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Infant Class: Infant A-1 (0-6 Months)

English Vocabulary: Puppet, Teddy Bear, Bird, Truck, Apple

Approach Towards Learning: Communication, Curiosity, Attention, Persistence

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Spanish Vocabulary: Marioneta, Osito de pulche, Pajaro, Camion, Manzana

Infant Program

Date: November 5-9, 2018

Parents as Partners: Letter 14

American Sign Language (ASL): Open

LESSON COMPONENTS	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Brain Start Way to Start the Day	Calm: Stretching Arms and Legs	Calm: Shake a Rattle Connect: Rock each baby in your arms. Book: <u>Animals Talk</u> Photo Activity Card: #14 Cat	Unite: "Hush Little Baby" Calm: Laughing Connect: Rock each baby in your arms. Book: <u>Pets</u> Photo Activity Card: #15 Bird	Calm: Breathing Connect: Use Lily to welcome everyone to class. Book: <u>Things That Go</u>	Unite: "Head, Shoulders, Knees, and Toes" Calm: Shake a rattle Connect: Give a hug to each baby. Book: <u>Little Boy Blue</u> Photo Activity Card: #17 Apple
Language Development	eat and drink. Discuss the color, taste,	Here Are My Feet (L17) Put a pair of brightly colored socks on baby. Talk about the different patterns or details with her. Make up a rhyme about feet or recite this one: One foot, two feet, Isn't that neat? One Foot, two feet, Isn't that sweet?	item to hold and explore while you are changing his diaper. Talk with him about	Call baby's attention to your face before starting to feed him by calling his name and smiling. Tell him you have an interesting bottle for him today. Use velcro to attach a piece of fabric to the baby's bottle. As he takes the bottle describe the texture and color of the fabric. Sing the "Drink Your	Play the song, "Ram, Sam, Sam" (Frog
Cognitive Development	Make small changes to a baby's typical environment and observe if the baby notices them. Make changes by the diaper area or other area's of the baby's space in	Tie a balloon to a baby's crib and watch her track the movement of the balloon as it floats overhead. You can also anchor the balloon and let it float overhead when a baby is laying on her back in the play area.	Place baby on her turmy at one end of a towel and place a colorful toy on the other end of the towel. Observe if the baby can figure out that she can pull the towel to get the toy. When a baby is holding a toy in	Place a small tower of two or three Paper Bag Blocks in front of her. Invite her to knock down the tower. She may have her own ideas about how to interact with the structure. Follow her lead.	I See Yellow (C20) Place Shades of Yellow squares in the Pocket Cube and place it within baby's view Turn it occasionally as a baby begins to develop wiring that allows him to see the differences in the shades of yellow. On another day, surround a baby with all yellow toys.
Social Emotional Development	Sing "You Are My Sunshine" (Frog Street Baby Songs CD) Sing along with the CD and then without the CD. Babies need to hear your voice and see your mouth move	Place colorful scrunchies on a baby's wrists. On another occasion, place colorful socks on baby's feet. Describe the scrunchies and socks. Call attention to the colors. If there is a design or pattern, describe it.	Sit with baby in your lap facing away from you. Say, "This Little Piggy" using baby's toes as pigs. Giggle when you excitedly say	Place a baby in your lap on the floor facing you. Hold the baby's hands together and ask, "How bid is baby?" Then answer, "So big!" as you spread the baby's hands out to the side. Repeat several times and then repeat throughout the day.	
Physical Development	Baby Games CD). Follow the directions in the lyrics and help babies move along with the music.	Play "Yes, Sir, That's My Baby" (Frog Street Baby Games CD) Begin by clapping your hands gently and then clapping baby's hands in the same manner. On "patty cake," turn the baby's palms out toward you and tap the	Lay a baby on the floor on his back. Play "Mary Had a Little Lamb" (Frog Street Baby Games CD). Follow the directions in the adapted lyrics to exercise baby's arms and legs. Continue exercising baby's muscles using "One Potato, Two Potato" or "Toe to	Place an older baby (4-6) months on the floor on his tummy. Place a colorful toy in front of him and encourage him to get it. Use encouraging words, such as "come on" and "You can do it" in a high pitched voice. Move the toy from side to side to hold the baby's attention. When you notice the baby getting tired or losing interest, move	Crawling Buddies (P20) Get on the floor and crawl with a baby who just learning to crawl to encourage her to stick with the activity longer. If a baby is no yet up to her hands and knees, join her in whichever form of movement she is using. Once a baby's is crawling with ease, set up interesting pathways in a pattern along her route. See "Crawling Chant" in Welcome to Frog Street Infant.

