

Our Curriculum Guide at a Glance

Level 3 – Young Fives



Language/English

Recites the alphabet
Concepts
Opposites
Sign Language
Describes objects using color & shape
Discusses problem solving by talking
Retells, 4-5 step sequence in a story
Use full sentences with correct grammar
Takes turns in conversation
Predicts what will happen next in a story
Summarizes a story

Reading/Phonics

Letter names, sounds, tracing, & recognition
Beginning & ending sounds
Color words
Recognize first & last name
Letter dot-to-dot
Storytime
Auditory drills
Early reading books
Read & trace number words zero-ten

Writing

Trace & write letters, numbers, & first and **last names**
Holding a pencil correctly
Trace letters & numbers from top to bottom, left to right

Science/Technology

Colors: recognition, sequencing, sorting, & **blending**
Food groups
5 senses
Animal science
Human body
Weather
Sound
Plants
Rain forest
Magnets
H²O cycle
Educational computer games
Volcanoes
Weekly Hands on science experiments
Planets
Storms

Gross Motor Skills

Developing Large Motor Skills and Coordination through:
Running in place
Dribbling a ball
Throwing a ball in the air and catching it
Walking forwards & backwards on a line
Galloping/skipping
Throwing a ball overhand
Hopping on one foot in place
Jumping forward 10 x's
Parachute play
Group games
Rolling a ball at a target
Gym
Inflatables
Indoor Playland
Playground
Rock climbing wall

Fine Motor Skills

Developing Fine Motor Skills through:
Coloring the correct colors
Coloring in the lines
Cutting
Painting
Snapping, buttoning, buckling, & zipping
Kneading Play-Doh
Puzzles
Crafts
Stringing beads
Tying shoes

Drawing

Games

Memory games
Duck-duck-goose
Simon says
Hot potato
Red Light, Green Light
BINGO- shape, animal, number, letter, picture

Math

Numbers: counting, recognition, tracing
Shape recognition
Number dot-to-dot 0-20
Coins
Time
Patterns
Sequencing
Patterns of 3
Ordinals
Addition & subtraction 0-5
Sets

Classroom Courtesies/Self Help

Learning to wait for your turn
Learning to make new friends
Sitting still during class time
Exhibiting self-control when corrected
Playing well with others
Working well independently
Participating in class
Following a 3 step direction
Picking up toys
Quiet when the teacher is talking/ not interrupting
Good manners
15 min attention span
Verbalizing needs to teacher
Walking in a line

Chores

Social Studies

United States & World map

Countries & Continents

United States President
Pledge of Allegiance
Patriotic themes
Family
Holidays
Birthday
Neighborhood
Community helpers
Traffic signs
Calendar: days, months, seasons, **past & present**
Bible: stories, songs, memory, & drama
Character Traits
Spending, saving & earning money

Music

Clap & march in time with the music
Instrument names
7 Continents song
Singing with motions
Participation in our Christmas, Easter, & Graduation programs
Letter songs

