



The Gingerbread House Weekly Curriculum

Date: 10/12-10/16

Theme: Pumpkins

Classroom: Three-Year-Old Preschool

Objective: Children will deepen their understanding of pumpkins and where they come from, as well as, be able to describe how they feel, look, smell, sound, and taste.

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Language & Literature	Read: <u>The Biggest Pumpkin Ever</u>	Read: <u>From Seed to Pumpkin</u>	Read: <u>It's Pumpkin Day Mouse!</u>	Read: <u>Pete the Cat- 5 Little Pumpkins</u>	Read: <u>The Runaway Pumpkin</u>
	Discuss: What do pumpkins look like?	Discuss: How do pumpkins grow?	Discuss: What's inside a pumpkin?	Discuss: What do you think a Jack-o- lantern is?	Discuss: What is your favorite pumpkin food?
Art & Fine Motor	Construction paper Jack-o-Lantern	Pumpkin dapper craft	What's inside a pumpkin craft?	Pumpkin salt painting	Coffee filter pumpkin
Science, Technology, Engineering & Mathematics	Pumpkin volcano	Pumpkin # words matching game	Cut open a pumpkin and explore the inside	Measuring pumpkins sizes	Pumpkin I spy
Sensory	Pumpkin sensory bags	Pumpkin spice play dough	Pumpkin investigation tray	Pumpkin slime	Pumpkin spice play dough
Religion & Social Studies	Read: Gideon's Army	Read: Samson the Strong Guy	Read: Ruth and Naomi	Read: Hannah's Special Prayer	Read: God Speaks to Samuel
Gross Motor	Pumpkin hopscotch	Pumpkin workout	Pumpkin relay	Balloon tennis	Pumpkin patch ABC's