



The Gingerbread House Weekly Curriculum

Date: 12/3-12/7/18

Theme: The Christmas Story

Classroom: Lollipops

Objective: Children will develop a deeper understanding of the nativity story through bible study and Literature as well as explore the geographical location of the events.

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Language & Literature	Read: <u>Christmas in the Manger</u> Discuss: Story of the First Christmas Build the letter <u>H</u> out of sticks Work on First Names	Read: <u>Pete The Cat Saves Christmas</u> Discuss: Who came to see Baby Jesus? Introduce the <u>AY</u> word family	Read: <u>Is It Christmas Yet?</u> Discuss: Who is St. Nicholas? Review <u>AY</u> word family	Read: <u>The Wild Christmas Reindeer</u> Discuss: How did the Three Wise men find baby Jesus? What sound does <u>H</u> make? List <u>H</u> words	Read: <u>Humphrey's First Christmas</u> Discuss: Retell Nativity Story Write <u>H</u> on paper
Art & Fine Motor	Cut and decorate Star Shapes	Paint Stable and starry night sky	Cut and decorate the letter <u>H</u>	Make manger and hay	Make baby Jesus –Add to Stable
Science, Technology, Engineering & Mathematics	Nativity Color By Numbers	Help The Shepard Find Baby Jesus Writing the number <u>4</u>	Christmas Counting Writing the number <u>5</u>	Sorting Animals vs. People	Letter <u>H</u> on SmartBoard Interactive Christmas search and find
Sensory	Starry Night Sensory Bottles	Nativity Sensory bin	Nativity Sensory bin	Water Beads	Water Beads
Religion & Social Studies	The Nativity Guessing game	Story of St. Nicholas	The Christmas Star	Read and act out Nativity Story	Bishop Hats
Gross Motor	Soccer with Mr. Mike	Star Tag	Soccer with Mr. Mike	Candy Cane Relays	Soccer with Mr. Mike