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Month	Standard/Learning Target	Program Materials/Resources	Vocabulary	Assessment	Writing
<i>September</i> <i>Color: Red, Yellow</i> <i>Shape: Circle, Square</i>	Social Skills Following Directions	Classroom materials	Sharing, no thank you, yes please, line up, criss cross, carpet sitting, manners	Observational/ Highscope for all below	Students will draw a circle and square (usually scribbles at this point)
	Apples	Parents donate apples	Core, seeds, red, yellow, green, stem, applesauce, stamping, graphing	Have students color a blank apple the color of their favorite apple.	Students finish sentence: My favorite color apple is.... Draw apples.
	Emotions	Boces Kit	Happy, sad, angry, frustrated, disappointed, grumpy, silly, scared, surprised, upset	Students will tell emotions by looking at a face.	Students finish the sentence Today I feel...Draw a face in a circle.
<i>October</i> <i>Color: Orange, Blue</i> <i>Shape: Triangle, Rectangle</i>	Firefighter	Firefighters come into class	Stop, Drop and Roll, firetruck, Firefighter, fire, smoke, escape, meeting spot, hot, safety, boots, mask, oxygen tank, Clothing	Students will sort what is safe to touch and not safe to touch.	Students will draw a triangle and rectangle. (usually scribbles a this point)
	Spiders & Bats	Classroom materials	8 legs, wings, bugs, echolocation, night/day, webs	Students tell how many legs a spider has.	Students will draw 8 lines to make a spider off a pre drawn circle.
	Pumpkins	Pumpkin to gut. Materials from the classroom.	Seed, sprout, plant, pulp, stem, sink/float, orange	Students glue the life cycle of a pumpkin	Students will draw pumpkin guts inside of a pre drawn pumpkin.
	Halloween	Classroom supplies.	Holiday, costume, candy, safety, orange, black, cats, witches, skeleton, ghost, trick or treating, sharing, manners	Students will count 5 pumpkins.	Students will draw 5 pumpkins (circles)
<i>November</i> <i>Color: Green, Brown</i> <i>Shape: Oval, Octagon</i>	Scarecrow Fall	Classroom supplies.	Hay, Straw, crow, leaves, changing color, trees, weather, acorns, squirrels	Students will tell colors of the changing leaves.	Students will draw an oval and octagon (scribble at this point)
	Thanksgiving	Classroom supplies.	Pilgrims, Native Americans, Mayflower, Boats, Sharing, Family, Food, Turkey, feathers, voyage, Thankful	Students can tell food that are	Students will finish the sentence, My favorite Thanksgiving

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		Family gathering for activities and Thanksgiving lunch.		eaten on Thanksgiving.	food is...Then draw their favorite food.
	Habitats: Desert, Jungle	BOCES kit. Desert animals, Jungle animals. Habitat items.	Desert, Hot, sand, desert animals, Jungle, wet, plants, jungle animals, rain, habitat	Students will sort jungle and desert animals.	Students will finish the sentence, My favorite desert or jungle animals is. They will then draw a picture.
<i>December</i> <i>Color: Purple, Black</i> <i>Shape: Pentagon, Star</i>	Hibernation	Animals that hibernate. Habitat items.	Cold, sleep, hibernate, which animals hibernate vs. animals that don't hibernate, fur, feathers, coats, weather, winter, spring	Name one animal that hibernates.	Students will draw a cave to hide a paper bear in.
	Christmas	Classroom items. Families join for an activity day, visit from Santa and cooking making.	Red, green, stars, angels, Christmas trees, snow, Santa, elves, reindeer, snowman, thankful, presents, bells, North Pole, glitter, stocking, lights, wreaths, ornaments,	Students will count 5 elves.	Students will draw circle bulbs on a pre drawn Christmas tree.
<i>January</i> <i>Color: Grey</i> <i>Shape: Trapezoid, Diamond</i>	Gingerbread Man	Classroom items. Items for a Gingerbread Hunt	Dough, cookie, run, cinnamon, molasses, spices, fox, old lady, old man, decorate, frosting, cookie cutter	Students will "read" the part of the story that says, Run-Run as fast as you can. You can't catch me I am a Gingerbread man.	Students will draw the parts on a pre-drawn gingerbread man.
	Letter A	Letter A items.	Alligator, apple, ant, antelope, aardvark	Students will tell one word that starts with the letter A.	Students will trace slanted lines that are present in the letter A.
	Arctic Animals	Animals that live in the artic. Items that show what the habitat looks like.	Cold, ice, blubber, animals, fur, fat, seal, polar bear, penguin, water, fish	Students will tell one animal that lives in the artic. They will describe the artic habitat.	Students will finish the sentence, My favorite artic animal is... They will then draw a picture.

