



Month: February Week: 2 Subject: Creative Arts

Day 1	Topic(s) Theme: Happy Healthy Me! Number: 5 Letter: Hh Color: Pink Shape: Heart	Foundation(s) CA3.1: Demonstrate creative expression through the visual art process or experience. CA3.2: Demonstrate creative expression through visual art production and presentation.
Indicators	Younger Preschool	Older Preschool
	Explore and manipulate playdough to create simple shapes.	Form heart shapes and other designs using playdough.
Activities: The teacher will introduce playdough as a creative tool for shaping and molding. Children will be encouraged to roll, press, and shape playdough into hearts, letters, or other fun designs. The teacher will demonstrate how to create a heart shape using cookie cutters and encourage children to experiment with textures using different tools (forks, rolling pins, etc.). Older preschoolers can create patterns or stack pieces together to make unique designs.		
Resources/Materials • Red, pink, and white playdough • Heart-shaped cookie cutters • Rolling pins, and plastic utensils for texture play	Key Vocabulary: Press, Roll, Shape, Squish, Create	Support:  www.taminglittlemonsters.com



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Day 2	Topic(s) Theme: Happy Healthy Me! Number: 5 Letter: Hh Color: Pink Shape: Heart	Foundation(s) CA3.1: Demonstrate creative expression through the visual art process or experience. CA3.3: Demonstrate creative expression through art appreciation.
Indicators	Younger Preschool	Older Preschool
	Stamp hearts onto paper using sponge shapes.	Layer different colors to create heart patterns and designs.
Activities: Children will dip heart-shaped sponges into paint and stamp them onto paper to create a colorful heart collage . The teacher will introduce color mixing by asking, “ What happens when we mix red and white? ” Older preschoolers will be encouraged to overlap stamps to create patterns and experiment with blending colors .		
Resources/Materials • Sponges cut into heart shapes • Red, pink, and white paint • Large sheets of paper	Key Vocabulary: Stamp, Press, Paint, Color, Pattern	Support: 

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Day 3	Topic(s)		Foundation(s)	
	Theme: Happy Healthy Me! Number: 5 Letter: Hh Color: Pink Shape: Heart		CA3.2: Demonstrate creative expression through visual art production and presentation.	
Indicators	Younger Preschool		Older Preschool	
	Decorate a simple Valentine’s Day card using stickers and stamps.		Write or dictate a message and decorate a Valentine’s card.	
Activities: The teacher will explain that Valentine’s Day is a time to show love and appreciation. Children will create their own Valentine’s Day cards using paper, stickers, and markers. Younger preschoolers will decorate pre-folded cards with stickers and stamps , while older preschoolers will write simple messages like “I love you” or “You are my friend.” The teacher will help them sign their names and encourage them to give their card to a loved one or classmate.				
Resources/Materials - Pre-folded card templates - Stickers, heart cutouts, glitter - Markers, crayons		Key Vocabulary: Card, Love, Friend, Give, Decorate		Support: 

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Day 4	Topic(s)	Foundation(s)
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Preschool Curriculum

	Theme: Happy Healthy Me! Number: 5 Letter: Hh Color: Pink Shape: Heart	CA3.3: Demonstrate creative expression through art appreciation. CA3.1: Demonstrate creative expression through the visual art process or experience.
Indicators	Younger Preschool	Older Preschool
	Glue pre-cut hearts onto a collage.	Cut out their own hearts and arrange them into a collage.
Activities: The teacher will provide pre-cut heart shapes in different sizes and colors . Children will arrange and glue the hearts onto large sheets of paper to create a heart collage . Older preschoolers will cut out their own hearts and experiment with different layouts to create unique designs. The teacher will discuss how collages are a way to express creativity and share love .		
Resources/Materials - Red, pink, and white construction paper - Pre-cut hearts (for younger preschoolers) - Glue sticks, child-safe scissors	Key Vocabulary: Heart, Glue, Cut, Shape, Design	Support: 

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Day 5	Topic(s)	Foundation(s)
	Theme: Happy Healthy Me!	CA3.1: Demonstrate creative expression



	Number: 5 Letter: Hh Color: Pink Shape: Heart	through the visual art process or experience. CA3.2: Demonstrate creative expression through visual art production and presentation.
Indicators		
	Younger Preschool Experiment with different art materials.	Older Preschool Create an independent Valentine's-themed piece of art.
Activities: Children will have open access to an art station where they can create any Valentine's - themed artwork they want. The teacher will provide various materials such as paints, markers, glitter, heart stickers, and colored paper . Older preschoolers will be encouraged to draw pictures, make collages, or design their own unique Valentine's art . This activity encourages independent creativity and free expression .		
Resources/Materials • Paint, markers, crayons • Stickers, stamps, glue, scissors • Pre-cut hearts, doilies, construction paper	Key Vocabulary: Art, Create, Design, Free, Explore	Support: