



The Gingerbread House Weekly Curriculum

Date: 10/9-10/13

Theme: Apples

Classroom: Four Year Old Preschool

Objective: *Children will discover the shape, color, different uses, and origins of apples.*

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Language & Literature	CLOSED FOR COLUMBUS DAY	<p>Read: Chapter 11 <u>Charlottes Web</u> and discuss</p> <p>Discuss: How many different color apples are there?</p> <p>Introduce <u>AN</u> word family</p>	<p>Read: Chapter 12 <u>Charlottes Web</u> and discuss</p> <p>Discuss: Have you ever picked apples?</p> <p>What starts with the letter <u>E</u>?</p>	<p>Read: Chapter 13 <u>Charlottes Web</u> and discuss</p> <p>Discuss: What is your favorite kind of apple?</p> <p>Review <u>AN</u> word family</p>	<p>Read: Chapter 14 <u>Charlottes Web</u> and discuss</p> <p>Discuss: What can you make out of apples?</p> <p>Review letter <u>E</u> sound and list-writing <u>E</u> on paper</p>
Art & Fine Motor		<p>Painting with apple halves</p> <p>Cut and decorate letter <u>E</u></p>	<p>“Pinch pot” apple bowls</p>	<p>Paint apple bowls</p>	<p>Finish apple bowls and make apple pie</p>
Mathematics & Cooking		<p>What’s the date? What’s the temperature?</p> <p>Graphing with apples. What is your favorite color apple to eat? What is your favorite way to eat an apple?</p>	<p>What’s the date? What’s the temperature?</p> <p>Match apple seeds to the number of apples and sort different colored apples.</p>	<p>What’s the date? What’s the temperature?</p> <p>Roll the dice and place the correct number of apples on the tree.</p>	<p>What’s the date? What’s the temperature?</p> <p>Let’s make an apple pie today!</p>
Science Sensory & Technology		<p>How does an apple grow?</p> <p>Let’s make apple pie play dough today!</p> <p>Type names on computer (Print and practice)</p>	<p>What happens when you put apples in different types of liquids?</p> <p><u>E</u> on Smartboard</p>	<p>What are the different parts of an apple?</p> <p><u>E</u> on Smartboard</p>	<p>Apple Taste Test –What type of apple do you like best?</p> <p>We will use our senses to describe apples!</p> <p>Names on Smartboard</p>
Religion & Social Studies		<p>Read: <u>The Little Red House with No Windows or Doors</u></p>	<p>What is an apple orchard?</p>	<p>Read: <u>Johnny Appleseed</u>-How is he a good citizen?</p>	<p>Read: <u>Adam and Eve</u></p>
Gross Motor		<p>Juggling Activities</p>	<p>Juggling Activities</p>	<p>Juggling Activities</p>	<p>Juggling Activities</p>