



CHILDREN'S
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EARLY LEARNING SCHOOL

Children's Lighthouse of Woodland Springs

May 2025

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Family of the Month



The Garcia Family

Hello Lighthouse Families!

Hello, May!

The flowers are blooming, and so are fresh ideas.

In this edition, we focus on summer sneak peeks to get you excited for the sunny days ahead!

*** **Congratulations!** ***

Congratulations to the Garcia Family for being our May Family of the Month! With three energetic and kind-hearted boys, the Garcias bring so much joy and warmth to our community. Their positivity, involvement, and genuine care for others truly make them shine. Enjoy 10% off this month.

Notable Upcoming Events



Teacher Appreciation Week

Help us celebrate our awesome teachers and thank them for all they do!

May 5th-9th

Muffins With Mom

Join us for our annual Muffin with Mom in Room 10!



May 9th @ 7-10am

Pre-K Graduation

Families of graduates, join us at 10:30am to watch our little legends graduate to Kindergarten!

May 16th @ 10:30am



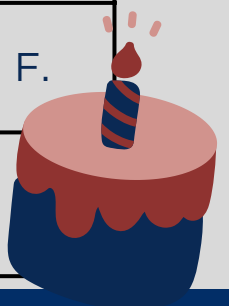
May Calendar Events:

May 5th-9th	Teacher Appreciation Week: Help us celebrate all the lovely ladies that teach our kiddos! Check out the lobby for how you can help!
May 9th	Muffins with Mom: Come celebrate the lovely ladies that keep your households running! Join us in room 10 from 7-10am.
May 15th	Ms. Maria: It's cool school with Ms. Maria, come on lets join the fun!
May 16th	Pre-K Graduation! Families of the graduating kiddos can join us in room 10 at 10:30 am to celebrate their little legend moving on to Kindergarten.
May 26th	Closed for Memorial Day!
May 29th	Kick off to Summer Event: The kiddos will enjoy visits from the Fort Worth Mounted Patrol and K-9, then enjoy a special treat to kick-off summer!





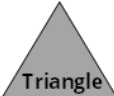
May Birthday's:

Finley P.	Ismaeel F.	Arya D.	Amari K.
Stetson S.	Isabela C.	Emmy C.	Jennings A.
Daniela B.D	Avery B.M	Madison W.	James E
Arturo F.	Emily M.B	Repp R.	Holden F.
Sienna S.			



Curriculum Corner




Infant 1 & 2

	Theme	Spanish	Sign Language	Prop Box	Character Value
Infant 1 & 2	Amazing Animals	Gray gris Triangle triángulo	Dog el perro 	We Love Animals	Kindness 
	Color	Shape	Music & Movement	Finger Play Or Rhyme	Outside & Gross Motor
	Gray gris		"Five Little Speckled Frogs"	"Hey Diddle Diddle"	Bringing Our Animals Outside

This Month's Learning Areas




Art & Sensory	My Gray Triangle	Colorful Chameleon <i>Evidence of Learning</i>	Triangle Pat Mats	Animals In The Grass	Personal Developmental Assessment Skills
Discovery & Skills	Ready, Set, Move	That's Me In The Mirror	Where Did It Go?	Explore Our Color And Shape	
Language & Literacy	Picture Vocabulary Cards	Read: <i>Whistle For Willie/My First Book of Baby Animals/Baby Be Kind</i>	"Five Little Speckled Frogs"	"Hey Diddle Diddle"	
Role Playing	I Am A Pet Owner	Tiger Safari	I Am A Veterinarian	Petting Zoo	

Infant 3

	Theme	Spanish	Sign Language	Prop Box	Character Value
Infant 3	Amazing Animals	Gray gris Triangle triángulo Animal el animal Dog el perro Cat el gato	Dog el perro 	We Love Animals	Kindness 
	Color	Shape	Music & Movement	Finger Play Or Rhyme	Outside & Gross Motor
	Gray gris		"Five Little Speckled Frogs"	"Hey Diddle, Diddle"	Run Fast Like Cheetah

