



December Materials List

In addition to the supplies listed below, we recommend having a digital device on hand to view any recommended links, read digital stories, play music, and document the children's work.
See the Center Activities in the Curriculum Guide for lists of theme-related books and songs.
Please screen any recommended materials before sharing them with the children.

December 2

- flashlights/string lights/lamp
- image of jellyfish

December 3

- Metamucil® powder

December 4

- toast OR bread
- jams OR jellies
- blindfolds
- braille book
- hair gel
- glitter/sequins
- metallic confetti

December 5

- gift bows
- Velcro®
- photos of children

December 6

- European-style cookies/milk
- images of various stars
- photo album/photos of children
- individually wrapped treats

December 9

- wood/magnetic letter K
- pretzels/chocolate/citrus peel/lemons OR pickles
- books by Eric Carle
- bread
- ingredients for Sunshine Snack

December 10

- recipe to bake OR seasonal flowers
- ingredients for A Pleasant Aroma
- spices
- lemon-scented dish soap
- lemon extract

December 11

- sandpaper
- mats
- aprons
- variety of sponges

December 12

- kiwifruit
- doctor's kit
- elastic bandages
- eye chart
- flashlight
- dot stickers

December 13

- padlocks/keys
- obstacle course items
- battery-operated candles
- pepparkakor OR molasses/ginger cookies
- spices/extracts

December 16

- photo album OR binder
- photos of children

December 17

- holiday cookbooks
- spices
- appliance box
- cardboard tubes
- gift wrap

December 18

- small Christmas tree
- coniferous tree branches/pine needles/pine cones/tree bark
- pictures/book of coniferous trees
- gloves
- pine-scented air freshener

December 19

- wrapped box
- gift bags/envelopes/gift wrap
- socks
- fabric markers
- sequins
- hot glue gun
- small treats
- stockings

December 20

- limes
- summer and winter items
- metal can
- crushed ice
- table/rock salt
- gift bows

December 23

- bells
- holiday cookie cutters
- photos of children
- bows
- dreidel

December 24

- sled OR wagon
- pillows/beanbags
- miniature stockings OR old socks
- "A Visit from St. Nicholas" poem
- dry oats/sugar crystals

December 26

- blindfolds
- holiday greeting cards
- various light sources (flashlights, night-lights, etc.)
- pictures of sun and fire
- ingredients for Latkes

December 27

- holiday cards
- magazines/newspapers/store ads
- image of a cardinal

December 30

- foods that begin with the same letter (e.g., broccoli, blueberries, buns)
- party supplies
- air-drying clay
- sealant

December 31

- party noisemakers
- dramatic play props
- analog clock with second hand
- 2019 calendar
- cardboard tubes
- small treats/tokens

Basic supplies to keep on hand

Most supplies for activities are included in your kit. Items not included, but needed to implement ALL of the activities suggested in the curriculum guide, are listed below.
Be creative when having to substitute, or ask the children for ideas. Always keep safety in mind!

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| • bags/boxes/baskets | • clipboards | • kitchen utensils/bakeware | • parachute/blankets/sheets | • stamp pads |
| • balls/beanbags | • containers/buckets | • magnifiers | • pencils | • stapler |
| • beads/buttons | • cotton balls/poms | • manipulatives/blocks | • playdough | • stencils/rulers |
| • board games/puzzles | • craft sticks | • mirrors | • printer | • stickers |
| • camera/photos of children | • crayons/markers | • music/instruments | • scissors | • streamers |
| • chalk | • cups/bowls/dishes | • newspapers/magazines | • sensory materials (sand/rice/pebbles/dirt)/bin | • stuffed animals/toys |
| • chenille stems | • felt/craft foam | • paints/paintbrushes | • spray bottles | • types of glue/paper/tape |
| • children's books | • index cards/sticky notes | • paper punch | | • yarn/string/ribbon |