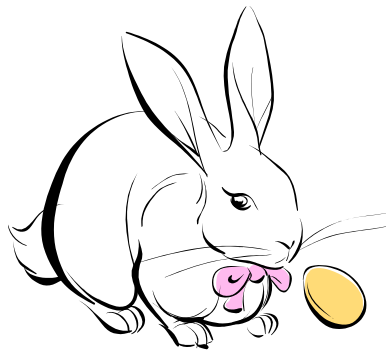


PRESCHOOL AND TODDLER EASTER LESSONS



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EASTER UNIT

Goals:

Literacy: Practice 3 new letter sounds. Blend CVC words.

Math: Patterns, and Number recognition 0-5.

Science: Following directions, dying eggs

Social Science: Easter

Sensory Bin Themes:

Easter Bin: Plastic eggs, colored rice, bunnies, cotton balls, marshmallow peeps, rocks, grass(fake) silk flowers, and popsicle stick crosses

Easter Letters: E is for Egg, B is for basket, C is for Cross,

Easter Math: Colored eggs (patterns), count the eggs, find the Egg with the Number on it

(Easter first in 2013, Easter is in March☺)

Day 1 (March 4)

- Bible Study color sheet with Wayne (About Jesus and the Cross)
- ABC song and dance, (Kohl down for Nap)
- Letter Sheet E is for Egg, practice writing Egg
- Color Easter Eggs in a pattern
- Sensory Bin Play with Kohl (Help make colored Rice if not made already)
- Paint an Easter Egg for cover of lapbook

Day 2:

- Bible Study, all do Easter Egg Tree Craft
<http://www.sundayschoolkids.com/activities-lent-easter/1-easter-egg-tree-instru.htm>
- ABC Song and Dance, Search for Easter Eggs with an E in them
- Count Easter Eggs and put them in the carton with the matching number.
- Sensory Bin Play with Kohl
- Use this for the rest of the month during lapbook time ☺
<http://www.confessionsofahomeschooler.com/blog/2010/03/easter-activities-lapbook.html>

Day 3:

- Bible Study: Make a Cave with a pillow or cushion on it to show how they checked on Jesus and he wasn't there.
- ABC Song and Dance: Make a stained glass window Egg with an "E" on it.
- Write E's with shaving cream.
- Match number of items to the numeral.

Play in Sensory Bin with Kohl (add in Easter Eggs).

- Work on Lapbook.

Day 4:

- Bible Study Coloring sheet
- ABC Song and Dance: Practice reading –et, -en, and –ed words
- Make E's with egg shells
- Easter Egg Patterns
- Play in Sensory Bin with Kohl.
- Work on Lapbook.

Day 5:

- Bible Study: Draw A cross and write a Thank you letter together.
- ABC Song and Dance: Alphabet Dance, Make a sound and have Eve stand on the letter that matches the sound.
- Practice Writing the letters we know.
- Play with Easter Eggs matching numerals to egg carton
- Sensory Bin
- Work on Lapbook

Day 6: Introduce B is for Basket

- Devotion time
- Alphabet song and Dance, Read or recite the “B Book”
- Color and write B is for Basket <http://twistynoodle.com/b-is-for-basket-5-worksheet/>
- Make a Basket <http://tlc.howstuffworks.com/family/paper-baskets1.htm> discuss the pattern
- Sensory Bin: add cotton balls
- Work on Lapbook

Day 7:

- Daily Devotion: Keys for Kids
- Alphabet Song and Dance, Read some "B" words
- Practice writing B words and reading them: Bat, ben, bed, bet, bam, ban, bad. Make other words to rhyme with them.
- Add Eggs to a Basket in a pattern. Count the Eggs
- Sensory Bin
- Work on Lap book

Day 8:

- Daily Devotion
- Alphabet song and dance: Practice some B words and write the letter B with Shaving Cream
- Match Eggs from the Easter Basket to the right place in the egg Carton (numeral to number on the Egg).
- Sensory Bin (Add silk flowers or potpourri to the bin)
- Work on Lapbook

Day 9:

- Daily Devotion
- Alphabet song and dance: Practice painting B words with finger paint
- Create a Bunny pattern using Peeps
- Sensory Bin (Add silk flowers or potpourri to the bin)
- Work on Lapbook

Day 10:

- Daily Devotion
- Alphabet song and dance: Practice Glue Beans on a B
- Practice reading word families

- Create a Bunny: http://www.dltk-kids.com/animals/megg_carton.htm, put the right number of jelly beans in the corresponding egg spot.
- Sensory Bin
- Work on lapbook

Day 11:

- Daily Devotion
- Alphabet song and dance: Identify C is for Cross.
- Practice reading word families add the /K/ sound to the word families
- Create a Stained glass cross:
<http://frillsfluffandtrucks.blogspot.com/2011/03/stained-glass-cross-craft-tutorial.html>
- Sensory Bin Add big rock and grass
- Work on lapbook

Day 12:

- Daily Devotion: Keys for Kids
- Alphabet Song and Dance, Read some "C" words
- Practice writing C words and reading them: cat, cam, can. Make other words to rhyme with them.
- Create a popsicle cross with yarn. Put dots on the cross in a pattern
- Sensory Bin
- Work on Lap book

Day 13

- Daily Devotion
- Alphabet song and dance: Practice writing C with shaving cream
- Match Eggs from the Easter Basket to the right place in the egg Carton (numeral to number on the Egg).
- Sensory Bin (Add popsicle stick crosses to the sensory bin)
- Work on Lapbook

Day 14

- Bible Study Coloring sheet
- ABC Song and Dance: Practice reading –at, -am, -an, -ad
- Make C's with candy
- Make Salt dough crosses and decorate.
<http://www.thatartistwoman.org/2010/03/bead-and-clay-crosses.html>
- Play in Sensory Bin with Kohl.
- Work on Lapbook.

Day 15:

- Daily Devotion
- Alphabet song and dance: Practice finding items in the house that start with C
- Write the letter C in salt.
- Create as a family: <http://www.dltk-holidays.com/easter/mcrosswreath.htm>
- Sensory Bin
- Work on lapbook

Day 16:

- Daily Devotion
- Alphabet song and dance: Identify letters and sounds for all the alphabet, focus on C, E, and B
- Write your letters in shaving creame
- Finish Creating as a family: <http://www.dltk-holidays.com/easter/mcrosswreath.htm>
- Sensory Bin
- Work on lapbook

Day 17

- Daily Devotion
- Gather all of your creations and worksheets and make a display or a notebook
- Complete and display as a family: <http://www.dltk-holidays.com/easter/mcrosswreath.htm>
- Sensory Bin
- Work on lapbook
- Say a prayer to thank Jesus for saving us