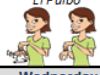

Learning Areas	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Art & Sensory	Making Gray Paint	Animal Tracks <i>Evidence of Learning</i>	Watercolor Coffee Filter	Animal Wash	Triangle Stamp
Discovery & Skills	Smiley Face Scoop	Personal Developmental Assessment Skills	Matching Triangles	Personal Developmental Assessment Skills	Dumping And Fill
Language & Literacy	Read: <i>Adorable Animals: Touch & Feel</i>	Picture Vocabulary Cards	Read: <i>Adorable Animals: Touch & Feel</i>	"Five Little Speckled Frogs"	Read Character Value Book Of The Month <i>Baby Be Kind</i>
Movement	Touch My Toes	Move Like Our Family Pets	Sneaky Like A Mouse	Clapping Bubbles	Can We Move And Sound Like Sheep
Role Playing	Time To Pet Our Pets	Going On A Safari	Feeding A Bear	I Am A Veterinarian	Animal Photograph

Toddlers

	Theme	Spanish	Sign Language	Prop Box	Character Value
Toddler	Amazing Animals	Gray gris Triangle triángulo Animal el animal Dog el perro Cat el gato Elephant el elefante	Dog el perro 	We Love Animals	Kindness 
	Color	Shape	Music & Movement	Finger Play Or Rhyme	Outside & Gross Motor
	Gray gris		"Five Little Speckled Frogs"	"Hey Diddle, Diddle"	Taking Our Animals For A Ride

Learning Areas	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Art	Animal Tracks	Silly Zebra Stripes <i>Evidence of Learning</i>	Squiggly Snakes	Animal Stickers	Decorate A Triangle
Sensory & Science	Animal Parade	Play Dough Snakes	Zoo Skaters	Some Animals Live In Water	Noisy Sensory Bottle
Discovery & Skills	Triangle Push	Personal Developmental Assessment Skills	Animal Rescue	Personal Developmental Assessment Skills	Kitchen Tong Block Challenge
Blocks	Animal Dens	Big Towers And Big Animals	Safari Roads	Giraffe Neck Stack	Friends Help Each Other Build
Language & Literacy	Read: <i>Dear Zoo</i>	Picture Vocabulary Cards	Read: <i>Dear Zoo</i>	Sing: "Five Little Speckled Frogs"	Read Character Value Book Of The Month: ABCs Kindness
Dramatic Play	Animal Puppets	Who's Coming To Dinner?	Driving To The Zoo	I Am A Pet Owner	Wildlife Safari

Preschool 2

PS2 Lesson Plan	Themes	Alphabet Letters	Spanish & Sign	Book/Author	Character Value
This Week...	Plants Flowers Fish Ocean Animals	Review A-G Review H-N Review O-T Review U-Z	Octopus <i>El Pulpo</i> 	Author: Leo Lionni Alphabet Book: <i>ABC Ocean</i>	Kindness 
	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
The Learning Wall	LC: API: Letter, Spanish, Sign, Book, Character Value, Pledge, SS: Weather				
	SS: Calendar, M: Number of the Day				
	ELR: Month Review Letters U-Z & Sounds; Read Book Of The Month	ELR: Read ABC Ocean (Alphabet Book Of Month)	ELR: Read Octopus Opposites	ELR: Read Book Of Teacher's Choice	ELR: Read Character Value Book Of The Month
Music & Movement	SE: Character Value Discussion	SE: Discuss An Emotion/Feeling	SE: How Do You Feel Today?	SE: What Have You Learned This Week?	SE: Character Value Action Discussion
	PD, LC: "Letter Song" Letters U-Z & Theme Choice	PD, LC: "The ABC Action Song" Letters U-Z	PD, LC: "Letter ___ What Do You Say?" Letters U-Z & Theme Choice	PD, LC: Teacher's Choice	PD, LC: Children's Choice Day
Learning Lesson Session	ELW.2, ELR.1: The First Letter Of My Name	SS.7, M.7: My Ocean Day And Night	ELW.3, ELR.3: My Own Alphabet Strip	ELW.3, ELR.3: My Own Alphabet Strip	ELW.4: Ocean Handwriting
	ELR.2, SCL.1: Ocean Animal Matching	SCL.1: Mini Reader "Ocean Animals"	SCL.8, SCL.5: Sink or Float	SCL.2, SS.7: Ocean Wave Sensory Bottles	PD.3, SCL.1: Seahorse Lacing
Outdoor Learning	Workout Wonder: My Happy Dance	Anthill Amphitheater: "What would happen if we put objects on dark paper and put them in the sun?"	Workout Wonder: My Happy Dance	Exploration Station: Young explorers will explore flowers.	Activity Follow-Up: Make-Up Time
	Yoga Yurt For The Month: Intentional Breathing (Breath); Soil; Plant; Crab				

