

TENDERCARE LEARNING CENTER

Preschool 2 Curriculum

SEPTEMBER: WELCOME TO SCHOOL & ALL ABOUT ME

- **Basic Body Parts**
- Names/Family/Pets
- Feelings Happy, Sad, Mad

Concepts - Introducing alphabet song, letters A, B, C, number 1, the color yellow and the shape circle.

OCTOBER: SAFETY AND HEALTH & FALL SEASON/HALLOWEEN

- Picture cards for safety
- Stop drop and roll; Firefighters; Police Officers
- Apples, Leaves, Pumpkins

Concepts -Introduce letters D, E, F, number 2, the color orange and the shape square. Review of number 1 and the shape circle and the color yellow.

NOVEMBER: ON THE FARM & THANKSGIVING HOLIDAY

- Farm Animals
- **Growing Vegetables**
- Farm Equipment

Concepts – Introduce letters G, H, number 3, the color red, and the shape triangle. Review numbers 1 and 2; circle and square; and yellow and orange.

DECEMBER: HOLIDAY FUN

- Winter Celebrations
- Songs
- Crafts
- **Stories**
- Games

Concepts - Introduce letters I, J, K, number 4 and the color green. Review numbers 1, 2, & 3; the circle, square and triangle; and the colors red, orange and yellow.

JANUARY: WINTER

- Weather
- Snowmen
- Winter Clothing
- Sleeping Bears & Winter Animals

Concepts – Introduce letters L, M, N, number 5 and the color blue. Review of the shapes circle, square and triangle; the numbers 1 – 4; and the colors red, orange, yellow, and green.

FEBRUARY: TRANSPORTATION & VALENTINE'S DAY

- **Planes**
- **Trains**
- **Boats**
- Cars

Concepts - Introduce letters O, P, Q, and the color purple. Review the numbers 1 - 5; review of shapes and colors.

MARCH: RHYTHMS & RHYMES & EASTER HOLIDAY

Concepts - Introduce letters R, S, T, review numbers, shapes, colors.

- Nursery Rhymes
- **Poems**
- Music

APRIL: SPRING

- **Bugs**; Insects
- Flowers; Trees
- Gardens
- Weather
- **Baby Animals**

Concepts - Introduce letters U, V, W, review numbers, shapes and colors.

MAY: OCEAN EXPLORERS

- Life under the Sea
- Whales
- **Dolphins**
- **Sharks**
- Fish
- Seashells

Concepts - Introduce letters X, Y, Z, review numbers, shapes and colors.

ONGOING CONCEPTS

Potty Training Sharing & Caring Music & Movement **Balance** Catching **Throwing**

Jumping Heel – toe walking Following directions Listening Tactile experiences **Utensil** Usage Independence Hand washing Manners **Social Interaction** Language & Communication **Increasing Vocabulary**

Verbalize their first name Verbalize friend's first name Address issues of biting or hitting