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Objectives	 C.1.a. Listens with interest to the language of others. C.3.c. Hears and distinguishes the sounds and rhythms of language. D.1.a. Pays attention and exhibits curiosity in people and objects. D.1.b. Uses senses to investigate environment to discover what objects and people do, how things work, and how they can make things happen. A.1.d. Begins to demonstrate healthy and safe habits. B.1.b. Shows social interaction with a smile and mutual eye gaze. C.1.a. Enjoys an adult's singing. A.2.a Develops control of large muscles for movement, navigation, and balance. A.2.b. Moves body to achieve a goal. 	 C.1.b. Responds to caregiver's body language and direction. D.1.a. Pays attention and exhibits curiosity in people and objects. B.2.b. Explores own hands and feet. D.3.a. Looks intently at new faces or objects. A.3.a. Develops control of small muscles for manipulation and exploration. A.3.b. Coordinates eye and hand movements. 		C.3.c. Moves body or makes sounds during familiar songs, fingerplays and rhymes. D.1.a. Reaches out to touch objects. D.1.b. Hits or kicks toys to make them move. B.2.a. Expresses several clearly different emotions (happiness, sadness, anger, surprise) B.4.a. Watches others and tracks their	C.2.a. Imitates sounds like "da" when caregiver says "da" C.3.c. Enjoys playing with language-like sounds. D.1.c. Notices size, shape, and color of objects. B.1.a. Imitates familiar adult's body language and sounds. A.2.b. Rocks, rolls, crawls from place to place. A.2.b. Crawls on hands and knees.



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Infant Class: Infant A-2 & Infant B (6-12 Months)

English Vocabulary: Face, Blocks, Body, Bird, Shoe

Approach Towards Learning: Communication, Curiosity, Attention, Persistence

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Spanish Vocabulary: cara, bloques, cuerpo, pajaro, zapatos

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Infant Program

American Sign Language (ASL): Open

LESSON COMPONENTS	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
Brain Start Way to Start the Day	arms.	Unite: "You Are My Sunshine" Calm: Laughing Connect: Play pat-a-cake Book: <u>Merry -Go-Round</u> Photo Activity Card: #6 Blocks	Calm: Shake a rattle Connect: "Open Shut Them" Book: <u>Dora's Ducks</u>	Unite: "Row, Row, Row, Your Boat" Calm: Greet each baby with Lily Connect: Read a book to baby. Book: Little Boy Blue Photo Activity Card: #15 Bird	Unite: "Thank You" Calm: Count fingers and toes Connect: Roll a ball on the floor with baby. Book: <u>Feet</u> Photo Activity Card: #21 Shoes	
Language Development	Change a baby's environment by placing her on a color beach towel or blanket during floor time. Place a photo Activity	Much to Say (L37) Select an interesting toy from the toy box. Sit with baby on your lap and discuss the toy in detail. Point out how it is used, its color, its shape, and its texture. If the toy makes a noise discuss the sound. If the baby shows interest, do the activity again with another toy.	board book to children. Ask little ones to point to specific photos. Reread the book often. Observe children who begin to recognize the book by its cover. Follow up	Encourage little ones to feel each finger of	Book Etiquette (L40) Sit with a little one in your lap and a book in your hand. Discuss holding the book in the correct position. Demonstrate how to turn the pages of the book. Point out that we must treat books gently. When you are finished, take the baby with you to the place where the books are stored and demonstrate putting the book where it belongs. repeat the rules often so that little ones can begin to internalize them.	
Cognitive Development	Peek-a-Boo Plate (C36) Draw eyes, a nose, and a smile on an 8" paper plate and attach it to a tongue depressor. Hold the plate in front of your face as you play Peek-a-Boo. Invite a little one to touch the face. Ask him to find the eyes, nose, and mouth. Hold the platy in front of a baby's face and play the game again.	their feet touching. Give them a ball to roll back and forth. Encourage them to say, "one, two, three," before releasing the ball. Ask them to watch the ball as it rolls. Observe their ability to follow the ball with	Place a sheet of drawing paper inside a two inch deep box or cake pan. Dip a golf ball in	about the paint as they work. Call attention	Take a Close Look (C40) Show a baby how to use a magnifying glass to get a closer look at interesting objects (leaf, rock, shell, pinecone, orange peel). Encourage him to tur the items to view different parts.	
Social Emotional Development	Very slowly sing "Eyes, ears, nose, and mouth" to the tune of "Head, Shoulders,	are feeling sad, excited, angry, or happy.	Compare your hands to a baby's hands. Talk about the things you do with your hands. On another day, compare your baby's feet.	photos. Place photos in the Frog Street Easel. Ask babies to point to a specific family member by saying, "Where is	Yes and No (SE40) Sing a song about yes and no. Use the appropriate head movements. Sing the song slowly so little ones can recognize the movements. Younger children may not be able to follow your lead or they may use the gestures without meaning. You will know when children understand what "no" means when they use it appropriately or when they stop what they are doing when they hear the word "no."	

