  - Week 3: LOVE week: love playlists, hand out candy grams
  - Week 4: COSTUME WEEK
- Be the Light: TERMINOLOGY
  - Week 1: Write it; worksheets; focus on terminology of steps in recital
  - Week 2: See it, say it, do it

- Week 3: LOVE week: love playlists, hand out candy grams; games
  - Week 4: COSTUME WEEK
- March
  - Mini beach balls with parachute
  - Beach balls for spot markers
  - Beach balls for ceiling hangs
  - Foundations
    - Week 1: Beach/Under the Sea/Beach ball fights; parachute
    - Week 2: Superheroes; obstacle course
    - Week 3: SPRING BREAK
    - Week 4: Princess & Pirates; costumes
    - Week 5: PP Week; teacher's choice
  - Be the Light: HISTORY
    - Week 1: Beach/beach ball fights; Famous choreographer
    - Week 2: Famous dancer
    - Week 3: SPRING BREAK
    - Week 4: Connecting history to recital dance
    - Week 5: PP Week; teacher's choice
- April
  - Easter eggs with parachute
  - Spring characters for spot markers
  - Easter theme for ceiling hangs
  - Foundations
    - Week 1: Recital Portrait Week & Show Off
    - Week 2: Easter Week; parachute & bubbles
    - Week 3: Dinosaur; obstacle course
    - Week 4: Unicorns & Dragons; costumes
  - Be the Light: EVALUATIONS & REFLECTIONS
    - Week 1: Recital Portrait Week & Show Off

- Week 2: Go over evaluation cards, summer & Season 9 options; what's your BIG GOAL?
  - Week 3:
  - Week 4:
- May
  - Big & little balls with parachute
  - Books (recital theme) for spot markers
  - Books (recital theme) for ceiling hangs
  - Foundations
    - Week 1: Dancing with my buddy (audience); parachute
    - Week 2: Animals (audience); bubbles
    - Week 3: Pirates & Princess; obstacle course
    - Week 4: EVERYTHING! Let the dancers choose; costumes
  - Be the Light: Games
    - Week 1:
    - Week 2:
    - Week 3:
    - Week 4: