May Pre-K Newsletter

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Pond	29 Name something you might see in a pond(Ld1A) Ask each child in the classroom the following question. Is their answer clear and with appropriate tone. Pond writing trayL2A) Make pond words in blue sand and be able to recognize the word they made. Cattail artCa1A) The children will cut green paper and add colored brown popsicle stick pieces to the top to make cattail art	30 Frog hop race game((m1A) While playing the frog hop race game with friends. The children will practice waiting their turn and associate quantity on the dice with the number of spaces they will move. What's in a pond (I6A) While looking at pond words we will pick two words to write to answer question Frog hop game (ph3A) How far can you jump forward	1 Frog on log count and write(ph3B) Practice grip on thin marker and number writing on frog paper. Frog additionM1A) The children will use plastic frogs to add two number together Label the frog growing process The children will write out the words for the frog for different stages in the growing process.(s1A)(I6A)	2 Name and draw your favorite pond animal.(L6A) While looking at the words we will pick which pond animal is our favorite and write out the word. Then draw a picture of that animal. Measure the frogs jump(M4A) Using copies of the same unit of measure we will measure and count how far each frog jumped on the paper, Pond water exploration(S1A) Get buckets of water from the pond what is different about that water then they water that comes out of the sink.	3 Walk to the nearby pond(Ph1A) Frog number word activity(L4A) (m1A) The children will write out the number word in the frog emergent reader book to correspond with the reading. Pond puzzlesCd1a) The children will put together the puzzle as a group focusing on matching pictures in the puzzle.	

Flowers	6 My favorite kind of flower(L6A) Think about all the different kinds of flowers. Look at pictures which one is your favorite. Write out the word and why it is your favorite then draw a corresponding picture; Explore flower seeds and growth(s1A) Pick a flower seed you would like to plant in a window bag and watch the progression of growth. Torn paper flower(Ca1A) The class will tear paper to	7 Discussion What do plants need to grow(Ld1A) Flower addition(M2A) Children will count out seeds to correspond with each number then add the two numbers together. Upper case to lower case flower to pot matching. (I2A) Children will place the correct lower case letter into the corresponding upper case pot.	8 Flower descriptions(Ld2A) The children will use descriptive words to describe the flower by smell, feeling and what it looks like. Flower color science(S1A) The class will watch as white carnations soak up different colors of water and change the color of the flowers. Take a walk around the neighborhood and collect different flowers.(ss1A)	 9 Flower puzzle(Cd2A) Combining pieces to make a picture working on 36 piece puzzle. Number line flowers.(m1A) Pretend to plant flowers in number order focusing on numbers 1- 20. Flower painting(Ca1A) Looking at flowers paint a realistic picture with different colors of paint. 	10 Do you like to eat flowers(Ld1A) The teacher will explain to children that there are some flowers we eat on a regular bases. Others that are safe to eat and others we cannoteat. After explaining the children will then answer the question. Build a flower label parts(Ld1A) We will sound out words together and write out words to label the flower according to its word parts.	

	make a flower with their own creative plan.					
Robots	13 What can you build with a cup of legos. (Cd3A) Give each child a small cup of legos can they build a robot using the pieces in the cup. Label the robot.(Ld6A) Color and label the robot parts focusing on letter sounds in word writing.	14 Robot emergent rederL2A) With modeling and support write in number words to demonstrate knowledge of informational text. In what ways do robots help people? Discuss the different types of robots with the children and tell ways each robot assist people.(LD1a)	 15 Robot writing Trays(Ph3B) Practice writing letters in number in sand and small nuts. Robot race(M1a) Take turns rolling the dice and moving your robot the correct number of spaces to correspond with the number on the dice. Wait your turn and congratulate the winning person. Paper shape robot(Ca1A) Using different shapes make a robot picture. 	16 Design a robot(L2a) Have the children pretend to design a robot. What materials would they use to design it? Write out the materials they came up. Build a robotM1A) We will make or own robot by matching the same number in different forms to put the robot together.	17 If you could have a robot do any task what would it be? (Id1A) Demonstrate an understanding of conversations by waiting your turn and responding to the question prompt above. Explore robot parts with a magnet(s1A) Use a magnet to see which parts in the sensory table are metal and magnetic.	

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Balance the	Big deal little Deal	My favorite dinosaur	Dinosaur swamp writing	Dinosaur opposites.
dinosaur. (ph3A)	problems. (Se1B)	is(L6A)	Practice(Ph3B)	(LDA)
Make balance	Show the children two	Pick which dinosaur	Practice writing out	The teacher will show
beams with	dinosaurs a large	you like best write	letter in the swamp	the children a dinosaur
blocks and craft	dinosaur and a small	out the word using	writing tray.	and use a word like
sticks see how	dinosaur. Have an	letter sounds. And	5 /	smooth. Then ask the
many dinosaurs	example of a situation	draw a picture of	Dinosaur Race(M1A)	children for the
you can balance	in the classroom that	that dinosaur.	Have the children take	opposite word showing
before it falls	might make someone		turns rolling the dice	them a bumpy
over.	upset. We will decide		and moving the dinosaur	dinosaur.
	as a class is it a little	Dinosaur paper	the correct amount of	
Can you tell me	deal something we can	art.(ca1A)	spaces.	Dinosaur
the name of each	work out and solve on	Using different		volcanos(S1A)
dinosaur(Ld1 A)	our own then we feed	shapes of paper form	Dinosaur	Play with cups, red
Ask the children	it to the little	a dinosaur picture	measurement(m4A)	slime and small
what kind of	dinosaur or is it a big		Using unifix cubes	dinosaurs pretend you
dinosaur is in the	deal problem	Fossil dough (s1A)	measure each of our	have made a volcano.
picture. How many	something that needs	Use play dough and	dinosaur toys. Using	
different	an adults help with to	mini dinosaurs to	measurementlanguage.	Dinosaur number
dinosaurs can they	solve then we feed it	make dinosaur	Example: My dinosaur is	match:
name?	to the big dinosaur,	fossils.	12 blocks tall.	Match dinosaur
				number puzzles by
Label the	Example: You are			finding the same
triceratops(L6A)	coloring someone is			number in different
Write out words	using the color crayon			forms.
to label the	you want to use. Little			
triceratops parts;	deal problem. You can			
	ask the friend by			
	using your words may			
	I please have the			
	green crayon when you			
	are done.			

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