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	Letter B	Items that begin with the letter B	Bear, balloon, boat, bread, breakfast, bottle, beautiful, bird, basket	Students will tell one word that starts with the letter B	Students will trace lines that are included in the letter B.
	Letter C	Items that begin with the letter C.	Car, cat, caterpillar, colors, clown, camel, cow	Students will tell one word that starts with the letter B	Students will trace lines that are included in the letter c.
	Community Helpers	BOCES kit Faces with different emotions on it.	Community, post man, Hairdresser, firefighter, doctor, nurse, vet, teacher, police officer, construction worker, chef, Principal, Garbage man	Students will tell 3 different community helpers.	Students will finish the sentence, When I grow up I want to be....They will then draw a picture.
	Letter D	Items that begin with the letter D.	Dinosaur, dog, Dad, dolphin, doughnut, deliver, dark, daisy, dance	Students will tell one word that starts with the letter B	Students will trace lines that are included in the letter D
	Dinosaur	BOCES Kit. Dinosaurs of all kinds.	Types of Dinos, extinct, carnivore and herbivore, plants, meat	Students will count 10 dinosaurs.	Students will complete the sentence, My favorite dinosaur is... They will then draw a picture.
<i>February Color: Pink, White Shape: Heart, Hexagon</i>	Letter E	Items that begin with the letter E.	Elephant, eel, eagle, egg, enormous, emu, ear, elbow, eye, envelope	Students will tell one word that starts with the letter B	Students will trace lines that are included in the letter E
	Valentine	Classroom supplies.	Heart, pink, white, love, candy, cards, cupid	Students will name 9 colors.	Students will trace the heart pattern.
	Letter F	Items that begin with the letter F.	Fish, fox, fast, friend, fire, fingers, feet, face, feather, fly	Students will tell one word that begins with the letter F.	Students will trace lines that are included in the letter F.
	Transportation	Boces Kit. Items of all different modes of transportation.	Train, car, bus, truck, airplane, subway, boat, helicopter, construction vehicles, hot air balloon, road, highway, sidewalk, bicycle, unicycle, scooter, skateboard, fast, slow	Students will tell 3 different modes of transportation.	Students will finish the sentence, My favorite mode of transportation is...

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					They will then draw a picture.
	Letter G	Items that begin with the letter G	Giraffe, goat, ghost, grape, goose, gander, great, gas, giant	Students will tell one word that begins with the letter G.	Students trace lines that are in the letter G.
	Dr. Seuss	Guest readers	Rhyming, books, cat in the hat, foot, Horton, thing 1, thing 2	Students will make a red and white pattern for a hat.	Students will finish the sentence, If I had a cat in the hat I would name it..... They will then draw a picture.
<i>March Color: Silver, Gold</i>	Letter H	Items that begin with the letter H.	Heart, hot, hand, house, horse, hero, hear, hippo, hip, holiday	Students will tell one word that begins with the letter H.	Students trace lines that are in the letter H.
	Letter I	Items that begin with the letter I.	Iguana, ice cream, igloo, insect, ice, in, inchworm	Students will tell one word that begins with the letter I.	Students trace lines that are in the letter I.
	Rainbows		Colors, rain, sun, red, orange, yellow, blue, green, purple, prism	Students will tell the colors in a rainbow.	Students will trace the curved lines of a rainbow with the colors.
	Letter J	Items that begin with the letter J.	Jaguar, jar, jump, jelly, jewel, jeep	Students will tell one word that begins with the letter J.	Students trace lines that are in the letter J.
	Letter K	Items that begin with the letter K.	Kite, kangaroo, kiwi, key, karate, knight, kid	Students will tell one word that begins with the letter K.	Students trace lines that are in the letter K.
	St. Patrick's Day		Rainbow, pot of gold, leprechaun, shiny, coins, beard, sneaky,	Students will count independently 10 coins.	Students will finish the sentence, If I found a pot of gold, I would buy.... They will then draw a picture.

