



The Gingerbread House Weekly Curriculum

Date: 11/30-12/4

Theme: The Nativity

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 The Letter M . The sound it makes & words that begin with M .	Read: <u>The Little Drummer Boy</u> Discuss: Who came to see Baby Jesus? Build the letter M out of sticks	Read: <u>Story of St. Nicholas</u> Discuss: Who is St. Nicholas?	Read: <u>The Christmas Star</u> Discuss: How did the Three Wise men find baby Jesus? Journals: Writing the letter M .	Read: <u>Humphrey's First Christmas</u> Discuss: Retell Nativity Story Review the words that begin with the letter M .
Art & Fine Motor	Cut and decorate the letter M	Handprint Stable	Popsicle stick Baby in a Manger	Paper Plate Nativity	Free art
Science, Technology, Engineering & Mathematics	Nativity Color By Numbers	Help The Shepard Find Baby Jesus Writing the number 4	Christmas Counting Writing the number 5	Sorting Animals vs. People	Letter M on SmartBoard Interactive Christmas search and find
Sensory	Starry Night Sensory Bottles	Nativity Sensory bin	Nativity Sensory bin	Play Doh	Play Doh
Religion & Social Studies	Read and act out Nativity Story	The Christmas Star	Story of St. Nicholas	The Nativity Guessing game	Bishop Hats
Gross Motor	Red Light/Green Light	Star Tag	What time is it Mr. Fox?	Candy Cane Relays	Candy Cane Relays