

Preschool 2014 Lesson Plans

Letter & Number: A, 1 (Airplanes & Ants)

Welcome & Circle Time	Hang backpacks, welcome song, sharing time, calendar
Table time	Letter & number worksheets (tracing, coloring, do-a-dot)
Literacy activity	Aim your airplane for the A's (decorate airplane with A stickers)
Story time	Airplanes books, ant book, Alexander and the...
Counting & movement	March like an ant, zoom like an airplane, I spy ONE game
Art/craft	Egg carton ants (pipe cleaners & googly eyes)
Play time, clean up	Video, if needed: Mighty Machines - At the Airshow
Snack	Ants on a log, airplane sandwiches

Letter & Number: B, 2 (Body and Bears)

Welcome & Circle Time	Hang backpacks, welcome song, sharing time, calendar
Table time	Letter & number worksheets (tracing, coloring, do-a-dot)
Literacy activity	Binoculars search for B's (color/paint & decorate paper towel roll binoculars with B stickers)
Story time	From Head to Toe (Eric Carle), Organs/other body book, Berenstein Bears Go to the Doctor, Bears On Wheels, Little Bear
Counting & movement	Bounce, build, breathe (count to 2), stomp/growl like a bear; do it once/twice game
Art/craft	Body outlines (trace kids on butcher paper, have them cut out, have them glue organs in the right place (prep organ systems out of construction paper)
Play time, clean up	Video, if needed: Magic School Bus - Inside the Body, or Little Bear
Snack	Blue yogurt, blueberries, build a tower of crackers/cheese

Letter & Number: C, 3 (Cats and Cars)

Welcome & Circle Time	Hang backpacks, welcome song, sharing time, calendar
Table time	Letter & number worksheets (tracing, coloring, do-a-dot)
Literacy activity	Color the car (paper plates, cardstock), cars driving on C
Story time	Cat in the Hat, cats books from the library, Corduroy
Counting & movement	Park the numbered cars/numbered ramps
Art/craft	Playdough with cornstarch, conditioner, glitter
Play time, clean up	Video, if needed: Elmo - Pets (for cats) or library cats DVD
Snack	Cheese, cucumbers, crackers, carrots

Letter & Number: D, 4 (Diggers, dumpers, dozers)

Welcome & Circle Time	Hang backpacks, welcome song, sharing time, calendar
Table time	Letter & number worksheets (tracing, coloring, do-a-dot)
Literacy activity	Decorate a drum (cutting activity - tissue paper scraps)
Story time	Dig! Scoop! Kaboom! etc. (digger books)
Counting & movement	4 scavenger hunt with individual bags (4 dinos, 4 cars, etc.)
Art/craft	Go dig in the sandbox :)
Play time, clean up	Video, if needed: Mighty Machines - Construction site
Snack	Dino chicken nuggets, crackers (4 sides & corners), diced cheese etc.

Letter & Number: E, 5 (Elephants)

Welcome & Circle Time	Hang backpacks, welcome song, sharing time, calendar
Table time	Letter & number worksheets (tracing, coloring, do-a-dot)
Literacy activity	Elephant mask (paper plate, watercolors?, cardstock, craft stick, tape)
Story time	Elephants (non-fic), Babar, other elephant books as available
Counting & movement	Geoboards, stomp like an elephant
Art/craft	Elephant hand print art (use big page, tear brown to be ground)
Play time, clean up	Video, if needed: Elmo - Wild Animals (talks to an elephant)
Snack	Sandwiches cut to E shape

Letter & Number: F, 6 (Frogs and Fall)

Welcome & Circle Time	Hang backpacks, welcome song, sharing time, calendar
Table time	Letter & number worksheets (tracing, coloring, do-a-dot)
Literacy activity	Flubber!
Story time	Frog stories
Counting & movement	Hop like a frog, geoboards
Art/craft	Fall collages/nature walk
Play time, clean up	
Snack	

Letter & Number: G, 7 (Giraffes)

Welcome & Circle Time	Hang backpacks, welcome song, sharing time, calendar
Table time	Letter & number worksheets (tracing, coloring, do-a-dot)
Literacy activity	Clothespin giraffes (color, cut out, glue)
Story time	Giraffes non-fic book, <i>A Giraffe and A Half</i>
Counting & movement	Stretch like a giraffe; roll the movement dice, do it seven times
Art/craft	Glue doodles (glue, salt, food coloring droppers)
Play time, clean up	
Snack	Green grapes (skewers), graham crackers, ham & cheese

Letter & Number: H, 8 (Helicopters & Hats)

Welcome & Circle Time	Hang backpacks, welcome song, sharing time, calendar
Table time	Letter & number worksheets (tracing, coloring, do-a-dot)
Literacy activity	Fold a 3-corner hat (decorate paperclip helicopters)
Story time	Helicopter books, favorites day
Counting & movement	Cube game (do it 8 times)
Art/craft	Crayon rubbings (hot glue)
Play time, clean up	
Snack	Hot dogs/Ham, honey on toast, happy apples, hummus

Letter & Number: I, 9 (I Spy, Icicles)

Welcome & Circle Time	Hang backpacks, welcome song, sharing time, calendar
Table time	Letter & number worksheets (tracing, coloring, do-a-dot)
Literacy activity	I Spy bottles (cut straws to fill)
Story time	Kids' choice!
Counting & movement	Don't Eat Pete! (9 squares, count 9 cereal pieces)
Art/craft	Icicles (glue & salt)
Play time, clean up	
Snack	Ice cream pops (frozen yogurt)

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