

Monthly Activities

Month: September

Age Group: Infants

Theme: Back to school, myself, friends & feelings, apples

Alphabet: Aa-Cc

Community Helper: Chef/Baker

Math Concepts: Shapes & Colors

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Week 1: Back to school	Take a walk down the sidewalk at school and look into all the different rooms.	Come early and read a book with your child in their classroom.	During drop off, talk to your child about his/her classmates.	Sing happy songs on the way to school.	Talk to your child about all the fun (s)he is going to have at school and the teachers that (s)he has.
Week 2: Myself, friends & feelings	Point out and name the different parts of your child's body.	Acknowledge your child's emotions.	Roll a small ball up and down your child's back or belly as you talk to them about how it feels.	Pick up early and talk to your child about the different people on the family wall in their classroom.	At drop off, have your child hug a friend or teacher before you leave school.
Week 3: Chef/Baker	Give your child small pieces of bread to explore. Talk to them about the bread.	Make music with pots, pans and ladles.	Introduce a new flavor to your child.	Take a trip to the bakery.	Talk to your child about dinner while you are preparing it.
Week 4: Aa-Cc Shapes & Colors Apples	Eat an apple with your child and emphasize on the sound /a/ for apple.	Go to the grocery store and look at all the different colors of apples.	Roll a ball back and forth and say "ball" every time you roll it to your child.	Allow your child to explore boxes of different sizes.	Name the colors of the toys your child is playing with.