



The Gingerbread House Weekly Curriculum

Date: 4/23-4/27

Theme: A Trip To The Zoo

Classroom: Twizzlers

Objective: Children will develop a deeper understanding about the different animals they see at the zoo, and what the role of a zoo keeper is.

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Character Education <hr/> Language & Literature	What is a zoo? Read: <u>Goodnight Gorilla</u>	What is your favorite animal to visit at the zoo? Sing: <i>Animal Fair</i>	Who do you like to visit the zoo with? Read: <u>The View at the Zoo</u>	What is a zookeeper? Read: <u>If I Ran the Zoo</u>	What does a zookeeper do? Sing: <i>Let's Go to the Zoo</i>
Art & Fine Motor	Paper plate elephants	Construction paper snake rings	Paper bag zebra	Wind catcher parrots	Feed the elephant using tweezers
Math Science & Cooking Sensory	Match the animals on the paper Wash the animals	Count the animals in the sensory table Zebra slime	Count the spots on the giraffe, the stripes on the zebra Animals and rice in sensory bin	How penguins stay dry experiment Monkeys and bananas in sensory bin	Make zoo trail mix Panda bear sensory bottles
Gross Motor	Run like a cheetah, waddle like a penguin..	Go on a lion hunt	Elephant stomp game	Jump on the animal tracks	Animal yoga