



LESSON PLAN- OCTOBER

| | Daily Basics | Learning Activities | Physical Development | Creative Expression |
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| Theme 1 • Be Safe | | | | |
| Monday October 1 | Introduce Orange/ Letter D Display, Letter D Rhyme, Discuss Safety | Storytime Book Selection, October Word Wall, Guess Who, October Character Card | Red Light, Green Light | Traffic Light |
| Tuesday October 2 | Orange Spanish Card/Letter D Word Cards, I'm a Police Officer Song, Discuss Community Helpers Who Keep Us Safe | October Book of the Month, Safety Signs LCM, More and Less Math | Left or Right? | Community Helper Work Station, Friendly Police Officer |
| Wednesday October 3 | Number 4/D Is for Dishes, Safety Gear Song, Bike Safety | Community Reader, Number Four Counting Card, Bike Sequence Cards | Traffic Control | Safety Superhero, Street Play |
| Thursday October 4 | Triangle/D Fruits, Triangle Song, Discuss Learning Personal Information | Real Life Story, Triangle Shape Recognition, Stringing Names and Phone Numbers, Photo Blocks | Crossing the Midline | Contact Information Card |
| Friday October 5 | Triangle Spanish Card/D Is for Dancing, 9-1-1 Song, Discuss 911/Emergency Vehicles | Glossary, Letter D Creature, A Real Emergency, Safe or Unsafe | Drive My Car | 911 Necklace |
| Monday October 8 | Number 4 Walk/Letter E Display, Letter E Rhyme, Discuss Fire Prevention Week | Storyline Recall, Fire Station Visits, The Dalmatian Needs Spots! | Fire Crawl | Dragon Tea Party, Darling Dalmatian |
| Tuesday October 9 | Color Black/Letter E Word Cards, This Firefighter Song, Discuss Firefighters/Fire Trucks | Main Characters, Pet Safety, How Many Fire Trucks? Where's the Letter? | Dancing Flames | Fantastic Fire Truck |
| Wednesday October 10 | Black Spanish Card/E Textures, Crawl Low Song, Discuss Fire Escape Plans and Fire Drills | Fire Safety, Letter E Creature, Firehouse Memory LCM | Fire Drill | Bathtime Safety, Creative Recycling |
| Thursday October 11 | Number 5/E Is for Echo, My Phone Number Song, Discuss Smoke Detectors | Title, Author, and Illustrator, Number Five Counting Card, Flames Out, Safety Scavenger Hunt | Stop, Drop, and Roll | Handprint Flames |
| Friday October 12 | Drive on Triangles/E Is for Eggs, Don't Play with Matches Song, Safety Theme Review | Repetition and Rhyme, Fire Ladder, Traffic Light Booklet, Fire Safety Review | Walk the Line | Freestyle Art: Triangle Tangram Puzzle |
| Theme 2 • Wiggly Wonders | | | | |
| Monday October 15 | Orange Leaf Hunt/Letter F Display, Letter F Rhyme, Discuss National Pizza Month | Illustrations Explanations, Topping Taste Test, Small, Medium, or Large? | Sneak a Piece | Pizza Shop, Pizza! Pizza! |
| Tuesday October 16 | Paper Triangles/Letter F Word Cards, Good Morning Song, Discuss Things That Wiggle | Backwards Book, Wiggle Glue Lines, Orange and Black Patterning, A-F Alphabet Review | Let's Bowl | Freestyle Art: Lines and Designs |
| Wednesday October 17 | Spider Count/Funny Faces, Little Miss Muffet Rhyme, Discuss Spiders | Family Cultural Story, Arachnid or Insect?, Spider Sips, October Math Game: Catch a Fly, Interactive Nursery Rhyme: Little Miss Muffet | Simple Spider Movements | Arachnid Lacing |
| Thursday October 18 | Black/F Is for Feelings, Little Black Spider Song, Discuss Spider Webs | Child-Led Reading, Slippery Spiders, Silky Line LCM, Spider Wrap, Spider Vocabulary | Spider Webbing | Marble Web |
| Friday October 19 | Body Triangle Shapes/F Is for Friday, There's a Bug on Me Song, Discuss Creepy Crawly Bugs | Reading in Costume, Letter F Creature | Be Buggy | Fine Arts: Paper Mache, Paper Mache Bowl, Caught in the Web |
| Monday October 22 | Orange and Black/A-F Items, Snakes in the Grass Song, Discuss Snakes | Finding Orange and Black, Playdough Snacks, Snake Puzzle LCM, Snake Hunt | Sneaky Snake | Snake in the Grass |
| Tuesday October 23 | Number 6/Letter Sounds, Bat Flaps Song, Discuss Bats | Family Reader, Number Six Counting Card, Batty Sense of Hearing | Flying Bats | Flying Bat, Bat Cave |
| Wednesday October 24 | Triangles/Alphabet Search, Echo Back Rhyme, Discuss Bats/United Nations Day | Alternate Ending, Bean People Counters, Different and Similar, Global Greetings | Blowing in the Wind | Batty Hat |
| Thursday October 25 | Colored Clothing/Word Card Sort, Squiggly, Wiggly Worms Song, Discuss Earthworms | Book Illustrators, D-F Treasure Hunt, Worms in the Dirt, How Long | Ways to Wiggle | Wormy Art |
| Friday October 26 | Craft Stick Triangles/Dry Erase Names, Fall Felt Set, Discuss Scarecrows | Story Prediction, Sniffing out Food, Seasonal Counting | What Time Is It, Mr. Scarecrow? | Not-So-Scary Scarecrow, Scarecrow's Hat |
| Monday October 29 | Mini Pumpkins/Room Letters, Planting a Pumpkin Song, Discuss Pumpkins | Favorite Featured Story, Pumpkin Pancakes, Pumpkin Characteristics, Pumpkin Patch Visit | Pumpkin Vines | 3D Pumpkin |
| Tuesday October 30 | Playdough Numbers and Shapes/Copying Letters, Five Little Pumpkins Rhyme, Discuss Jack o' Lanterns | D's, E's, and F's, Pumpkin Decomposition, Counting Pumpkin Seeds, Pumpkin Letter Match | Pass the Pumpkin | Hanging Jack o' Lantern |
| Wednesday October 31 | Number 6/Letter Blocks, Review Theme, NAEYC Song Selection | Book of the Month Review, Pumpkin Bucket Letters, Orange Brew, Feelings with Faces | Repeat Favorites | Spider Mask |