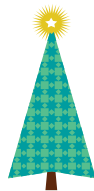


December



PRESCHOOL — THREE AND FOUR YEAR OLDS



Monday



Tuesday



Wednesday



Thursday



Friday



THEMES:

- 1.) Occupations
- 2.) Holidays Around the World
- 3.) Christmas
- 4.) Welcoming The New Year

DAILY PRESCHOOL ACTIVITIES:

Calendar, Alphabet, Counting, Colors, Shapes, Stories, Songs, FingerPlays, Weather, Flash Cards, Morning & Afternoon Worksheet

BOOKS:

- 1.) We're Going on a Lion Hunt
 - 2.) Celebrating Hanukkah
 - 3.) Celebrating Christmas
 - 4.) Chinese New Year
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- 1.) Zoo Fun
 - 2.) Hanukkah is Here at Last
 - 3.) Jingle Bells
 - 4.) It's a New Year

1 Construction Worker

Art: Color Different Tools
Play with Our Wooden Blocks and Tools
Game: Tool Matching
Rainbow Write Names
Let's Hammer Golf Tees in Styrofoam Blocks
Show & Tell Something Relating to Occupations

2 Veterinarian

Art: Dogs
Game: Doggy, Doggy Where's Your Bone
We'll Pretend to Be Veterinarians
The #4 for Four Dogs
Let's Put Dog Bones in Number Order

3 Chef

Art: Paint With Cooking Tools
Dramatic Play: Kitchen Area
Q-Tip Dot Numbers
Weekly Reader
Rainbow Write the Number 4 in Our Journals

6 Sweden

Art: Candle Wreath Crowns
Discussion: What is St. Lucia's Day?
Let's Find Different Countries on the Globe
We'll Cut & Color Shapes

7 Africa

Art: Kwanzaa Candles
Discussion: What is Kwanzaa?
We'll Read a Surprise Kwanzaa Book
The Letter "KK" for Kwanzaa

8 Mexico

Art: Poinsettias
Dramatic Play: Let's Have a Fiesta
Music: Dancing to Spanish Holiday Music
Show & Tell Something Relating to the Holiday You Celebrate

9 Israel

Art: Hanukkah Handprints
Discussion: What is Hanukkah & Who Celebrates It?
FingerPlay: Hanukkah Lights
Social Studies: Human Menorah
We'll Play with Dreidels
The #5 for Five Dreidels

10 India

Art: Diwali Rangoli
Journals
Kindle Play
Weekly Reader
Diwali Sensory Table

13

Art: Holiday Fingerprint Lights
Discussion: Where Do You Celebrate the Holidays?
Dramatic Play: Dress Up for a Party
We'll Play with Bells & Magnets in the Sensory Table

14

Art: Reindeer Hats
Sensory Table: Gift Wrap Fun
Let's Sing Christmas Carols
The Letter "Cc" for Christmas
We'll Play Find the Elf

15

Christmas Party!
Dress in Green & Red
Visit from Santa!
Treats are Welcome
The #6 for Six Christmas Trees
We'll Stack Green Cups to Look Like a Tree

16

Art: Fingerprint Candy Canes
Kindle Play
Journals
Let's Make Candy Canes With Play Doh
Name Worksheet
We'll Decorate Magna Tile Trees with Bells
Show & Tell Something Relating to Christmas

17

Art: Cookie Cutter Prints
Santa Letter Puzzles
Math: Counting Gum Drops
We'll Practice Beginning Sounds
Weekly Reader

20

Art: Christmas Tree Collage
Let's Pretend to Make Holiday Cookies with Play Doh
Practice Cutting
Christmas Sensory Table

21

Winter Begins
Art: Gingerbread Man
The Letter "Gg" for Gifts
Kindle Play
Let's Listen to Christmas Music

22

Art: Ornaments
Journals
Discussion: What Do You Want Santa to Bring for Christmas?
Math: Christmas Pattern Blocks
Let's Sing Christmas Carols
Christmas Tree Ornament Dots Worksheet
Show & Tell Child's Choice

23

Art: Paint with Red & Green Christmas Coloring
Let's Discuss Christmas Traditions
Weekly Reader
The #7 for Seven Ornaments

24

Merry Christmas

27

Art: Clocks
Journal: My Clocks
Let's Play with Our Clocks
Kindle Play
Number Flashcards
We'll Make Clocks with Play Doh

28

Art: New Year Wand
Game: Matching
Large Motor: Freeze Dance
We'll Watch a Special Movie and Have Pop Corn
Shape Worksheet
The Letter "Nn" for New Year

