

Bears News for August!!

Hello everyone! I can't believe that it's August already!! We will continue Summer fun through the month of August! Our first official school start date will be Tuesday, September 7th! I am passing the school supply lists for the upcoming school year! Please have the supplies here by September 7th! I'm passing them out early because all the stuff is on sale and I thought maybe you would want to get an early start. I will be keeping track as to who brings their items in, I do this because we use these supplies in the portfolios so I want to make sure that everyone contributes!

A few reminders to refresh everyone's memory on the school year, and how the Bear room works! We begin our day at 9:15 in the morning. We would like for everyone to be here, but we understand that things come up! All we ask is that you enter the room quietly to drop your child off as to not disturb the other children's learning time. From 9:15 until 11:30 is what we call our crucial learning time, we ask that if you need to call us please leave a message with Ms. Terri or Ms. Megan unless it's an emergency. There will be more information to follow in the September newsletter.

For the month of August we will learn about the following:

August 2-6th We are going on a space adventure! We will eat some dried food to see what the astronauts eat while they are up there.

August 9-13th and 16-20th We are going camping!! The kids love these weeks! In order for us to have a ton of fun, we are asking for tents to put up in the room for the kids to play with. If you have

anything else that goes along with camping we would love to borrow it. Some of the items we are looking for include tents, flashlights, lanterns, sleeping bags, and anything else that we could use. Pajama day will be August 20th!

August 23-27th We will be Hollywood bound! We will become stars this week and have a blast!

August 30th -Sept.3rd We are going to talk about all American Foods! We will sample and make different foods. It's going to be fun! On Friday September 3rd we will have a cookout and have some good food! This is will also be our end of the year party, as we say goodbye to summer☺

JUST A REMINDER WE ARE CLOSED MONDAY SEPTEMBER 6TH
FOR LABOR DAY!

Thanks

The Bear Teachers



Theme: Space

Bear Room

Ms. Jennifer
Ms. Courtney
Ms. Mikayla

August 2-10th

Day of the week	Morning Group	Small Group	Art	Sensory Science	Afternoon Group
Monday	All about Space Space Snack	Colors (color w/ blue)	finger print Suns	moon sand Play	Space Books
Tuesday	All about our Planet	Name recognition	Foil Star Sticker on blk paper		Dancing
Wednesday	All about the moon & Astronauts	Shapes (glue circles)	make a moon		musical Instruments
Thursday	Name Planets & facts	Numbers (# 1 glue 1 object)	make Earth		Space parade
Friday	Continue about Space	Tracing Names	Color Badges & Certificates ✓		Star toss

Letter _____ Number 1 shape Blue color Circle
All learned





Goals/Assessments

Language:

Recognize name

Math:

recognizing
Numbers

Cognitive:

Shapes

Colors

Self Help:

Putting shoes
on

Gross Motor:

Walking
Backwards

Fine Motor:

Tracing
Names

Social Emotional:

Interacting
in Group

Environment changes

Dramatic

Play:

Same

Sensory:

moon sand

Art: Earth, moon, sun
star sticker art

Badges

Certificates

Blocks:

Create Rocket ships

Table Toys:

Star blocks

Library:

Books

Bible Focus:

Elijahs Faith

Theme: Camping

Bear Room

Ms. Jennifer
Ms. Courtney
Ms. Mikayla

August 9-13th

Day of the week	Morning Group	Small Group	Art	Sensory Science	Afternoon Group
Monday	All about Camping & songs	Colors (color w/ Orange)	Contact paper "fires"	Red Orange Tissue paper	Camping Books
Tuesday	Continue Camping Exploring flashlights	Shapes "Triangle"	Create triangle collages	↓	Going on A Bear Hunt
Wednesday	Camping in the mountains Log Cabins	Numbers 1 & 2	Log Painting		Nature walk Collect items
Thursday	Camping in the Desert	Name Recognition & Spelling	make a Cactus		"Jump the Brook" Game
Friday	Campers Continue camping Smores	Scissors	Smore Art		Singing & dancing around the Campfire

Letter _____ Number 2 Shape Triangle ~~Rectangle~~ Color Orange

Goals/Assessments

Language:

Names
Sounds

Math:

Numbers

1+2
Cognitive:

Colors

+
Shapes

Self Help:

Putting
Shoes on

Gross Motor:

Playing
Catch

Fine Motor:

Scissors

Social Emotional:

Interacting
In group

Environment changes

Dramatic

Play:

Tents + sleeping
Bags

Sensory:

Red + Orange tissue
paper

Mini marshmallows

Art:

Contact paper fires

Triangle collage Log cabin

Cactus, smore cut

Blocks:

Building tents

+ Campfires

Table Toys:

Unisc.

