




The DAILY PROPHET

★ THE WIZARD WORLD'S BEGUILING BROADSHEET OF CHOICE ★ 



MRS. TERESA'S UPK CLASS SEPTEMBER 3rd - 13th

THIS MONTH'S UNIT 1

- Back to School
- Classroom Rules and Routine
- Introduction to Classroom Jobs and Tasks
- All About Me
- Friendship and Kindness
- Health & Safety at School
- Introduction to Student's Name Recognition



SPECIALS EVENTS

- Welcome to UPK!!
- Remembering 9/11
- Weekly Specials & Enrichments:
Science and Literacy class with Ms. Kathy

- **ART:** First Day Self Portrait, My First Day of UPK Handprint, "I Rocked My First Day of UPK Crown, September 11th Memorial Ribbon
- **SPANISH:** Introduction to Spanish with focus on "hola" (hi) and "adios" (bye). Days of the Week in Spanish. Numbers "uno" (one), "dos" (two), and "tres" (three).
- **VOCABULARY WORDS:** Apple, school, teachers, bus, pencil, backpack, books, scissors, glue, crayons, friends, calendar, seasons, Fall, months, September.
- **FINE MOTOR SKILLS:** Introduction of proper pencil grip, tracing, the use of glue sticks and the use of scissors.
- **CENTERS:** Various activities that promote the use of fine and gross motor skills. Activities that also help develop sensory, cognitive, and social skills (ex.: building, puzzles, dance/movement, dramatic play, problem solving).



UNITS OF STUDY

- **CIRCLE TIME:** Introduction to "Hello" and "Days of the Week" songs in English and in Spanish. Daily talk about our feelings." Weather discussion throughout the week. Introduction of the Seasons and Months of the year.
- **LETTER OF THE WEEK:** Introduction to the alphabet and discussion about how the letters in the alphabet have uppercase and lowercase letters.
- **COLOR:** Review all colors with a focus on the color YELLOW.
- **SHAPE:** Review all shapes with a focus on the CIRCLE.
- **READ ALOUD:** Stories related to back to school, making new friends, and books handpicked by students. Learn the basic parts of a book (front cover, back cover, spine, pages, book title, author and illustrator).
- **MATH:** Introduction to numbers. Counting from 1-10. Daily Calendar: counting the days of the week and each number of the day. Daily calendar sequencing/patterns. Daily Weather: count the sunny, cloudy and rainy days.
- **SCIENCE IN CLASS:** Explore our classroom and the nature around us at school. Soon we will start in class experiments! As beginner students, we will start gaining an understanding of the scientific method, learning what a hypothesis is and how to develop one, record data and compare data.
- **WRITING:** Introduce students to their name and tracing. In class worksheets on various topics in unit.

