

Lesson Plan
8/5/2019

Theme: Making Friends!

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
Arrival (Focus Skills: Social, Cognitive, Fine Motor)	<u>Attendance Board, Backpacks, Table Work</u> - Students come into class, put their name card on the attendance board and their things into their cubby, then to one of the table activities : 1. Tracing/Writing A 2. Blue playdough 3. Building with blue blocks- WITH A FRIEND	<u>Attendance Board, Backpacks, Table Work</u> - Students come into class, put their name card on the attendance board and their things into their cubby, then to one of the table activities : 1. Tracing/Writing A 2. Blue painting 3. Building with bristle blocks- WITH A FRIEND	<u>Attendance Board, Backpacks, Table Work</u> - Students come into class, put their name card on the attendance board and their things into their cubby, then to one of the table activities : 1. Tracing/Writing B 2. Letter puzzles A, B 3. Stringing beads	<u>Attendance Board, Backpacks, Table Work</u> - Students come into class, put their name card on the attendance board and their things into their cubby, then to one of the table activities : 1. Tracing/Writing B 2. Letter Puzzles A, B 3. Building Mr. Potato Head
Circle Time (Focus Skills: Social, Cognitive, Social Studies, Arts)	Calendar, ABCs FOCUS Color of the Month! BLUE -Science "LET IT RAIN" -Literacy "A Apple /a/" -Social Studies "MAKING FRIENDS"	Calendar, ABCs FOCUS Color of the Month! BLUE -Math "IDENTIFYING DESIGNS" -Literacy "A Apple /a/" -Social Studies "MAKING FRIENDS"	Calendar, ABCs FOCUS Color of the Month! BLUE -Science "LET IT RAIN" -Literacy "B bat /b/" -Social Studies "MAKING FRIENDS"	Calendar, ABCs FOCUS Color of the Month! BLUE -Math "IDENTIFYING DESIGNS" -Literacy "B bat /b/" -Social Studies "MAKING FRIENDS" **"SHOW AND TELL"
Table Centers (Focus Skills: Cognitive, Social, Science, Math, Literacy)	1. Literacy- Letter A building/puzzles 2. Science- FRIENDSHIP PAINTING - BLUE "rain" pictures	1. Literacy- Letter A art "Apples" 2. Math- "Find the Design"	1. Literacy- Letter B building/puzzles 2. Social Studies/Fine Motor- FRIENDSHIP BRACELETS	1. Literacy- Letter B art "Bat" 2. Math- "Make my own design"
Free Play (Focus Skills: Motor, Social)	Free Play - Center Choice or OUTSIDE PLAY	Free Play - Center Choice or OUTSIDE PLAY	Free Play - Center Choice or OUTSIDE PLAY	Free Play - Center Choice or OUTSIDE PLAY
Story Time/Dance & Movement (Focus Skills: Literacy, Social, Cognitive)	"Friends at School", "Owen"	"A Splendid Friend Indeed"	"What Falls From a Cloud"	"Rain", "Weather"

PARENT INFORMATION- This is our weekly lesson plan. It tells families what the students are working on each week, the skills addressed in each activity, and upcoming important events. In our program, the students will be introduced to **monthly thematic** (i.e. "Welcome!", "Ready For School", etc) and **science** themes ("Rainy Weather", "Blocks Measure Up", etc). There are also weekly **math** concepts (i.e. "Exploring Patterns", "Comparing", etc.) introduced, as well as letter formation/writing each week. The first semester, in our literacy curriculum "**Foundations**", the students learn **letter names and sounds**. The students are expected to wear **uniforms** each day (1 provided by the school), however, at the end of each month, students have an opportunity to wear the **COLOR OF THE MONTH** at our "Color of the Month" party. Students can bring a toy or snack to share that is the COLOR OF THE MONTH. August's **COLOR OF THE MONTH** is **BLUE**. **COLOR PARTY FOR August** is Thursday, August 29. Feel free to contact me anytime via email (strickland.lisa@cusd80.com) or sending a note in your child's backpack!

"SHOW AND TELL!" Yes, each Thursday is "Show and Tell". Students are allowed to bring one toy/item from home in their backpack to show their friends and tell about it during Circle time. This is a great activity for social skills and language! The toy/item is kept in their backpack for the rest of the day and sent home.

"REMIND" This is an APP on your smart phone to keep connected with how your child is doing in class, what he/she is doing, and upcoming events! I will send home information on how to access this.

"READY ROSIE" This is a resource for parents to link activities at home to our curriculum at school. Themes/topics we teach at school can be reinforced at home. This is a resource to help parents do that! More information will be coming home.

Important Dates: 8/29 Color BLUE Party! 9/2 No school, Labor Day 9/26 Picture Day!

WISH list: straws