The Mitten Speech and Language Goals and Objectives

Related Florida VPK Education Standards found in all activities in this section:

- I. Physical Health
 - A.2. Demonstrates visual ability to facilitate learning
 - A.3. Exhibits auditory ability to facilitate learning
- II. Approaches to Learning
 - A.1. Shows eagerness and curiosity as a learner
 - B.1. Attends to tasks and seeks help when encountering a problem
 - C.1. Approaches tasks with flexibility and inventiveness
- III. Social and Emotional Development
 - B.1. Follows simple classroom rules and routines
 - B.2. Uses classroom materials carefully
 - B.3. Manages transitions
 - D.3. Participates in the group life of the class
- IV. Language and Communication
 - A.1. Gains meaning by listening
 - B.1. Speaks clearly enough to be understood without contextual clues
 - C.1. Shows an understanding of words and their meanings
 - E.1. Uses language to express needs and feelings, share experiences Predict outcomes and resolve problems
 - E.2. Initiates, asks questions, and responds to adults and peers in a variety of settings
 - E.3. Uses appropriate language and style for context
- VIII. Motor Development
 - A.1. Moves with balance and control
 - A.2. Coordinates movements to perform simple tasks

Story Telling Cards

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Targeted VPK Education Standards

- III. Social and Emotional Development
 - C.1. Interacts easily with familiar adults
- IV. Language and Communication
 - C.2. Uses an expanded vocabulary to describe many objects, actions and events
 - D.1. Uses age-appropriate grammar in conversations and increasingly complex phrases and sentences
 - D.2. Connects phrases and sentences to build ideas
- V. Emergent Literacy
 - A.1. Shows motivation for reading
 - A.4. Shows understanding of text read aloud

The Mitten Memory Game

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Targeted VPK Education Standards

- IV. Language and Communication
 - C.2. Uses an expanded vocabulary to describe many objects, actions and events
 - D.1. Uses age-appropriate grammar in conversations and increasingly complex phrases and sentences
 - D.2. Connects phrases and sentences to build ideas
- V. Emergent Literacy
 - A.1. Shows motivation for reading
 - A.4. Shows understanding of text read aloud

Mitten Partners

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- IV. Language and Communication
 - C.2. Uses an expanded vocabulary to describe many objects, actions and events
 - D.1. Uses age-appropriate grammar in conversations and increasingly complex phrases and sentences
- VI. Mathematical and Scientific Thinking
 - A(c).1. Recognizes patterns and non-patterns
 - A(c).3. Recognizes pattern units
- III. Social and Emotional Development
 - D.1. Interacts easily with one or more children

The Snowflakes are Falling

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Targeted VPK Education Standards

- IV. Language and Communication
 - C.2. Uses an expanded vocabulary to describe many objects, actions and events
 - D.1. Uses age-appropriate grammar in conversations and increasingly complex phrases and sentences
- VI. Mathematical and Scientific Thinking
 - A(c).4. Orders, compares and describes objects according to a single attribute (seriation)

Big and Little, Level 1

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Targeted VPK Education Standards

- IV. Language and Communication
 - C.2. Uses an expanded vocabulary to describe many objects, actions and events
 - D.1. Uses age-appropriate grammar in conversations and increasingly complex phrases and sentences
 - D.2. Connects phrases and sentences to build ideas
- VI. Mathematical and Scientific Thinking
 - A(c).4. Orders, compares and describes objects according to a single attribute
 - A(f).1. Compares continuous quantities using length, weight and height
 - B(a)3. Makes comparisons among objects

Big Mitten, Little Mitten, Level 2

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- IV. Language and Communication
 - C.2. Uses an expanded vocabulary to describe many objects, actions and events
 - D.1. Uses age-appropriate grammar in conversations and increasingly complex phrases and sentences
 - D.2. Connects phrases and sentences to build ideas
- VI. Mathematical and Scientific Thinking
 - A(c).4. Orders, compares and describes objects according to a single attribute
 - A(f).1. Compares continuous quantities using length, weight and height
 - B(a)3. Makes comparisons among objects
- VIII. Motor Development
 - B.1. Uses strength and control to perform simple tasks
 - B.2. Uses eye-hand coordination to perform tasks

Mouse and the Mitten, Level 1

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Targeted VPK Education Standards

