

Lesson Planner

Pets

Theme 2
Family and Home
Week 3

Starting the Day

- Responds to and interacts with others (B.4.b.)
- Develops the inclination and ability to communicate, pay attention, and respond appropriately to others (B.3.f.)
- Begins to develop and demonstrate control over some of their feelings and behaviors (self-regulation) (B.3.d.)

Language Development

- Develops a playful interest in repetitive sounds and words (rhythm, rhyme, alliteration) (C.3.b.)
- Engages with stories and books (C.3.c.)

- Just Jasper and Me
- Old Gray Cat
- A Pet of My Own

Cognitive Development

- Uses senses to investigate environment to discover what objects and people do, how things work, and how they can make things happen (D.1.b.)
- Understands and begins to use oral language for conversation and communication (C.2.c.)

- Photo Activity Cards (12-13)
- Pet Graph
- Lost Dog
- Pet Homes

Social Emotional Development

- Develops a playful interest in repetitive sounds and words (rhythm, rhyme, alliteration) (C.3.b.)
- Engages in positive relationships and interactions with adults (B.1.d.)

- Pet Stories
- Doghouse
- This Little Kitty
- Caring for Dogs
- Smart Puppies

Physical Development

- Develops control of large muscles for movement, navigation, and balance (A.2.a.)
- Demonstrates receptive language and expressive language skills and communication strategies (C.1.d.)

- Cat Moves
- Doggie Tricks
- Fly Away
- Bone Toss
- Pet Moves
- The Trainer Says

Outdoor Play

- Develops control of large muscles for movement, navigation, and balance (A.2.a.)
- Uses hands or feet to touch objects or people (A.3.a.)

- Turtle Hunt
- Chasing Balls
- Dog and Bone

Learning Centers

- Gross Motor
 - Develops control of large muscles for movement, navigation, and balance (A.2.a.)
- Creativity Station
 - Demonstrates persistence in learning and discovery (E.2.a.)

- Pretend and Learn
 - Demonstrates interest, curiosity, and eagerness in exploring the world around them (E.1.a.)
- Discovery
 - Uses senses to investigate environment to discover what objects and people do, how things work, and how they can make things happen (D.1.b.)