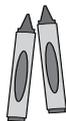


Your Collection Checklist

In order for you to implement ALL of the activities in this Curriculum Guide, we have listed items you will need to gather. In many cases, options are given so you can choose those that you prefer and have available. Be creative when having to substitute or ask the children what ideas they might have. You know your children best and which materials they are ready to use. Please use good judgment in selecting materials for your group and always supervise closely to be sure materials are used safely.



Basic supplies to have on hand on a weekly basis: crayons, markers, pencils, tape, stapler, paint/brushes, water, glue, chalk, scissors, CD/music player, paper, construction paper, paper punch, magazines, newspaper, playdough, small manipulatives, sidewalk chalk, bubble solution, and bubble wands.



Tuesday, August 1	Wednesday, August 2
SCIENCE: rugs, board, textured materials, slippers	DAILY BASICS: clear contact paper, plastic knife OR rhombus cookie cutter MUSIC/MOVEMENT: smooth boards PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT: cardboard, shoes/laces
Thursday, August 3	Friday, August 4
DISCUSS/DO: shallow tubs, sand, dirt, watering can, magnifying glasses MUSIC/MOVEMENT: socks, hula hoops PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT: ingredients, measuring cups/spoons, bowl, wooden spoon SCIENCE: clear jars with lids, sand, dirt, gravel, salt DRAMATIC PLAY: boxes OR blankets, various center items	DISCUSS/DO: sponges MUSIC/MOVEMENT: wading pool, ice cubes ART: tissues SCIENCE: pictures of bodies of water
Monday, August 7	Tuesday, August 8
DISCUSS/DO: bowls, gravel/rocks, napkins, freezer/bulletin board paper SCIENCE: sound makers PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT: assortment of lids MATH: clear plastic containers, rulers, rocks	MATH: <i>In the Tall, Tall Grass</i> book, stickers DRAMATIC PLAY: utility knife, large cardboard box, basket stuffing, pillows, blankets, stuffed animals
Wednesday, August 9	Thursday, August 10
DISCUSS/DO: rocks, acrylic sealant MUSIC/MOVEMENT: balls, Frisbees SCIENCE: half gallon cartons OR Styrofoam cups, grass seed, plastic wrap, craft sticks LITERACY: <i>In the Tall, Tall Grass</i> book PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT: heavy paper	DAILY BASICS: plastic knife OR oval cookie cutter, white board, dry-erase marker DISCUSS/DO: watering can MUSIC/MOVEMENT: garden hose OR jump rope PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT: child-safe knives, rolling pin, plastic animals SCIENCE: green plants, flat piece of wood, cotton cloth, smooth stone, soapy water, scrub brushes
Friday, August 11	Monday, August 14
DISCUSS/DO: grass samples MUSIC/MOVEMENT: assortment of balls ART: mud, nature items, disposable pie tins, pebbles, cardboard sheets, paper bags, bowls OR bags, grass clippings SCIENCE: sequins, aquarium nets, grass clipping, plastic bugs, sand/gravel/dirt, plastic containers, rubber fishing worms, small rubber snakes, plastic spoons PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT: muffin tin, cornstarch, food coloring MATH: rocks	DAILY BASICS: unusual vegetables, knife MUSIC/MOVEMENT: colored sidewalk chalk ART: containers SCIENCE: ingredients, spoon, large bowl, measuring cups, sealed container

Tuesday, August 15	Wednesday, August 16
<p>DISCUSS/DO: shallow containers, child-size clothes hangers SCIENCE: plastic cups, zippered plastic bags, baking soda, vinegar, magnifying glasses SOCIAL/EMOTIONAL: straws</p>	<p>DAILY BASICS: toy vehicles, sidewalk chalk OR painter's tape DISCUSS/DO: lids MUSIC/MOVEMENT: felt OR craft foam ART: tissue paper, wallpaper scraps PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT: assorted round-shaped snack items SOCIAL/EMOTIONAL: bulletin board paper, streamers, cookies/bars, fruit salad, games MATH: dot stickers</p>
Thursday, August 17	Friday, August 18
<p>DISCUSS/DO: lightweight items MUSIC/MOVEMENT: flannel board, felt set ART: pin, dish soap, spoon MATH: plastic lids, water table OR wading pool</p>	<p>DAILY BASICS: painter's tape DISCUSS/DO: children's books about bubbles ART: tablecloth, non-menthol shaving cream, food coloring, fork, spatula, baking trays, knife LANGUAGE: book containing speech bubbles, Speech Bubble pattern, clear contact paper OR packing tape, dry erase marker SCIENCE: clear plastic bottles, baby oil, epoxy/hot glue, raisins, sparkling mineral water</p>
Monday, August 21	Tuesday, August 22
<p>DISCUSS/DO: empty plastic bottles, utility knife, washcloths, rubber bands, dish soap, shallow container MUSIC/MOVEMENT: parachute OR bedsheet, soft rubber/foam balls PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT: water pumps, turkey basters, whisks, straws, sieves OR berry baskets SCIENCE: containers, measuring cup</p>	<p>DAILY BASICS: plastic knife OR square cookie cutter MUSIC/MOVEMENT: bubble wrap, heavy tape, riding toys MATH: small, medium, and large items</p>
Wednesday, August 23	Thursday, August 24
<p>DISCUSS/DO: thank you card LITERACY: poster board OR paper SCIENCE: assorted items to create bubble wands DRAMATIC PLAY: buckets, soapy water, washcloths, sponges, riding toys, hose, sprinkler</p>	<p>DISCUSS/DO: foods containing bubbles MUSIC/MOVEMENT: hula hoop SCIENCE: clear jar with lid, small containers, colored water, liquid dish soap, cooking oil DRAMATIC PLAY: dish cloths, towels, dishes to wash, toy food PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT: bags, milk, straws, doughnut holes</p>
Friday, August 25	Monday, August 28
<p>DISCUSS/DO: cleaning accessories LITERACY: <i>King Bidgood's in the Bathtub</i> book, bubble bath, plastic tub, spoons, whisks, rubber spatulas PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT: hand soap, hand towels DRAMATIC PLAY: large boxes, laundry basket, empty detergent bottles, doll/baby clothes, toy iron/ironing board</p>	<p>DAILY BASICS: index cards MUSIC/MOVEMENT: blanket ART: assortment of objects with distinctive outlines LANGUAGE: large paper SCIENCE: flowers, plants, magnifying glasses</p>
Tuesday, August 29	Wednesday, August 30
<p>DISCUSS/DO: camera MUSIC/MOVEMENT: sand pails, glue gun, wood OR cardboard, beanbag OR ball ART: group photographs, cardboard, picture hooks MATH: pool noodles, paper plates PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT: ingredients, child-safe knives, clear cups/bowls, spoons</p>	<p>DAILY BASICS: voice recorder DISCUSS/DO: backpack, school and non-school items</p>
Thursday, August 31	
<p>DAILY BASICS: cookbook OR magazine MUSIC/MOVEMENT: rhythm sticks OR metal spoons, riding toys, noisemakers, rope/string ART: drinking straws MATH: grid patterns, colored game piece patterns LITERACY: nametags DRAMATIC PLAY: old pots and pans, large spoons, spatulas, oven mitts, aprons, chef hats, plastic utensils, dirt, mud, weeds, wildflowers</p>	