



# The Gingerbread House Weekly Curriculum

**Date:** 10/8-10/12

**Theme:** Apples

**Classroom:** Gummy Bears

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

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>Language &amp; Literature</b>	CLOSED FOR COLUMBUS DAY	Read: <u>Apples</u>  Discuss: How many different color apples are there?  Introduce <u>AN</u> word family	<i>Eat Well Play Hard</i>  What starts with the letter <u>E</u> ?	Read: <u>The Little Red House with No Windows or Doors</u>  Discuss: What is your favorite kind of apple?  Review <u>AN</u> word family	Read: <u>The Apple Pie Tree</u>  Discuss: What can you make out of apples?  Review letter <u>E</u> sound and list-writing <u>E</u> in journals
<b>Art &amp; Fine Motor</b>		Finger print apple tree	<i>Eat Well Play Hard</i>	Cut and decorate letter <u>E</u>  Painting with apple halves	Sponge Painted Apples
<b>Science, Technology, Engineering &amp; Mathematics</b>		Graphing with apples. What is your favorite color apple to eat?  Roll and color apple basket  Putting numbered apples in order	<i>Eat Well Play Hard</i>  <u>E</u> on Smartboard	Sequencing-How does an apple grow?  What are the different parts of an apple?	Apple Taste Test –What type of apple do you like best?  Apple oxidation  Apple letter BINGO
<b>Sensory</b>		Apple Pie Play Dough	Apple Pie Play Dough	Apple sensory bags with seeds	Apple sensory bags with seeds
<b>Religion &amp; Social Studies</b>		What is an apple orchard? Where can we find an apple orchard?	Read: <u>Johnny Applesced</u> -How is he a good citizen?	Read: <u>The Little Red House with No Windows or Doors</u>	Read: <u>Adam and Eve</u>
<b>Gross Motor</b>		Red Light/Green Light	Gymnastics	Red Light/Green Light	Gymnastics