

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
				1 Celebrating the color of the month: purple = morado and learning to differentiate colors (S, CD)
4 Reading a book by author of the month, Jane Yolen (LD)	5 "J" is for Japan: designing our own Japanese flags using finger-paints (CA, SS) *	6 Incorporating multiple languages as we learn to sign "airplane" and "car" (LD, PH)	7 Using our small and larger muscles by climbing in and out of our train made from cardboard boxes (PH)	8 Singing our song of the month, "It's a Small World" while we march around the center (PH, LD)
<i>Ask Your Child/Car Chatter:</i> Sing the song of the month in the car with your baby				
11 Practicing manners while learning Spanish during meal times: "please" = "por favor" and "you are welcome" = "de nada" (LD, SE)	12 Finger painting purple on aluminum foil (CA, PH)	13 I love you because expressing how we feel about our families by creating Valentine's cards (SE, CA, SS) *	14 "S" is for spaghetti – exploring our tactile sense in the sensory table with our fingers (S, PH)	15 Edgar says "be safe" as teachers remind us to use gentle hands (SE)
<i>Ask Your Child/Car Chatter:</i> Tell your baby that you love him/her				
18 Dr. Day Care is closed to observe Presidents' Day – enjoy!	19 Practicing crawling on a pentagon line on the floor (PH, M)	20 Blue + red = purple: mixing two primary colors to get a new color (S)	21 Good deed focus: making energizing snacks for community first responders (SS, PH)	22 "S" is for Sweden: creating our own Swedish flags using squares and rectangles (M, CA, PH) *
<i>Ask Your Child/Car Chatter:</i> Look for purple items around your home and point them out to your infant				
25 This is how we make friends: saying hello in different languages (LD, SE)	26 Creating a literacy-inspired art project with the author of the month, Jane Yolen (CA, L) *	27 Helicopter yoga pose: learning to balance and twist (PH)	28 Hello baby: exploring facial expressions in the mirror (SE)	
<i>Ask Your Child/Car Chatter:</i> Make silly faces at your baby and see if your baby copies you				

"Ask Your Child/Car Chatter"

Use these questions or suggestions to help your child make connections from school to home by talking about what was learned in school, connecting play to school concepts, and more!

Rhode Island Early Learning & Development Standards (RIELDS) Domains:

(Denotes calendar activities that are aligned with the RIELDS)

- CA – Creative Arts
- CD – Cognitive Development
- PH – Physical Health and Motor Development
- L – Literacy
- LD – Language Development
- M – Mathematics
- S – Science
- SE – Social and Emotional Development
- SS – Social Studies

Early Learning standards articulate shared expectations for what young children should know and be able to do. They provide a common language for measuring progress towards specific learning goals.



Curriculum Calendar

*denotes take home project that will be placed in your child's mailbox

Concepts of the Month

Topic of the Month: Around the World in 28 Days

Visit our website to see videos of our Curriculum Concepts! 

Color: purple = morado

Shape: pentagon = pentágono

Number: 100

Letters: J & S

Spanish Words: please = por favor You are welcome: de nada

Sight Words: around read

Author of the Month:

Jane Yolen

Suggested books to read together:

Fly With Me

How Do Dinosaurs Say I Love You?

How Do Dinosaurs Laugh Out Loud?

Owl Moon

How Do Dinosaurs Say Good Night?

You Nest Here

Song of the Month: It's a Small World

It's a world of laughter

A world of tears

It's a world of hopes

And a world of fears

There's so much that we share

That it's time we're aware

It's a small world after all

It's a small, small world

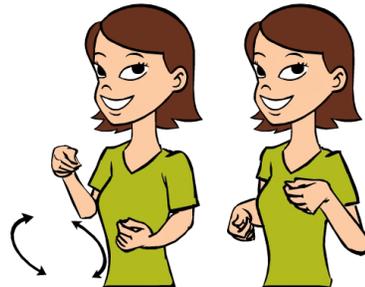
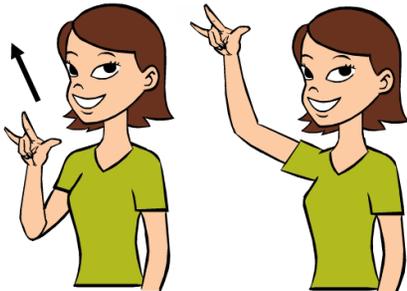
Metric Concept: Measurement

Measurement applies some of the earliest mathematics that children learn, and there are many informal and formal opportunities to support this development in the classroom. In play, measurement is already very meaningful, particularly around fairness.

Sign Language:

Airplane

Car



Yoga Pose:

Helicopter



Spotlight on....



Development in the domain of literacy serves as a foundation for reading and writing acquisition. The development of early literacy skills is critically important for children's future academic and personal success. Components within this domain address phonological awareness, alphabet knowledge, print awareness, text comprehension and interest, and emergent writing.