Library:

Camping Books

Bible Focus:

Elijahs Faith

Theme: Camping

Bear Room

Ms. Jennifer
Ms. Courtney
Ms. Mikayla

August 16-20th

Day of the week	Morning Group	Small Group	Art	Sensory Science	Afternoon Group
Monday	Continue Camping	Sound + Letter recognition	Gluing mini marshmallows	mini marshmallows	Campfire Songs
Tuesday	Camping Songs & Books	Number 3 & review	Gluing stars for Night		"Jump the brook game"
Wednesday	Camping fun: Identifying forest animals	Shapes	Color fireflies		sound SWAT Game (use fly swatter)
Thursday Ms. Jenn OFF	Camping Teddy Graham snack	Colors	Glue fireflies to paper (Blue)		Camping Books
Friday Ms. Jenn OFF	Campout Pajama Day	Tracing Designs copies	Water Play	↓	Dancing

Letter _____ Number 3 Shape Oval Color yellow

Goals/Assessments

Language:

letter + sound
recognition

Math:

Number

3

Cognitive:

Shapes

+
Colors

Self Help:

pulling pants
up + down

Gross Motor:

Catching a
Ball

Fine Motor:

Tracing
designs + copies

Social Emotional:

Group Interactions

Environment changes

Dramatic

Play:

Camping tents
+ sleeping bags

Sensory:

mini marshmallows

Art: blue mini marshmallows
gluing stars, color fireflies
glue fireflies

Blocks:

Building tents +
campfires

Table Toys:

misc.

Library:

Camping

Bible Focus:

Elijah's Faith

Theme: Hollywood Bound

Bear Room

Ms. Jennifer
Ms. Courtney
Ms. Mikayla

August 23-27th

Day of the week	Morning Group	Small Group	Art	Sensory Science	Afternoon Group
Monday	Taking a trip to the movies	Number Review 1-3	Hollywood Stars	Oatmeal + Glitter "Magic fairy dust"	Play Dress Up
Tuesday	All about Fairy's	Correspondence 1-3	make fairy wands		watch Sleeping Beauty
Wednesday	All about Puppets + Characters	Names	Holly wood Crowns		Cheese tasting like mice in Cinderella
Thursday	Mock Acting Lessons "Little Miss Muffet"	Letters + Sounds	Paint w/ curds + whey "Oatmeal"		Eat Oatmeal for curds + whey
Friday	Finish up Hollywood Week	Shapes + Colors	Paint Yellow Stars	↓	Play Simon Says

Letter _____ Number 3 Shape Heart color pink

Goals/Assessments

Language:

Names

Letters + Sounds

Math:

1-3

Correspondence 1-3

Cognitive:

Shapes +

Colors

Self Help:

Pulling pants

up + Down

Gross Motor:

Hopping on

One foot

Fine Motor:

Scissors

Holding a pencil

Social Emotional:

Environment changes

Dramatic

Play:

Dress up

Sensory:

Oatmeal + Glitter

Art: Crayons, Hollywood
handprint stars, Fairy
Wands, Paint w/ oatmeal
Paint stars
Blocks:

misc. play

Table Toys:

misc. toys

Library:

All Books

Bible Focus:

Shadrach

Meshaiah

Abendigo

Theme: All American Bear Room
Food

Ms. Jennifer
Ms. Courtney
Ms. Mikayla

August 30 - Sept 3rd

Day of the week	Morning Group	Small Group	Art	Sensory Science	Afternoon Group
Monday	All about Hamburgers & Hot Dogs	Number 4	Paper plate food collage	Flour play sifter whiskers	Name our favorite foods
Tuesday	All about ice cream	Spelling Names	make ice cream cones		Ice Cream snack
Wednesday	McDonalds for lunch	Colors Spanish	Paint w/ potatoes		Baking prop box
Thursday	All about pies make pizza w/ the kids	Shapes Spanish	make your own pizza slice		Food Dramatic play
Friday Cookout Party	Where do we buy food?	Scissors Play + Tracing	Play in pizza sauce	↓	Dancing

Letter _____ Number 4 shape Circle color Red

Goals/Assessments

Language:

Name

Recognition

Spelling Names

Math:

Number

4

Cognitive:

Shapes

Colors

Self Help:

Clean up
after ourselves

Gross Motor:

Hopping on

one foot

Fine Motor:

Scissors

Tracing

Social Emotional:

Interacting
in group

Environment changes

Dramatic

Play:

Bakery or cooking

Sensory:

Flour play

Play in pizza sauce

Art: paper plate collage

Ice cream cones paint
w/ potatoes, make pizza

Blocks:

Misc.

Table Toys:

Misc.

Library:

BOOKBOOKS

Bible Focus:

"Jonah Runs to
God"