

Mrs. W.'s Newsletter



January

SONG

I'm a Little Fishy
(tune of "Little Teapot")

I'm a little fishy, I can swim

Here is my tail, here is my fin.

When I want to have fun with my
friends,

I wiggle my tail and dive right in!

LOOK WHAT WE'RE LEARNING

This week the children will be introduced to "God Gave Us Fish" and the color "BLUE". As I read the story, "God Gave Us Fish," the children will learn fish have eyes, scales and fins to swim in water. The children will explore the names of some big and little fish God gave us. I also will read "Guess Who? Ocean Friends." It's a cute storybook that engages the children. As I open each flap the children try to guess what kind of fish is hiding behind each flap.

The color "BLUE" will be introduced as we fish for fish colors, play with blue playdough and roll paint blue waves for our color book.

**BLUE
DAY!**

**Monday/Tuesday
Jan. 13 & 14**

STORY: "I See Blue" and "Guess Who? Ocean Friends" by Jodi Shepherd

PROJECT: "Ocean Scene" Roller paint blue waves and add fish

LEARNING TIME: "Blue Balloon"
Group Learning - children take turns to place blue objects on a blue balloon shape

MOTOR: "Blue Line Swim" Children will follow the blue line using arm motions to swim forward, backward, fast and slow

**Wednesday/Thursday
Jan. 15 & 16**

STORY: "God Gave Us Fish"
Religion Story

PROJECT: "Rainbow Fish" Use celery stalk to paint fish scale colors

LEARNING TIME: "Fish Count"
Peel back fish stickers to place in a fish bowl

MOTOR: "Ocean Animal Movements"
Perform movements to each ocean animal picture card

**Crazy Hair
Day!**



NOTE

Blue Day Too! - Wear something blue on Monday/Tuesday!

Crazy Hair Day - Wednesday/Thursday
No School - Monday, Jan. 20 MLK



**HAPPY
BIRTHDAY
ANTHONY!**



PEEK AT LAST WEEK

Last week we learned God gave us snow. We had fun making snowflakes and gluing 1, 2, 3, snowballs to make a snowman. To continue developing fine motor, the children made marshmallow snowflakes.

Number 1 was introduced as we made one foil snowflake for our number book.

During play time, the children also spent time learning how to stack three different size boxes to build a snowman.