

Commonwealth Children's Center

Room: Preschool
Teachers: Susan and Kim

Theme: Doctor
Field Trip: Athenaeum

Week Of: 03/10/08- 03/14/08	Literacy/Group	Music	Special Project
Monday 3/10/2008	Museum of Fine Arts Kristin and Nina will read a project related story in order to connect themes and information in books to personal experiences.	Museum of Fine Arts Kristin and Nina will read a project related story in order to connect themes and information in books to personal experiences.	Museum of Fine Arts We will use a variety of art materials in order to experiment with use of texture in artwork.
Tuesday 3/11/2008	Caillou the Doctor (Sharon) We will read <i>Caillou the Doctor</i> by Chouette in order to connect themes and information in books to personal experiences.	ABC's (Sharon) We will sing, "ABC's" in order to hear and discriminate the sounds of language.	Where's Your Heart? (Sharon) We will use theme-related props to experiment with use of texture in artwork in order to learn and identify the location of our heart.
Wednesday 3/12/2008	Your Heart We will read <i>Your Heart</i> by Melvin and Gilda Berger in order to learn more about the heart and to relate information to personal experiences.	Music with Philip We will participate in music and movement with Philip in order to express ourselves freely.	My First Yoga We will participate in yoga in order to demonstrate basic locomotor skills and show balance while moving.
Thursday 3/13/2008	Athenaeum We will go to the Athenaeum to listen to stories in order to connect themes and information in books to personal experiences	Athenaeum We will go to the Athenaeum to listen to stories in order to connect themes and information in books to personal experiences	Athenaeum We will go to the Athenaeum to listen to stories in order to connect themes and information in books to personal experiences
Friday 3/14/2008	Your Body We will read <i>Your Body</i> by Melvin and Gilda Berger in order to learn more about our bodies and to relate information to personal experiences.	This Is the Sign for ... We will sing, "This Is the Sign for.." in order to discriminate "doctor" , "hospital", "sick", and "healthy" in American Sign Language.	Movie: Sesame Street Goes to the Doctor We will watch "Sesame Street Goes to the Doctor" in order to learn more about doctor visits.

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Monday 3/10/2008	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED
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Tuesday 3/11/2008	Painting with Q-Tips (Sharon)	Painting with Q-Tips (Kim)	Painting with Q-Tips (Lily)
	We will use theme-related props in order to experiment with use of texture in artwork.	We will use theme-related props in order to experiment with use of texture in artwork.	We will use theme-related props in order to experiment with use of texture in artwork.
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Thursday 3/13/2008	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED
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Friday 3/14/2008	Band-Aid Art	Band-Aid Art	Band-Aid Art
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Monday 3/10/2008	Bean Bag Toss We will toss bean bags in order to demonstrate our ability to throw overhand.	Crayons We will use tools for writing and drawing in order to create artwork.	Sand, Containers, Strainers, and Spoons We will use containers, strainers, and spoons in order to compare and measure sand.
Tuesday 3/11/2008	Small Blocks We will use tools for building in order to show awareness of position in space.	Dry Markers We will use tools for writing and drawing in order to create artwork.	Sand, Cups, Tongue Depressors We will use cups and tongue depressors in order to explore cause and effect.
Wednesday 3/12/2008	Balls We will use teamwork and cooperation and upper body coordination in order to roll balls to a friend.	Massachusetts Preschool Hospital We will use a variety of art materials to experiment with texture in artwork in order to decorate our hospital sign.	Soapy Water, Funnels, and Shovels We will use shovels and funnels in order to explore cause and effect with water.
Thursday 3/13/2008	Doctor's Office We will use props in order to take on pretend roles, make believe with friends, and imitate real life situations.	Paint We will use tools for writing and drawing in order to create artwork based on memory and imagination.	Water, Spinners, and Cups We will use spinners and cups in order to explore cause and effect with water.
Friday 3/14/2008	Doctor's Office We will use props in order to take on pretend roles, make believe with friends, and imitate real life situations.	Magnetic Letters and Board We will use magnetic letters to create words in order to demonstrate our knowledge of the alphabet.	Washing Babies We will use props in order to take on pretend roles and to make believe with friends.

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Monday 3/10/2008	Nametags and Markers We will use tools for writing and drawing in order to demonstrate our knowledge of the alphabet and some letters in our name.	Doctor Puzzle We will show awareness of position in space in order to complete a theme-related puzzle.	Pattern Blocks and Pattern Pictures We will use pattern blocks in order to recognize and repeat patterns.
Tuesday 3/11/2008	Alphabet Bingo and Mini Dinosaurs We will use teamwork and cooperation to play alphabet bingo in order to demonstrate our knowledge of the alphabet.	Medical Tools and Markers We will control small muscles in our hands and coordinate eye-hand movement in order to trace medical tools.	Geo Boards We will control small muscles in our hands and coordinate eye-hand movement in order to create with rubber bands.
Wednesday 3/12/2008	Stencils and Crayons We will use tools for writing and drawing and coordinate eye-hand movement in order to trace stencils.	Ambulance Puzzle We will show awareness of position in space in order to complete a theme-related puzzle.	Colored Blocks and Numbered Cards We will use numbers and counting skills in order to match blocks on number cards.
Thursday 3/13/2008	Alphabet Cookie Cutters, Nametags, and Play Dough We will use alphabet cookie cutters in order to demonstrate knowledge of the alphabet and some letters in our name.	Hand X-Ray and Magnifying Glasses We will observe x-rays in order to apply knowledge or experience to a new context.	Doctor Kit and Babies We will use props in order to take on pretend roles, make believe with friends, and act out theme related situations.
Friday 3/14/2008	Alphabet Puzzles We will demonstrate knowledge of the alphabet in order to complete alphabet puzzles.	Doctor De Soto Story tape We will listen to "Doctor De Soto" in order to hear and discriminate the sounds of language related to our theme.	Doctor People Props, City Blocks, and Cars We will use props in order to take on pretend roles, make believe with friends, and act out theme related situations.