29

Art: Balloon Fireworks
Discussion: What are You Doing for New Year's?
Math: Countdown
Matching ABC's Fireworks Worksheet
Show & Tell Your Favorite Gift

30

Pajamas Day!
Art: Decorate 2022
Special Movie & Popcorn
Kindle Play
FingerPlay: Cheer for the New Year
The #8 for Eight Fireworks

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Happy New Year



PRESCHOOL THREE & FOUR YEAR OLDS SONGS & FINGERPLAYS FOR DECEMBER

In Santa's Workshop

In Santa's Work Shop Far Away, Ten Little Elves Work Night & Day
This Little Elf Makes Candy Canes, This Little Elf Builds Streamline Trains
This Little Elf Paints Dolls for Girls, This Little Elf Puts in Their Curls
This Little Elf Dips Chocolate Drops, This Little Elf Makes Lollipops
This Little Elf Packs Each Jack-In-The-Box, This Little Elf Sews Dolly Socks
This Little Elf Wraps Books for Girls & Boys, This Little Elf Checks Off the Toys
As Santa Packs Them in His Sleigh, Ready for You on Christmas Day

Traffic Policeman

The Traffic Policeman Holds Up His Hand (Hold Up Hand, Palm Forward)
He Blows the Whistle (Pretend to Blow Whistle)
He Gives the Command (Hold Up Hand Again)
When the Cars are Stopped (Hold Up Hand Again)
He Waves at Me; Then I Cross the Street, You See
(Wave Hand as If Indicating for Someone to Go)

Hanukkah is Here at Last {Mary Had a Little Lamb}

Hanukkah is Here at Last, Here at Last, Here at Last
Hanukkah is Here at Last, It's Fun for Everyone
We Pass the Presents Back & Forth, Back & Forth, Back & Forth
We Pass the Present Back & Forth, It's Fun to Give a Gift
We Open the Presents Rip, Rip, Rip; Rip, Rip, Rip; Rip, Rip, Rip
We Open the Presents Rip, Rip, Rip; It's Fun to Get a Gift
We Light the Menorah the Candles Burn, Candles Burn, Candles Burn
We Light the Menorah the Candles Burn, It's a Beautiful Light to See
Hanukkah is Here at Last, Here at Last, Here at Last
Hanukkah is Here at Last, It's Fun for Everyone

Hanukkah Lights

1 Light, 2 Lights, 3 Lights, & 4; 5 Lights, 6 Lights, & Three More
Twinkle, Twinkle Nine Pretty Lights; In a Golden Menorah Bright

Jingle Bells

Dashing Through the Snow, In a One Horse Open Sleigh
O'er the Fields We Go, Laughing All the Way, Ha, Ha, Ha
Bells on Bobtail Ring, Making Spirits Bright
What Fun It Is to Ride & Sing, A Sleighing Song Tonight
Oh, Jingle Bells, Jingle Bells, Jingle All the Way
Oh What Fun It is to Ride in a One Horse Open Sleigh, Hey
Jingle Bells, Jingle Bells, Jingle All the Way
Oh What Fun It is to Ride in a One Horse Open Sleigh, Hey

Five Little Christmas Cookies

Five Little Christmas Cookies on a Plate by the Door
One was Eaten and Then There were Four
Four Little Christmas Cookies Gazing Up at Me
One was Eaten and Then There were Three
Three Little Christmas Cookies Enough for Me & You
One was Eaten and Then There were Two
Two Little Christmas Cookies Sitting in the Sun
One was Eaten and Then There was One
One Little Christmas Cookie Better Grab it Fast
As You Can See the Others Surely Didn't Last

Presents

See All the Presents by the Christmas Tree? (Hand Shades Eyes)
Some for You (Point); And Some for Me (Point)
Long Ones, (Extend Arms); Tall Ones (Measure Hand Up from Floor)
Short Ones, Too (Hand to Floor – Low)
And Here is a Round One (Circle with Arms) Wrapped in Blue
Isn't it Fun to Look & See (Hand Shade Eyes)
All of the Presents by the Christmas Tree? (Arms Open Wide)

It's a New Year

It's a Brand New Year, It's a Time of Joy; Full of Happiness for Each Girl & Boy
So Let's All Shout, and Let's All Cheer, Year 2022 Now is Here!

Cheer the Year

Cheer, Cheer, Cheer the Year (Raise Arm Up & Down) A New One's Just Begun
We'll Celebrate with All Our Friend's, Let's Go Have Some Fun (Beckon to Others)
Clap, Clap, Clap Our Hands (Clap) A Brand New Year is Here
We'll Laugh & Learn & Sing & Clap, Through Another Year (Give a Cheer)