



Extend-A-Care YMCA

Summer 2022 Early Education Infant/Preschool Themes

Weekly Theme:	Description:
In a Kingdom Far, Far Away...	This week, preschoolers will kick off their storybook summer by traveling to the medieval period where they will come face to face with fire breathing dragons, brave knights and magic through dramatic play, songs, and stories.
A Dinosaur STOMP!	Our junior paleontologists will explore dino-mite dinosaurs, both big and small, this week through fossil crafts, volcanic eruptions, and a pretend play dino dig. Expect loud roars, big stomps, and discussions on overcoming challenges coming from the classrooms this week.
Troll Lotta Love	Let's get colorful! Preschoolers will sing, dance, and participate in process art, while learning about the different colors of the rainbow inspired by the Trolls!
Fe Fi Fo Fum!	FE FI FO FUM...There is Learning to Be Done! Giant fun will unfold as preschoolers explore math, science, and nature through activities that will include growing their own enchanted plant, measuring with a giant footprint, and a classroom nature walk scavenger hunt.
Off to Neverland	With the help of the imagination and a little pixie dust, preschoolers will adventure to Neverland this week with sink or float science, mermaid sensory play, and a fairy dust writing center.
Monster Mash & Robot Crash	Silly monsters and helpful robots will take center stage this week with activities that will promote creativity, problem-solving skills, and social responsibility.
Magical Creatures	Preschoolers will step into a magical world with legendary creatures, such as the unicorn, that have been a part of culture throughout the world and through history. Literature and activities this week will explore individuality and acceptance of others.
Enchanted Dreams	It's never too early to dream big! Our young learners will participate in activities that will explore big dreams and future goals.
Into the Woods	This week preschoolers will encounter some fearless and mischievous characters during their journey through the enchanted woods with activities that include porridge sensory play and creating "The Three Little Pigs" puppets.
Happily Ever After	And they lived happily ever after...Wrapping up the last week of a storybook summer, our young learners will explore friendships and emotions through songs, crafts, and games.