

Winter Animals and Hibernation				
Dates	Montessori	Music/Movement	Circle Time	Art
Week 1	*Practical Life: Dusting *Sensorial: Smelling bottles	*Song: "Five Little Monkeys" *Movement: Swing arms like a monkey	*Theme: Animals in warm weather *Color: Black *Sign: Animal	*Art: Animal prints
Week 2	*Practical Life: Sweeping *Sensorial: Smelling bottles	*Song: "Brown Bear, Brown Bear Turn Around" *Movement: Spin around	*Theme: Animals in cool weather *Color: Black *Sign: Black	*Art: Animal painting
Week 3	*Practical Life: Folding *Sensorial: Mystery bag	*Song: "Are You Sleeping, Little Bear?" *Movement: Lie down on back	*Theme: Animals in the snow *Color: White *Sign: Sleep	*Art: Animals in snow
Week 4	*Practical Life: Watering Plants *Sensorial: Mystery bag	*Song: "If You're Tired and You Know It" *Movement: Lie down and curl up in a ball	*Theme: Sleeping animals *Color: White *Sign: White	*Art: Shape art
Week 5	*Practical Life: Window wiping *Sensorial: Touching box	*Song: "Going on a Bear Hunt" *Movement: Be a Bear	*Theme: Animal noises *Color: Black & White *Sign: Black & White	*Art: Animal collage

*Each child has an individualized lesson plan in alignment with the Montessori Curriculum. This calendar represents an overview of concepts that will be introduced over the month and may not reflect exact lessons for your child.