



The Gingerbread House Weekly Curriculum

Date: 5/14 – 5/18

Theme: Down in the Dirt (Bugs)

Classroom: Jolly Ranchers

Objective: Children will develop a deeper understanding of bugs and insects, and where they live.

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Character Education <hr/> Language & Literature	How was your weekend? <i>The Beehive</i>	What is your favorite bug? <u>The Very Hungry Caterpillar</u>	Where do bugs live? <i>Butterfly song</i>	What do bugs eat? <u>The Grouchy Lady Bug</u>	Why are bugs helpful to us? <i>Itsy Bitsy Spider</i>
Art & Fine Motor	Gluing black and yellow stripes	Egg carton caterpillars	Bingo dabber butterflies	Paper plate lady bugs	Handprint spiders
Math Science & Cooki	Dirt and worms (Oreos and gummy worms)	How many caterpillars can you find?	How do caterpillars turn into butterflies?	Go on a bug hunt	How many legs do the bugs have?
Sensory	Dirt in the sensory table	Bugs and goop	Dirt in the sensory table	Bugs and goop	Dirt in the sensory table
Gross Motor	Follow the leader	Balance beam	Obstacle course	Scooters	Outside