

WEEKLY ACADEMIC ACTIVITY (2024 – 2025)

August 27th - August 30th

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	Language:
	• Rhymes: OldMcDonald had a farm, Chubby cheeks, one two buckle my shoe
	• Introduction to the sound of the letter "g".
	• Sandpaper tracing.
	• Reinforcement of sounds of the letters b, d, e, h, l, m, and r.
	Math:
	• Identification of numbers 1 to 9.
	• Rote counting 1 to 10.
	• Value counting 1 to 9.
STEP -1	Theme: Where we are in place and time
	Central Idea: Our homes consist of various spaces and facilities that we use in different ways.
	Lines of Inquiry:
	• Characteristics and arrangements of different spaces.
	• How people use different spaces.
	• Our responsibility in sharing spaces with others.
	Discussion:
	 Dissection of Central Idea. A video was shown about different objects, used in different spaces and discussed about it. Reinforcement of different rooms at home and the purpose of each room discussed.

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STEP -2	Rhyme: Thaagam ulla Kagam
	Classified Pictures: Musical instruments
	 Reinforcement of sounds of the letters and associated words- "c, a, g, d, b, m, l, t, j, o & s"
	Written: cursive "a"
	Math:
	 Rote counting : 31 - 40 Reinforcement of numbers 1 - 20 Reinforcement of value counting -1 - 20 Written: Number "5"
	Art : Drawing objects using 3 and 4
	Exercises of practical life (EPL): Cutting papers.
	Sensorial: Noise box
	Theme: How We Express Ourselves
	Central Idea: Stories can engage the audience and communicate meaning
	Lines of Inquiry:
	• Messages that stories can convey
	• Creation and sharing of stories
	• Feelings and emotions that stories evoke
	Discussion:
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	Activity:
	• Colouring a butterfly and its shadow

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	Rhymes: Thagam ulla kagam
	Classified Pictures: Community helpers
	 Reinforcement of the sounds of the letters: "a to z" Introduction to the phonograms – 'ch' Reinforcement of phonograms 'ng', "th", "ee", "oi", "ai" "qu" & "sh" Introduction to the concept "tall & short" Reinforcement of vowels and consonants
	• Introduction to sight words : 'is' 'for' & 'the'
	• Reinforcement of verbs
	Writing: Phonograms- "ee, qu, th"
	Maths:
	 Rote counting : 1-80 Identification of numbers 1 - 80 Reinforcement of number that comes before 11- 20
	• In-between numbers 1 – 10.
STEP-3	• 3D shapes- sphere and cube.
	Written: Numbers 71 - 80
	Sensorial: Geometrical cabinets & cards.
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