This Month's Centers That Shine



Art (1 per Week)	Library	Literacy	Math	Science	Skills
K.35: Painting With Stencils On Gray 36: Painting Flowers With Tube Brushes K.37: Bright Ocean Fish On Foil 38: Seahorse Stencil Painting	Books About Plants; Books About Flowers; Books About Fish; Books About Ocean Animals; Books About Kindness	Letter Writing In Ocean Sand; Shape Word Rows; Put The Fish In The Dish; Rhyming Pairs; Feed The Shark; Initial Sounds; Symbols Of Celebration	Eel Stripes: AB Patterns; Small & Large Leaf Sorting; Sea Of Seahorses: AB Patterns; Sunflower Sets 1-10	Sort Pairs Of A Plant: Seeds, Roots, Stems, Leaves, Flowers; Plant A Rainbow: Color Sorting; Where Do I Live: Land Or Ocean; Half Fish: Whole Fish; Oysters & Pearls; Color Match	Imprinting Shells; Sand Dough; Puzzle Challenge; Let's Make Some Waves: Cut And/Or Tearing
Blocks Swimmy's School Of Fish		Dramatic Play Day At The Beach		Sand & Water Hide The Seeds & Top Soil Measuring	

Curriculum Corner

Preschool 3

PS3 Lesson Plan	Themes	Alphabet Letters	Spanish & Sign	Book/Author	Character Value
	Plants Flowers Fish Ocean Animals	Review A-G Review H-N Review O-T Review U-Z	Seeds <i>Los Semillas</i> 	Author: Leo Lionni Alphabet Book: <i>ABC Ocean</i> 	Kindness 
This Week...	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
The Learning Wall	LC, APL: Letter, Spanish Sign, Book, Character/Value, Pledge, SS: Weather				
	SS: Calendar, M: Number of the Day				
	ELR: Review Letters A-G & Sounds; Read Book Of The Month	ELR: Read From Seed To Plant	ELR: Read Book Of Teacher's Choice	ELR: Read Book Of Children's Choice	ELR: Read Character Value Book Of The Month
	SE: Character Value Discussion	SE: Discuss An Emotion/Feeling	SE: How Do You Feel Today?	SE: What Have You Learned This Week?	SE: Character Value Action Discussion
Music & Movement	PD, LC: "Letter Song" With Letters A-G & Theme Choice	PD, LC: "The ABC Action Song" Letters A-G	PD, LC: "Letter ___ What Do You Say?" Letters A-G & Theme Choice	PD, LC: Teacher's Choice	PD, LC: Children's Free Choice Day
Learning Lesson Session	ELW.4, M.1: Handwriting 1-5	SCI.8, ELW.1: What Do Plants Need?	M.5: Shortest To Tallest	LC.9: Dot The Rhyme	ELW.4, M.2: Rectangles
	SCI.8: Mini Reader "Plants"	SS.4: Give Us A Hand!	FA.8, SCI.8: My Nine Plants	FA.6: My Plant	M.2, PD.3: I Spy Rectangles!
Outdoor Learning	Workout Wonder: Stop-N-Grow	Anthill Amphitheater: "What would happen if we put plants inside an aquarium or jar?"	Workout Wonder: Stop-N-Grow	Exploration Station: Young explorers will explore all parts of a plant.	Activity Follow-Up: Make-Up Time
Yoga Yurt For The Month: Intentional Breathing (I Am Kind) Seed: Sun Flower					
This Month's Centers That Shine					
Art (1 per Week)	Library	Literacy	Math	Science	Skills
Wk 35: Jellyfish Wk 36: Fish With Sequin Scales Wk 37: Hydrangea Wk 38: Bubble Painting Wk 39: Paint A Plant Pot	Books About Plants: Books About Flowers: Books About Fish: Books About Ocean Animals: Books About Kindness	Celebrations Around The World: Jellyfish Rhymes: ABC Shell Dig: Fish Hook Beginning Sounds: On Or Off The Fishing Boat	Treasure Boxes: Squares & Rectangles: Filling Flower Seed Packages: Sets 1-10; Measure & Weight: The Jellyfish; Flower Power Petal Sets: 1-20; Flower Color Graphing	Sea Life Shadows: Sequence The Stages Of A Growing Plant: Will It Sink: Will It Float Experiment: Go Fish Memory Game	Rolling Playdough Worms To Feed Fish The Center Of The Flowers: Flower Puz With Interlocking Puzzles
Blocks		Dramatic Play		Sand & Water	
Build A Fish Aquarium		Plant Nursery		Sand Castles & Seashells	


