



The Gingerbread House Weekly Curriculum

Date: 1/3-1/7

Theme: Winter Weather and Activities

Classroom: Gummy Bears

Objective: Children will develop a better understanding of the changes in season and weather this time of the year, as well as explore and participate in different types of winter activities.

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Language & Literature	<p>Q: What do you like to do on a snowy day?</p> <p><u>S: Snowy Winter Day</u></p> <p>Introduce letter "L"</p>	<p>Q: Have you ever gone ice skating?</p> <p><u>S: Pinkalicious: Pink Around the Rink</u></p>	<p>Q: Do all snowflakes look the same?</p> <p><u>S: The Little Snowflake</u></p>	<p>Q: What do you think snowmen do at night?</p> <p><u>S: Snowmen at Night</u></p>	<p>Q: Do you like to wear gloves or mittens?</p> <p><u>S: The Mitten</u></p>
Art & Fine Motor	<p>Mosaic Snowflake – torn paper</p> <p>Build letter "L" with block sticks</p>	<p>Foil ice skate</p> <p>Letter "L" on chalkboards</p>	<p>Painting snowflakes with pompoms</p>	<p>Snowman names</p> <p>Letter "L" in journals</p>	<p>Crayon resist mitten</p> <p>Letter "L" in journals</p>
Science, Technology, Engineering & Mathematics	<p>Pipe cleaner and beads- icicles and snowflakes</p>	<p>Frozen toys in water table</p>	<p>STEM: create snowflakes with q-tips</p>	<p>Build a snowman (with white boxes)</p>	<p>Mitten math</p>
Sensory	<p>Snow in sensory bin</p>	<p>Winter sensory bin</p>	<p>Sparkly winter playdoh</p>	<p>Sparkly winter playdoh</p>	<p>Snowman sensory bag</p>
Religion & Social Studies	<p>Classroom snowy scene-tape resist painted snowflakes</p>	<p>Is it Winter all over the world?</p>	<p>Fun facts about snowflakes</p>	<p>Snowman chart-recall beginning, middle, end of story</p> <p>Feast of the Epiphany</p>	<p>How many mittens tall are you?</p>
Gross Motor	<p>Games and relay races</p>	<p>Gym with Mr. Mike</p>	<p>Parachute with snowballs</p>	<p>Alphabet snowball toss</p>	<p>Gym with Mr. Mike</p>