

The Gingerbread House Weekly Curriculum



Date: 12/10 – 12/14

Theme: Santa and His Helpers

Classroom: Peppermint Patties

Objective: Children will explore the holiday of Christmas through fine motor, gross motor, sensory, language and math activities and associate Santa with this day.

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Character Education <hr/> Language & Literature	Read: <u>Here Comes Santa Claus</u> All I want for Christmas is...	Read: <u>Llama Llama Holiday Drama</u> Where does Santa live?	Sing Christmas Songs	Read: <u>Rudolph the Red Nosed Reindeer</u> What color is Rudolph's nose?	Sing Christmas Songs
Art & Fine Motor	Handprint Santa	Paper plate Santa	Shape Santa's	Make Santa elves	Santa hats
Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics	Christmas tree math	Sorting and counting jingle bells	Let's name the shapes of Santa	Sorting and counting jingle bells	Christmas tree math
Sensory	Candy cane playdough	Christmas sensory table (magnets, tinsel, bells)	Sensory bags (red & green)	Christmas sensory table	Candy cane playdough
Gross Motor	Gingerbread number hop	Christmas tree shape hop	Snowball toss	Christmas tree shape hop	Gingerbread number hop