

CHILDREN'S CENTER OF NORTH HARFORD
SUGGESTED UNITS OF STUDY
For Three Year Olds and Four Year Olds

MONTH	THREE YEAR OLDS	FOUR YEAR OLDS
SEPTEMBER	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * GETTING ACQUAINTED * MAKING NEW FRIENDS * SHARING AND CARING * LEARNING ABOUT SCHOOL * MYSELF AND MY FAMILY * RECOGNIZING FIRST NAME * INTRODUCTION TO COLORS: RED 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * GETTING ACQUAINTED * LEARNING & REVIEWING SCHOOL ROUTINES * REVIEWING COLORS: RED * MYSELF, MY FAMILY, MY HOME * LEARNING ADDRESSES * REVIEWING COLORS: RED * INTRODUCTION TO NUMERALS: # 0 AND # 1
OCTOBER	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * AUTUMN ACTIVITIES: HARVESTING, INSECTS, NUTS * HALLOWEEN * PAINTING AT EASEL * MANIPULATING SCISSORS * SHAPE: CIRCLE * COLOR: ORANGE 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * AUTUMN ACTIVITIES: HARVESTING, INSECTS, COCOONS, NUTS, SEEDS, LEAVES, ETC. * HALLOWEEN * LEARNING & REVIEWING SHAPES: CIRCLE * COLOR: ORANGE * NUMERAL: # 2 * FINGERPAINTING * FIREMEN, FIRE ENGINE * COLUMBUS DAY
NOVEMBER	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * THANKSGIVING * SHAPE: SQUARE * COLOR: BROWN * SINK & FLOAT ACTIVITIES * SEASONAL CHANGES: ANIMALS * NURSERY RHYMES 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * THANKSGIVING * SHAPE: SQUARE * COLOR: BROWN * SINK & FLOAT ACTIVITIES * SEASONAL CHANGES: ANIMALS * MAGNETS * NUMERAL: #3
DECEMBER	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES * SHAPES: TRIANGLE & STAR * COLOR: GREEN * A VISIT FROM SANTA 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES * SHAPES: TRIANGLE & STAR * COLOR: GREEN * NUMERAL: # 4 * A VISIT FROM SANTA
JANUARY	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * WINTER WEATHER * FREEZE & THAW * BIRDS * SHAPE: RECTANGLE * COLOR: BLUE * TRANSPORTATION 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * WINTER WEATHER * BIRDS * FREEZE AND THAW * STORYTELLING AND SEQUENCING * FAIRY TALES * IDENTIFYING LAST NAME * SIMPLE MACHINES * SHAPE: RECTANGLE * COLOR: BLUE * NUMERAL: # 5 * MARTIN LUTHER KING

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MONTH	THREE YEAR OLDS	FOUR YEAR OLDS
FEBRUARY	<ul style="list-style-type: none">* VALENTINES* LITTLE BEAR'S PANCAKE PARTY* COMMUNITY HELPERS* GOOD HEALTH* COLOR: PURPLE* SHAPE: HEART	<ul style="list-style-type: none">* VALENTINES* COMMUNITY HELPERS* DINOSAURS* RECOGNIZING PHONE* COUNTING 1 TO 20* SHAPE: HEART* NUMERAL: # 6* COLOR: PURPLE* RHYMING WORDS* PRESIDENT'S DAY
MARCH	<ul style="list-style-type: none">* SAINT PATRICK'S DAY* WIND & AIR* CIRCUS* OPPOSITES/OPPOSITES CONCEPTS* COLOR: YELLOW* SHAPE: DIAMOND	<ul style="list-style-type: none">* SAINT PATRICK'S DAY* WIND & AIR* NIGHT AND DAY* THE 5 SENSES* TRANSPORTATION* SHAPES: DIAMOND/OVAL* COLOR: YELLOW* NUMERAL: # 7
APRIL	<ul style="list-style-type: none">* HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES* RAIN, SPRING, AND NEW LIFE* ZOO ANIMALS* COLORS: BLACK & WHITE* SHAPE: OVAL	<ul style="list-style-type: none">* HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES* SEED PLANTING* NUTRITION/COOKING* RAINBOWS & CLOUDS* COLORS: PASTELS* NUMERALS: # 8 & # 9
MAY / JUNE	<ul style="list-style-type: none">* MOTHER'S DAY TEA* FARM & FARM ANIMALS* COLORS: PASTELS* LAST DAY FAMILY PICNIC	<ul style="list-style-type: none">* MOTHER'S DAY TEA* PETS, ZOO, AND FARM ANIMALS* NUMERAL: # 10* COLORS: BLACK & WHITE* LAST DAY FAMILY PICNIC AND GRADUATION

* PLEASE NOTE: ALL TOPICS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE ACCORDING TO THE INTERESTS OF CHILDREN. WHILE MANY TOPICS/UNITS OF STUDY LISTED ON THE CENTER'S CURRICULUM GUIDELINE ARE THE SAME FOR BOTH THREE AND FOUR YEAR OLDS, ACTIVITIES RELATED TO THE TOPICS ARE VARIED ACCORDING TO THE AGE GROUPING AND DEVELOPMENTAL MATURITY OF THE CHILDREN.