APK

APK Lesson Plan	Themes	Alphabet Letters	Spanish & Sign	Book/Author	Character Value
	Plants Flowers Fish Ocean Animals	Review Aa-Gg Review Hh-Nn Review Oo-Tt Review Uu-Zz	Whale <i>La Ballena</i> 	Author: Leo Lionni	Kindness 
This Week...	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
The Learning Wall	LC, APL: Letter, Spanish Sign, Book, Character/Value, Pledge, SS: Weather				
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	ELR: Review Letters Uu-Zz & Sounds; Sight Word: Intro Word Family -ale	ELR: Read My First Big Book Of The Ocean	ELR: Read Book Of Teacher's Choice	ELR: Read Book Of Children's Choice	ELR: Read Character Value Book Of The Month
	SE: Character Value Discussion	SE: Discuss An Emotion/Feeling	SE: How Do You Feel Today?	SE: What Have You Learned This Week?	SE: Character Value In Action Discussion
Music & Movement	PD, LC: "Letter Song" With Letters U-Z & Theme Choice	PD, LC: "The ABC Action Song" Review Using Letters U-Z	PD, LC: "Letter ___ What Do You Say?" Review Letters U-Z & Theme Choice	PD, LC: Teacher's Choice	PD, LC: Children's Free Choice Day
Learning Lesson Session	SO.3, ELW.2: Mini Reader "Ocean Animals"	M.2, ELW.2: Ocean Animal Shapes	SO.3, ELW.2: Ocean Animals	ELR.3, ELW.2: My Book Of Ocean Animals	ELR.3, ELW.2: Fill In The Blank Rhyming Words
	SS.1, ELW.2: Oceans Of The World	FA.5: Mixed Media Jellyfish	SS.2, SCI.7: Ocean Zones	ELW.4, FA.6: My Ocean Animal	SS.1, M.10: Compass Directions
Outdoor Learning	Workout Wonder: Field Day!	Anthill Amphitheater: "What would happen if we put a cup with a napkin in it upside down in water?"	Workout Wonder: Field Day!	Exploration Station: Young explorers will explore shades of gray found in nature.	Activity Follow-Up and Make-Up Time
Yoga Yurt For The Month: Intentional Breathing (I Am Kind) Swim: Boat: Shark					
This Month's Centers That Shine					
Art (1 per Week)	Library	Literacy	Math	Science	Skills
Wk 35: Artist Corner: Matisse - Leaves Wk 36: Collaborative Wreath Of Flowers Wk 37: Shark Art: Mixing Gray Wk 38: Shell Necklaces - Sand Clay Recipe	Books About Plants: Books About Flowers: Books About Fish: Books About Ocean Animals: Books About Kindness	Celebrations Around The World: Seashell Sight Words: Pearl Or Pirate: Let's Pack Our Story Beach Bag: What Letters Go Away From The Tels? Word Family Lift-A-Flip Cards: -ay, -ake, -ale	Math At The Florist: Sailboat Addition & Subtraction: What Time Is It?: Hour & Half Hour: Let's Go Fish 1-100: 10's Skip Counting: Pirate's Treasure Game: Coins & Shapes	Buoyancy Experiment: Sink/Float Graphing: Colors Of Flowers: English & Spanish: Rover Magnets: Names & Fractions: Sequencing Stages Of Seed Growth	Sandpaper Sandcastle Tangrams: Cactus Sculptures
Blocks		Dramatic Play		Sand & Water	
Ocean Shipwrecks		Let's Fish In The Ocean!		Mud Pies & Plants	

