



## One's Junior Preschool Curriculum

Children learn best through hands on experiences involving all of their senses. Each classroom and teacher provide age appropriate activities to guide and motivate children toward learning. The majority of the learning is through large and small group interaction using Learning Centers: Dramatic Play, Blocks, Sensory, Manipulative, Science, Motor Development, Music & Movement, Listening and Art.

SEPTEMBER		
God Loves Me		
<b>Color:</b> Red <b>Shape:</b> Square <b>Science:</b> My body <b>Math:</b> Rote Counting 1-3 <b>Large Motor:</b> Climbs Over Small Structure <b>Fine Motor:</b> Tear Paper <b>Sign Language:</b> Please <b>Dramatic Play:</b> House		
<b>Weekly Theme</b>	I Come to School	Colors in My World

OCTOBER		
Noah's Ark		
<b>Color:</b> Yellow <b>Shape:</b> Triangle <b>Science:</b> Autumn <b>Math:</b> Rote Counting 3-5 <b>Large Motor:</b> Carries Toy While Walking <b>Fine Motor:</b> Waves Goodbye <b>Sign Language:</b> Thank You <b>Dramatic Play:</b> Grocery Store		
<b>Weekly Theme</b>	Animals	The Beauty of Fall

NOVEMBER		
Thanksgiving		
<b>Color:</b> Orange <b>Shape:</b> Circle <b>Science:</b> Healthy Foods <b>Math:</b> Simple Measuring <b>Large Motor:</b> Steps Sideways <b>Fine Motor:</b> Turns Pages of a Book 2-3 at a Time <b>Sign Language:</b> Help <b>Dramatic Play:</b> Farm Store		
<b>Weekly Theme</b>	Emotions	Thanksgiving

DECEMBER		
Jesus is Born		
<b>Color:</b> Green <b>Shape:</b> Star <b>Science:</b> Smell/Textures of Christmas <b>Math:</b> Matching Shapes <b>Large Motor:</b> Begins Kicking <b>Fine Motor:</b> Uses Pincer Grasp <b>Sign Language:</b> Baby <b>Dramatic Play:</b> Christmas		
<b>Weekly Theme</b>	Christmas	Christmas Break

JANUARY		
Jesus and the Children		
<b>Color:</b> Blue <b>Shape:</b> Review <b>Science:</b> Winter & Ice <b>Math:</b> Sorting by One Characteristic <b>Large Motor:</b> Throws Aimlessly <b>Fine Motor:</b> Manipulates Large Peg Puzzles <b>Sign Language:</b> Snow <b>Dramatic Play:</b> Office		
<b>Weekly Theme</b>	Let it Snow!	Winter Animals

<b>FEBRUARY</b> The Four Friends		
<b>Color:</b> Red + White = Pink <b>Shape:</b> Heart <b>Science:</b> Water <b>Math:</b> Beginning to Point as Counting <b>Large Motor:</b> Walks Backwards <b>Fine Motor:</b> Holds Crayon with Fist <b>Sign Language:</b> Love <b>Dramatic Play:</b> Post Office		
<b>Weekly Theme</b>	Love	Friendship

<b>MARCH</b> Zacchaeus		
<b>Color:</b> Purple <b>Shape:</b> Diamond <b>Science:</b> 5 Senses <b>Math:</b> What's Missing (2-3 objects) <b>Large Motor:</b> Dances to Music <b>Fine Motor:</b> Stacks 3-4 Blocks <b>Sign Language:</b> Friends <b>Dramatic Play:</b> Vet		
<b>Weekly Theme</b>	Easter	5 Senses

<b>APRIL</b> Easter Story		
<b>Color:</b> Pastels <b>Shape:</b> Oval <b>Science:</b> Bugs, Dirt & Rocks <b>Math:</b> Beginning Opposites (up/down, big/small) <b>Large Motor:</b> Pounds with Intent and Precision <b>Fine Motor:</b> Turns Objects by Twisting Wrists <b>Sign Language:</b> Happy <b>Dramatic Play:</b> Flower Shop		
<b>Weekly Theme</b>	Creepy Crawlies	Baby Animals

<b>MAY</b> Jesus Calms the Storm		
<b>Color:</b> Review <b>Shape:</b> Review <b>Science:</b> Water <b>Math:</b> Rote Counting 5-7 <b>Large Motor:</b> 1 <sup>st</sup> Stage Somersault <b>Fine Motor:</b> Fits Manipulative Pieces Together <b>Sign Language:</b> Animals <b>Dramatic Play:</b> Hospital		
<b>Weekly Theme</b>	Water Wonders	Under the Sea



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