

DATE:	BOOK:	BY:	THEME:
August 9-25, 2006	If You Take A Mouse To School	Laura Numeroff	School
SOCIAL SKILLS	Listening/Following directions; Learning names, getting attention, greeting peers		
NURSERY RHYME	Mary Had a Little Lamb		
CONCEPTS	Beginning/Middle/End; Colors		
PREPOSITIONS	On, off, in, out, in back of, apart, together		
OPPOSITES	Before/after, big/little, loud/quiet		
LANGUAGE	Multi-step directions		
SENSORIMOTOR			
SIGN IN * OBSTACLE COURSE * TABLE ACTIVITIES * ART/EASEL * MANIPULATIVES			
MONDAY/TUESDAY		WEDNESDAY/THURSDAY	
WEEK #1		WEEK #1	
No school Mon. Open House Tues.		Playdough (make furniture, math) Stringing beads (colors, counting, concepts)	
WEEK #2		WEEK #2	
Lunch box sort big & little 1" cubes (colors, math, big/little, preps, multi-step directions) Playdough (make furniture, math)		Cookie group project (vertical surface, primary colored markers/daubers) Wiggle pens (sensory) Playdough (make furniture, math)	
WEEK #3		WEEK #3	
Desk/mouse (following directions) Mr. Potato Head (prepositions, opposites, following directions) Gak (hide animals, counters, beans, beads)		Coffee filter cookies (science experiment: colors, following directions) Desktop vertical surfaces (magnets, coloring) Gak (hide animals, counters, beans, beads)	
OUTSIDE PLAY	MUSIC & MOVEMENT	TRANSITIONS	SONGS
Outside play rules Red Rover, Red Rover (names) Water Painting (vertical surface) Soccer ball	The Freeze (Greg & Steve) What is Your Name? (Hap Palmer) Mice Go Marching (Hap Palmer/ loud & quiet)	Simon Says Feely Box (center objects)	Scat the Cat (colors) Who Stole The Cookie? At the Easel Who is This? (names) Wheels on the Bus Mary Had a Little Lamb
MESSY TABLE	Popcorn (beach towel), farm animals/mice		
LIBRARY	Books about school, colors, and numbers; book on tape		
SCIENCE/DISCOVERY	Recycling center (sorting); Listening activity		
PUZZLES/GAMES	Cookie sheet game; peer memory game		
BLOCKS	Furniture, blocks (build mouse house, math, prepositions) & peer statues		
HOUSEKEEPING	Packing backpacks/lunch boxes for school (vocabulary, concepts, multi-step directions)		
WORK BENCH	Recycled creations; Lite Brite; pegs/pegboard (vertical surface); newspaper hats		
OFFICE	Coloring (markers, crayons, colored pencils)		
ART/CRAFTS	Mouse mural (vertical surface paint glue, sprinkle sand); colored macaroni; musical painting at easel (chairs); fingerpainting		
EASEL	Mazes (vertical surface)		