

May 2018

Class: Pre-Primary

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South America & The Rainforest				
Dates	Montessori	Circle Time	Art	Letter of the Week/ Share Day Friday
<b>Week 1</b> 4/30-5/4	*Practical Life: Fruit Spooning *Sensorial: Veggie Bin *Language: Phonics *Math: Calendar *Science/Culture: South America *Gross Motor: Animals	*Theme: South America *Discussion: Capitals of the countries *Song: <i>Countries of the World</i> *Book: <u>Children Around the world: Europe</u>	*Art: Paste & Place South America	*Letter of the Week: Q *Share Day: Something Red
<b>Week 2</b> 5/7- 5/11 *Teacher Appreciation Week *5/11 – Mother’s Day Celebration	*Practical Life: Funneling *Sensorial: Smelling bottles *Language: Phonics *Math: Calendar *Science/Culture: What melts *Gross Motor: Nature Walk in the Sun	*Theme: Five Senses *Discussion: Touch, Feel, Smell *Song: <i>Five Senses Song</i> *Book: <u>What Can My Senses Do?</u>	*Art: Tree Bark Rubbings	*Letter of the Week: I *Share Day: Stuffed Animal
<b>Week 3</b> 5/14-5/18	*Practical Life: Cutting food *Sensorial: Taste Testing *Language: Phonics *Math: Calendars *Science/Culture: Magic Milk *Gross Motor: Jumping Jacks	*Theme: Parts of the body *Discussion: What body parts can do *Song: <i>Head, shoulders, knees &amp; toes</i> *Book: <u>My Amazing Body</u>	*Art: Q-Tip Skeletons	*Letter of the Week: B *Share Day: Free Choice
<b>Week 4</b> 5/21-5/25	*Practical Life: Stringing Items *Sensorial: Bead textures *Language: Phonics *Math: Calendar *Science/Culture: Nutrition *Gross Motor: Planting Food	*Theme: Food Groups *Discussion: Food Pyramid *Song: <i>Healthy Eating Song</i> *Book: <u>Eating the Alphabet</u>	*Art: Coffee filter butterflies	*Letter of the Week: F *Share Day: Fruit or veggie you love
<b>Week 5</b> 5/28-6/1 *School Closed 5/28 – Memorial Day	*Practical Life: Folding *Sensorial: Different cloth textures *Language: Phonics *Math: Calendar *Science/Culture: What solidifies *Gross Motor: Running	*Theme: Recap *Discussion: Textures *Song: <i>Spring time is Here</i> *Book: <u>Planting a Rainbow</u>	*Art: Stained glass kites	*Letter of the Week: Z *Share Day: Book about this month’s themes

\*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.