



## Gingerbread House Weekly Curriculum

**Date:** 12/6-12/10

**Theme:** Santa & His Helpers

**Classroom:** Twizzlers

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

	<b>Monday</b>	<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Friday</b>
<b>Character Education</b> --- <b>Language &amp; Literature</b>	Who is Santa Claus?  Sing: Here Comes Santa Claus	What is an elf?  Sing: Santa's Little Helper	Where do Santa and his elves live?  Sing: I'm a Little Santa	When does Santa come and visit?  <i>The Night Before Christmas</i>	How does Santa's sleigh fly?  <i>How to Catch Santa</i>
<b>Art &amp; Fine Motor</b>	Cotton ball Santa	Paint Santa hats	Paper elf craft	Santa in a chimney craft	Triangle reindeer
<b>Science, Technology, Engineering &amp; Mathematics</b>	Christmas Lava Lamp Experiment	Dancing Jingle Bell Experiment	Snow Storm Science Experiment	Count The Ornaments	Sort The Ornaments By Color
<b>Sensory</b>	Christmas Themed Sensory Tub	Tree Pines in Sensory Bin	Christmas Themed Sensory Tub	Peppermint Play Dough	Christmas Themed Sensory Tub
<b>Gross Motor</b>	Run like a reindeer, fly like a sleigh...	Ornament Toss Game	Snowball Toss Game	Climb like Santa, decorate the tree..	Santa tag