- IV. Language and Communication
 - C.2. Uses an expanded vocabulary to describe many objects, actions and events.
 - D.1. Uses age-appropriate grammar in conversations and increasingly complex phrases and sentences
 - D.2. Connects phrases and sentences to build ideas
- VI. Mathematical and Scientific Thinking
 - A(e).1. Shows understanding of and uses positional words
- VII. Social Studies and The Arts
 - A(d).1. Describes the location of things in the environment
- VIII. Motor Development
 - B.1. Uses strength and control to perform simple tasks
 - B.2. Uses eye-hand coordination to perform tasks

All Around the Cottage, Level 2

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Targeted VPK Education Standards

- IV. Language and Communication
 - C.2. Uses an expanded vocabulary to describe many objects, actions and events.
 - D.1. Uses age-appropriate grammar in conversations and increasingly complex phrases and sentences
 - D.2. Connects phrases and sentences to build ideas
- VI. Mathematical and Scientific Thinking
 - A(e).1. Shows understanding of and uses positional words
- VII. Social Studies and The Arts
 - A(d).1. Describes the location of things in the environment
- VIII. Motor Development
 - B.1. Uses strength and control to perform simple tasks
 - B.2. Uses eye-hand coordination to perform tasks

Who, What, and Where? Levels 1 and 2

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- IV. Language and Communication
 - C.2. Uses an expanded vocabulary to describe many objects, actions and events.
 - D.1. Uses age-appropriate grammar in conversations and increasingly complex phrases and sentences
 - D.2. Connects phrases and sentences to build ideas
- V. Emergent Literacy
 - A.1. Shows motivation for reading
 - A.4. Shows understanding of text read aloud
- VIII. Motor Development
 - B.1. Uses strength and control to perform simple tasks
 - B.2. Uses eye-hand coordination to perform tasks
 - B.3. Shows beginning control of writing, drawing and art tools

Which One is Different?

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Targeted VPK Education Standards

- IV. Language and Communication
 - C.2. Uses an expanded vocabulary to describe many objects, actions and events.
 - D.1. Uses age-appropriate grammar in conversations and increasingly complex phrases and sentences
 - D.2. Connects phrases and sentences to build ideas
- VI. Mathematical and Scientific Thinking
 - A(c).4. Orders, compares and describes objects according to a single Attribute
- VIII. Motor Development
 - B.1. Uses strength and control to perform simple tasks
 - B.2. Uses eye-hand coordination to perform tasks
 - B.3. Shows beginning control of writing, drawing and art tools

Bookless Story Time

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Targeted VPK Education Standards

- V. Emergent Literacy
 - A.1. Shows motivation for reading
 - A.4. Shows understanding of text read aloud
- VII. Social Studies and The Arts
 - A(b).3. Begins to be aware of technology and how it affects life
- IV. Language and Communication
 - C.2. Uses an expanded vocabulary to describe many objects, actions and events.
 - D.1. Uses age-appropriate grammar in conversations and increasingly complex phrases and sentences
 - D.2. Connects phrases and sentences to build ideas
- V. Emergent Literacy
 - A.1. Shows motivation for reading
 - A.4. Shows understanding of text read aloud

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- V. Emergent Literacy
 - A.1. Shows motivation for reading
 - A.4. Shows understanding of text read aloud
- VII. Social Studies and The Arts
 - A(b).3. Begins to be aware of technology and how it affects life

Packet Making Day

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Targeted VPK Education Standards

- V. Emergent Literacy
 - A.1. Shows motivation for reading
 - A.4. Shows understanding of text read aloud
- VII. Social Studies and The Arts
 - A(b).3. Begins to be aware of technology and how it affects life
- IV. Language and Communication
 - C.2. Uses an expanded vocabulary to describe many objects, actions and events.
 - D.1. Uses age-appropriate grammar in conversations and increasingly complex phrases and sentences
 - D.2. Connects phrases and sentences to build ideas
- V. Emergent Literacy
 - A.1. Shows motivation for reading
 - A.4. Shows understanding of text read aloud
- VIII. Motor Development
 - B.1. Uses strength and control to perform simple tasks
 - B.2. Uses eye-hand coordination to perform tasks
 - B.3. Shows beginning control of writing, drawing and art tools

Take Your Packet Home

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- III. Social and Emotional Development
 - C.2. Seeks adult assistance appropriately
- IV. Language and Communication
 - A.2. Follows two and three step directions
- V. Emergent Literacy
 - A.1. Shows motivation for reading
 - A.4. Shows understanding of text read aloud
 - B.2. Uses letter-like shapes, symbols, and letters to convey meaning