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	Letter L	Items that begin with the letter L.	Lion, lucky, ladybug, lunch, lifesaver, leopard, lose, llama, lizard	Students will tell one word that begins with the letter L..	Students trace lines that are in the letter L.
	Letter M	Items that begin with the letter M.	Mouse, monster, mini, moth, moose, mouth, monkey, money	Students will tell one word that begins with the letter M.	Students trace lines that are in the letter M.
	Monster	Classroom items.	Scary, friendly, colorful, shapes, hairy, spikey, smooth, bumpy, scaly, rough, tail, nails, teeth	Students will tell describing words for a monster.	Students will finish the sentence, If I had a monster I would name it. Then draw a picture of their monster.
	Letter N	Items that begin with the letter N.	Nest, nickel, nails, nuts. Nothing, none	Students will tell one word that begins with the letter N.	Students trace lines that are in the letter N.
	Easter	Classroom items.	Eggs, decorate, bunny, chick, ham, chocolate, bonnet, basket, search, hiding	Students will name the colors of the eggs.	Students will trace lines around easter eggs and color them in.
<i>April</i>	Letter O	Items that begin with the letter O.	Octopus, open, orange, orangutan, oval, ox	Students will tell one word that begins with the letter O..	Students trace lines that are in the letter O.
	Letter P	Items that begin with the letter P.	Plant, pig, push, pull, pencil, peanut, pickle, penguin, panda, pizza	Students will tell one word that begins with the letter P.	Students trace lines that are in the letter P.
	Letter Q	Items that begin with the letter Q.	Queen, quail, quit, quick, quiver, quiet, question	Students will tell one word that begins with the letter Q.	Students trace lines that are in the letter Q.
	Letter R	Items that begin with the letter R.	Racoon, radio, race, right, red, run, raisin, roof	Students will tell one word that	Students trace lines that are in the letter R.

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	Letter S	Items that begin with the letter S.	Sun, snake, snow, spaghetti, , salamander, slide, shy, selfish	Students will tell one word that begins with the letter S.	Students trace lines that are in the letter S.
	Letter T	Items that begin with the letter T.	Turtle, tiger, talk, transform, train, track, trust, tail, turn	Students will tell one word that begins with the letter T.	Students trace lines that are in the letter T.
	Letter U	Items that begin with the letter U.	Unicorn, uncle, under, upset, underwear, use, umbrella	Students will tell one word that begins with the letter U.	Students trace lines that are in the letter U.
	Plants and Bloom (May)		Plants, dirt, soil, sun, water, seed, sprout, plant, flower, grow, variety, vegetables, petals,	Students glue the life cycle of a plant in order.	Students draw/trace flowers.
<i>May</i>	Letter V	Items that begin with the letter V.	Violin, vase, vinegar, voice, vanilla, vegetable, vacuum	Students will tell one word that begins with the letter V.	Students trace lines that are in the letter V.
	Letter W	Items that begin with the letter W.	Water, watermelon, walrus, want, wind, wacky, witch, wonderful, whale	Students will tell one word that begins with the letter W.	Students trace lines that are in the letter W
	Letter X	Items that begin with the letter F.	Xray, xylophone, xray fish	Students will tell one word that begins with the letter X.	Students trace lines that are in the letter X
	Letter Y	Items that begin with the letter F.	Yellow, yak, yes, yam, yesterday, yell, yarn	Students will tell one word that begins with the letter Y.	Students trace lines that are in the letter Y.
	Letter Z	Items that begin with the letter F.	Zebra, zoo, zip, zap, zigzag, zombies	Students will tell one word that begins with the letter Z.	Students trace lines that are in the letter Z