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Physical Development	her hands (clap, touch, pet, squeeze, explore, hug). Point out how we use our hands to help us do important things, such as eat and communicate. During	baby in the swing and recite the rhyme. If swings are not available, rock a baby and sing "Rock-a-Bye Baby" (Frog Street Baby Songs CD).	Up and Down (P38) Play "The Grand Old Duke of York" (Frog Street Baby Games CD). Encourage walkers to walk to the first verse and to stand in one place and move up and down on the second verse. Assist non-walkers with movements as they hold onto your hands. Don't be surprised if children simply bend their knees and move up and down the entire song. Reinforce the concept of up and down. On another day read Merry-Go- Round. Invite the children to move up and down like the merry-go-round ponies.	Encourage them to make twinkling-star hand movements as you sing "Twinkle, Twinkle Little Star" (Frog Street Baby Songs CD). On another day, sing "Open, Shut Them" to practice hand movements.	Bubble Stomp (P40) Lay bubble wrap on the floor and tape it securely in place. Show little ones how to stomp on it with their feet to pop the bubbles. Show non-walkers how topo the bubbles with their fingers. Chant as children pop bubbles and remind them to stop popping when the chant directs them on the last line.
Objectives	by an adult. D.3.b. Enjoys playing peek-a-boo D.4.a. Coos, giggles, laughs when caregiver plays with them B.1.c. Engages in positive relationships and interactions with adults. B.4.a. Watches others and tracks their behavior A.1.c. Begins to develop self-care skills A.3.a. Develops control of small muscles for manipulations and	then makes sounds themselves. C.2.a. Responds to caregiver's talk by babbling. D.1.b. Organizes three objects from small to large with help. D.2.d. Uses words such as big, little, more, and one, two, three. B.2.a. Expresses a variety of emotions. B.3.a. Show ability to cope with stress.	books. C.3.a. Recognizes a favorite book by its cover.	people do, how things work, and how they can make things happen. B.1.a. Differentiates between familiar and unfamiliar adults. B.2.d. Enjoys pointing to or naming pictures of family members. A.3.a. Sits and uses hands.	 C.3.d. Turns pages of a book. C.3.d. Makes sounds when looking at pictures in a book. D.1.b. Looks closely at small objects. D.2.b. Turns objects over to look at and handle from different positions. B.2.c. Makes choices by shaking head "no" or nodding "yes." B.3.c. Understands what "no" means. A.2.b. Moves body to achieve a goal. C.1.b. Follows simple request.



