



NOVEMBER 13TH-24TH UNIT PLAN

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TOPICS: CONTINUE LEARNING ABOUT NATIVE AMERICAN HERITAGE MONTH. INTRODUCTION AND DETAILED COMPREHENSION OF THANKSGIVING (THE HISTORY/CURRENT MEANING AND DETAILS). DISCUSSION AND EXAMPLES OF DIFFERENT FAMILIES AND FAMILY TREES. INTERPRETATION AND UNDERSTANDING ON GIVING BACK/FOOD DRIVE/WHAT IT MEANS TO YOU? FINISH UP WITH THE LETTER F AND INTRODUCTION TO LETTERS G AND H. FINISH UP WITH NUMBER 6/SIX AND INTRODUCTION TO NUMBERS 7/SEVEN AND 8/EIGHT.

READ ALOUD: BOOKS WILL BE READ ACCORDING TO THE THEME OF THAT DAY. TOPICS ON THANKSGIVING, LETTERS F, G & H, BOOKS THAT INFLUENCE CREATIVITY, NATIVE AMERICANS AND KINDNESS RELATED.

FLUENCY & COMPREHENSION: READING DAILY PROVIDES STUDENTS WITH EXPRESSIVE READING. BECOMING FAMILIAR WITH A STORY BY UNDERSTANDING THE MAIN IDEA, KEY DETAIL(S) AND CHARACTER(S). LEARNING HOW TO ARTICULATE EXPRESSION THROUGH PITCH, WORD RECOGNITION, FACES AND PICTURES, INTRODUCES TONE AND FLUENCY FOR THE UNIT.

VOCABULARY: CORNUCOPIA, CRANBERRIES, KINDNESS, FAMILY, FEAST, FRIENDS, GATHERING, GOURD, GRATEFUL, MAYFLOWER, NATIVE AMERICANS, PIE, PILGRIM, POTATOES, RHOMBUS, SHARING, STUFFING, THANKFUL, THANKSGIVING, TIPI(TEEPEE), TURKEY.

COLORS: COMPREHENSION OF THE COLORS ASSOCIATED WITH NOVEMBER WHICH ARE YELLOW, GOLD AND RED.

LETTER OF THE WEEK: LETTERS F, G & H.

MATH: INTRODUCTION TO SIMPLE ADDITION AND SUBTRACTION THROUGH WORKSHEETS AND HANDS ON LEARNING ACTIVITIES. RECOGNISING SHAPES (FIND THE SHAPE ACTIVITIES/WORKSHEETS). THE RE-INTRODUCTION TO NUMBERS 1 THROUGH 6 AND WORD RECOGNITION OF NUMBERS ONE THROUGH SIX. INTRO TO 7(SEVEN) AND 8(EIGHT). COUNTING AND PATTERN RECOGNITION WITH NUMBER BLOCKS AND ACTIVITIES.

LANGUAGE AND LITERACY: READ ALOUD AND STORYTELLING DAILY. ALPHABET PLAYDOUGH AND RAINBOW LETTER WRITING. SCAVENGER HUNT FOR EVERY NEW LETTER WE LEARN IN CLASS. I SPY WILL BUILD VOCABULARY AND THE UNDERSTANDING OF LANGUAGE AS WELL AS DEVELOPING SOCIAL SKILLS. LEARNING AND CREATING SONGS AND RHYMES.

CENTERS & ENRICHMENTS: UNDERSTANDING ALL THE HOUSING THAT NATIVE AMERICANS BUILT/LIVED IN AND CREATION OF A TIPI. MORNING CIRCLE TIME DAILY TO CREATE BASIC LEARNING OF THE DAYS, MONTHS, AND YEAR, SEASONS AND WEATHER. BUILD ON A CHILD'S SOCIAL SKILLS AND EMOTIONAL WELL BEING AND ENCOURAGE FULL PARTICIPATION. COMPREHENSION OF EVERYTHING THAT MAKES THANKSGIVING. THIS INCLUDES THE LEARNING ABOUT FOOD AND RECIPES ALONG WITH CREATING CRANBERRY PLAYDOH, CRAFTS AND PROJECTS, AND HISTORY. LEARNING AND UNDERSTANDING WHAT MAKES A FAMILY AND CREATING A FAMILY TREE. CONTINUE WITH NAME WRITING PRACTICE.START THE INTRODUCTION OF THE 5 SENSES WITH HANDS ON ACTIVITIES AND WORKSHEETS. READ BOOKS ABOUT THANKSGIVING AND MAKE CRAFTS TO CELEBRATE THE HOLIDAY. CREATIVITY ON THE KIDS FAVORITE FOODS AND DRAWING IT ON PLATES.

PHONICS: LEARNING ABOUT UPPERCASE AND LOWERCASE LETTERS FF, GG, AND HH AND THE SOUNDS THEY MAKE. INTRODUCTION TO A DIGRAPH WHICH ARE 2 LETTERS THAT CREATE A SOUND. THIS UNIT PLAN WILL FOCUS ON THE "TH" SOUND AND OCCURRENCE. INTRO TO, WHAT ARE VOWELS? HOW THEY ARE USED AND THE SOUNDS THEY MAKE.

SCIENCE:THROUGH EXPLANATION AND DISCOURSE, STUDENTS WILL LEARN THAT SCIENCE IS AND ALWAYS HAS BEEN A PART OF THEIR LIVES. AS BEGINNERS THE STUDENTS WILL GAIN AN UNDERSTANDING OF THE SCIENTIFIC METHOD, LEARNING WHAT A HYPOTHESIS IS AND HOW TO DEVELOP ONE, RECORD DATA AND COMPARE DATA. EXPERIMENTS WILL BE CONDUCTED IN THE CLASSROOM AND IN SCIENCE CLASS WITH IN CLASS ACTIVITIES AND WORKSHEETS. STUDENTS HAVE WEEKLY SCIENCE CLASS WITH MS. KATHY.

MUSIC: DURING CLASS WE WILL LISTEN TO VARIOUS KID FRIENDLY AND AGE-APPROPRIATE MUSIC. LEARNING SONGS, SING-A-LONGS, AND MUSICAL POEMS ON THE UNITS THEME(S). CONTINUE TO LEARN DAYS OF THE WEEK AND MONTHS OF THE YEAR SONG.

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