Pre-K

Pre-K Lesson Plan	Themes	Alphabet Letters	Spanish & Sign	Book/Author	Character Value
	Plants Flowers Fish Ocean Animals	Review A-G Review H-N Review O-T Review U-Z	Octopus <i>El Pulpo</i> 	Author: Leo Lionni	Kindness 
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Music & Movement	PD, LC: "Letter Song" With Letters U-Z & Theme Choice	PD, LC: "The ABC Action Song" Review Using Letters U-Z	PD, LC: "Letter ___ What Do You Say?" Review Letters U-Z & Theme Choice	PD, LC: Teacher's Choice	PD, LC: Children's Free Choice Day
Learning Lesson Session	M.4 Find And Count The Ocean Animals	ELW.4, SS.7: Mini Reader "Ocean Animals"	ELW.4, SS.7: Ocean Animals	FA.6, PD.1: Octopus Cutting Skills	ELW.4, SS.7: All About Me
	ELR.2: Consonant Blends	SCI.6: Using My Senses	M.12: Starfish Math	SCI.10, M.3: Our Favorite Ocean Animals	SCI.5, SS.2: Ocean Zones
Outdoor Learning	Workout Wonder: Field Day!	Anthill Amphitheater: "What would happen if we put a cup with a napkin in it upside down in water?"	Workout Wonder: Field Day!	Exploration Station: Young explorers will explore shades of gray found in nature.	Activity Follow-Up and Make-Up Time
Yoga Yurt For The Month: Intentional Breathing (I Am Kind) Swim: Boat: Shark					
This Month's Centers That Shine					
Art (1 per Week)	Library	Literacy	Math	Science	Skills
Wk 35: Cactus Sculptures w/ Clay Recipe Wk 36: Painting With Flowers Wk 37: Mixing Gray On Fall Wk 38: Ocean Coral Blow Painting	Books About Plants: Books About Flowers: Books About Fish: Books About Ocean Animals: Books About Kindness	Celebrations From Around The World: Starfish Beginning Vowels & Consonants: Rhyme Time: Ocean Of Long & Short Vowels: Word Family Lift-A-Rap Cards: -ay, -ark, -ale	Paper Plate Fish: Coin Game: What's Missing Number: Sticks 1-100: Flip & Cover Flower Bush: Addition & Subtraction Game: I Can Hook A Set Of Fish: Octopus Geometric Shape Game	Colorful Pearls Of The Ocean: Arranging Flowers: AB & ABC Patterns: Build A Flowering Bulb Game: How Long Is A Baby Octopus?: Stuck Like An Octopus: Experiment With Suction Cups	Jigsaw Puzzles With Locking Pieces: Lacin Leaves: Fill The Oyster With Playdough Pearls
Blocks		Dramatic Play		Sand & Water	
Ocean Shipwrecks		Let's Fish In The Ocean!		Mud Pies & Plants	

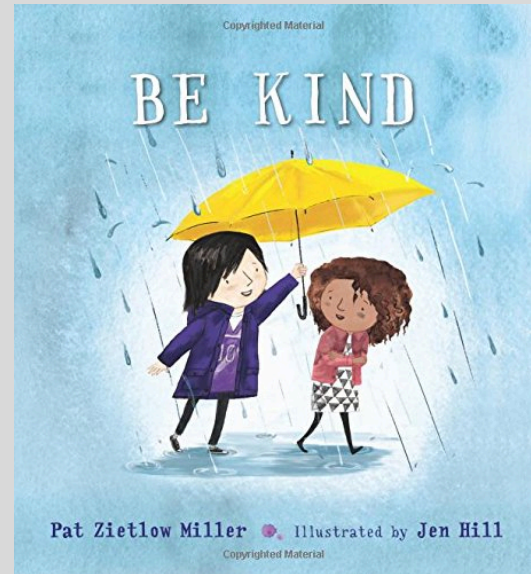
Questers

Questing Studio Lesson Plan	Flowers Are Blooming	Kindness
	This month we are going to bring a little of the outdoors inside. We are going to make spring flowers to decorate the doors and hallways of our local retirement home.	
This Month's Challenges		
Science	Technology	Reading
Engineering	Art	Math & Games
Team		
	Car of the Future	Camp Chaos
	Building a Cup Tower	The Big Empty
Solo		
Clear as Mud		Paper Chain Challenge
Heart Watcher		Chromatography
Magic Marbles		
Outdoor		
		The Balancing Act
		Grab It
		Jump the Creek
		Penguin Egg Relay
		Pin Tag
Expansion Pack		
Science	Technology	Reading
Engineering	Art	Math & Games

This Month's Character Value:

Kindness

Books that teach : Kindness



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