

Hippos Lesson Plan

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Theme: Flowers and Candy and Hearts, Oh My!

Dates: February 12-16

| ACTIVITIES To Support Learning | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY |
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| Center Time/Small Group | Small group-marble heart art | Candy heart experiment | Small group-Coffee filter sun catchers | Valentine's slime | Free art, jumping hearts game |
| CHANGES TO THE ENVIRONMENT | | | | | |
| DRAMATIC PLAY Hippo mailing center/post office | | | FINE MOTOR Valentine's tray | | |
| LANGUAGE AND LITERACY/BOOK CENTER Books about love and kindness | | | ART Box of hearts | | |
| SCIENCE Valentine sensory bottle | | | GROSS MOTOR Jumping hearts | | |

Monthly Standards Focus:

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| COGNITIVE Demonstrates curiosity in the environment [1.1] | MOTOR/PHYSICAL Moves with purpose and coordination. [1.1] |
| COMMUNICATION Uses vocalization for a variety of purposes [1.2] | SOCIAL-EMOTIONAL Shows attachments and emotional connection towards others. [1.1] |
| CREATIVE EXPRESSION Enjoys and engages in movement and dance. [1.2] | |

