

Toddler 1 2025 Calendar



Important days:

- New-year Jan 1st
- Hanukah Dec 25- Jan 2nd

Song of the month

“Five Little Snowmen”

Five little snowmen standing in a row (hold up 5 fingers)

Each with a hat (pat head) and a big red bow (pull at neck like a bow tie)

Along came the sun (arms form big circle over head) and it shone all day (lean to the left)

And one of those snowmen melted away! (put down one finger)

Continue until there are no snowmen left.




Skills we will be Working On:

Pre-reading Skills

- Recognizing letters of our name
- Listening and following along with new songs.

Math Skills

- Recognizing numbers 1 to 10 
- Sorting objects big-small 4.12

Motor Skills

- Practice lacing with lace and beads 5.1
- Using palmer grasp while using a shovel in the snow 5.2

Self Help Skills

- Practice putting on snow pants
- Practicing balance with putting boots on and off 5.2

First Science Activity:

Snow in a jar experiment

With a clear bottle add white paint, baby oil and glitter.

Once all the materials are mixed pour water to fill the rest of the container.

Add Alka Seltzer.

Once all mixed together there will be a chemical reaction creating a “snow” effect.



Second Science Activity:

Goodbye Germs Soap and pepper experiment

This experiment shows how soap breaks down germs. You will need:

A bowl of water, liquid soap, ground pepper.

Instructions:

1. Sprinkle some pepper into the bowl of water. The pepper represents germs!
2. Dip your finger into the germ water. Notice how the germs stick to your finger?
3. Now put some soap on the end of your finger and dip it into the germ water again.
4. Watch the germs move away from the Soap!

The importance of handwashing

Social Skills

- Practice turn taking with a friend, “First my turn and then your turn”
- Practise using language with friends: eg. “Help please” and “Thank you”

How to support self-help skills at home

During mealtimes, encourage children to practice handwashing before and after mealtimes by following the steps, wet hands, soap to make bubbles, rinse and towel. Singing during this time helps to lengthen the amount of time to scrub and makes it fun at the same time!