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Infant Class: Infant C (12-18 Months) Date: November 5-9, 2018 Approach Towards Learning: Communication, Persistence, Attention, Curiosity Parents as Partners: Letter 14

English Vocabulary: Dog, Cat, Bird, Rattle, Goldfish

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Spanish Vocabulary: Perro, Gato, Sonaja, Parajo, Pez dorado

Infant Program

American Sign Language (ASL): Open

LESSON COMPONENTS	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Brain Start Way to Start the Day	Calm: Smiling Connect: Acknowledging friends present.	Unite: "The Grand Old Duke of York" Calm: Laughing Connect: Marching around the room. Book: <u>Hands</u> Photo Activity Card: #14 Cat	Toes" Calm: Stretching. Connect: Touching body parts	Calm: Shake rattles. Connect: Complement each child. Book: <u>Merry-Go-Round</u>	Unite: "Ring around the Rosie" Calm: Smile Connect: Hold hands. Book: <u>Hands</u> Photo Activity Card: #16 Goldfish
Language Development	Describe the object in each photo and ask little ones to show you the same object on their body or in the classroom	Sing, Sing a Song (L47) Sing familiar songs with little ones. Stop Singing before saying the last word of a line or some other important word in the song and see if children can add the missing word.	Talk with little ones about things their hands can do.	Encourage children to sit in front of you. Wave a Magic Wand while saying this chant: Willoughby, wallaby, woo. My wand is pointing at you. Point the wand toward a child and give that child a direction to	
Cognitive Development	Invite children to organize an assortment of shoes into pairs. On another day, try this	Nesting Cups (C47) Encourage little ones to put the nesting cups or boxes inside each other so that they all fit into one box or cup.	the room. Show little ones one of the hearts and ask the children to find the hearts you	Create an inclined plane. Invite little ones to roll small cars up and down the "hill."	Dancing Shadows (C50) Dance with babies between a light source and a wall to create dancing shadows. Point out that the shadow is caused becaus their body is blocking the light. Demonstrat how to make larger and smaller shadows by moving closer and father away from the light
Social Emotional Development	Remind children several times each day that they are safe in the classroom with you. Gradually give them simple safety rules. Demonstrate the rules	Round the House (SE47) Sit on the floor facing baby and holding one of her hands palm up. Follow the rhyme directions and laugh when you tickle the baby so she will understand the humor and laugh along.	Take photos of the children in your class. Post the photos where children can see their classmates.	ten. Pretend to have a hard time finding the "hiders." Some children may come out	ones to enjoy looking at each other. On another day, sit one-on-one with a child
Physical	Use a yellow ball or a circle cut out from yellow construction paper to represent the sun. Use ribbon or yarn to mark the start line. Encourage little ones to begin at the start line and run to the sun and back.	Have children sit in a circle. Play "Puppy	Play "Baby's Hokey Pokey" (Frog Street	Fill salt shakers with colored sand. Invite each child to shake the sand from the shakers onto a sheet of construction paper that has been brushed with a thin layer of glue to create a colorful sandy design.	Shadow Dancing (P50) Place a light source in front of a wall and encourage the children to move between the wall and the light source. Call attention to their shadows. Move your body to create funny shadows on the wall. On another day play "Thelma Thumb" (Frog Street Baby Songs CD) and encourage children to move their fingers and watch their shadows.

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Objectives	represent real things in the environment. C.3.d. Looks at photos as an adult describes. D.1.b. Categorizes, matches, orders some objects. D.3.c. Brings familiar people their shoes or other personal objects. A.1. d. Begins to demonstrate healthy and safe habits.	and rhymes. C.3.c. Imitates body language/sounds during familiar songs, finger plays, and rhymes. D.2.b. Attempts to nest 3-4 cups of different sizes. B.1.c. Engages in positive relationships and interactions with adults. A.3.a. Coordinates hand and body movements.	require listening. C.3.c. Imitates body language/sounds during	D.2.c. Begins to repeat actions to get an effect B.3.c. Begins to learn and internalize rules, routines and directions B.4.c. Plays side -by -side with others A.2.a. Shakes or wiggles arms and legs. A.3.a. Shakes objects.	 C.1.b Follows simple requests B.4.a. Reaches out to touch another child's face, hair, or other body part. D.2.d. Uses words such as big, little, more, and one, two, three. D.3.c. Uses cause-and- effect to predict events and solve problems. B.4.a. Shows interests and awareness of others. B.4.c. Begins to develop personal relationships with peers. A.2.a. Develops control of large muscles for movement, navigation, and balance. A.2.b. Moves from one position to another while coordinating body movements.