The Mitten Cognitive Goals and Objectives

Related VPK Education Standards found in all activities in this section:

- I. Physical Health
 - A.2. Demonstrates visual ability to facilitate learning
 - A.3. Exhibits auditory ability to facilitate learning
- II. Approaches to Learning
 - A.1. Shows eagerness and curiosity as a learner
 - B.1. Attends to tasks and seeks help when encountering a problem
 - C.1. Approaches tasks with flexibility and inventiveness
- III. Social and Emotional Development
 - B.1. Follows simple classroom rules and routines
 - B.2. Uses classroom materials carefully
 - B.3. Manages transitions
 - D.3. Participates in the group life of the class
- IV. Language and Communication
 - A.1. Gains meaning by listening
 - B.1. Speaks clearly enough to be understood without contextual clues
 - C.1. Shows an understanding of words and their meanings
 - E.1. Uses language to express needs and feelings, share experiences Predict outcomes and resolve problems
 - E.2. Initiates, asks questions, and responds to adults and peers in a variety of settings
 - E.3. Uses appropriate language and style for context
- VIII. Motor Development
 - A.1. Moves with balance and control
 - A.2. Coordinates movements to perform simple tasks

Matching Colors, Level 1

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Targeted VPK Education Standards

- IV. Language and Communication
 - C.2. Uses an expanded vocabulary to describe many objects, actions and events
 - D.1. Uses age-appropriate grammar in conversations and increasingly complex phrases and sentences
- VI. Mathematical and Scientific Thinking
 - A(c).4. Orders, compares and describes objects according to a single attribute (seriation)

Baba's Colored yarn

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Targeted VPK Education Standards

- IV. Language and Communication
 - C.2. Uses an expanded vocabulary to describe many objects, actions and events
 - D.1. Uses age-appropriate grammar in conversations and increasingly complex phrases and sentences
- VI. Mathematical and Scientific Thinking
 - A(c).4. Orders, compares and describes objects according to a single attribute (seriation)
- VIII. Motor Development
 - B.1. Uses strength and control to perform simple tasks
 - B.2. Uses eye-hand coordination to perform tasks

Shapes on a Mitten

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Targeted VPK Education Standards

- IV. Language and Communication
 - C.2. Uses an expanded vocabulary to describe many objects, actions and events
 - D.1. Uses age-appropriate grammar in conversations and increasingly complex phrases and sentences
- VI. Mathematical and Scientific Thinking
 - A(d).1. Understands various two-dimensional shapes, including circle, triangle, square, rectangle, oval and other less common shapes

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- IV. Language and Communication
 - C.2. Uses an expanded vocabulary to describe many objects, actions and events
 - D.1. Uses age-appropriate grammar in conversations and increasingly complex phrases and sentences
- VI. Mathematical and Scientific Thinking
 - A(d).1. Understands various two-dimensional shapes, including circle, triangle, square, rectangle, oval and other less common shapes
- VIII. Motor Development
 - B.1. Uses strength and control to perform simple tasks
 - B.2. Uses eye-hand coordination to perform tasks

A Pair of Boots for Nicki

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Targeted VPK Education Standards

- IV. Language and Communication
 - D.1. Uses age-appropriate grammar in conversations and increasingly complex phrases and sentences
- VI. Mathematical and Scientific Thinking
 - A(c).1. Recognizes patterns and non-patterns
 - A(c).3. Recognizes pattern units

What Comes Next?

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Targeted VPK Education Standards

- IV. Language and Communication
 - D.1. Uses age-appropriate grammar in conversations and increasingly complex phrases and sentences
- VI. Mathematical and Scientific Thinking
 - A(c).1. Recognizes patterns and non-patterns
 - A(c).2. Duplicates identical patterns with at least two elements
 - A(c).3. Recognizes pattern units
- VIII. Motor Development
 - B.1. Uses strength and control to perform simple tasks
 - B.2. Uses eye-hand coordination to perform tasks
 - B.3. Shows beginning control of writing, drawing and art tools

Animals and Clothing

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Targeted VPK Education Standards

- IV. Language and Communication
 - A.2. Follows two and three step directions
 - C.2. Uses an expanded vocabulary to describe many objects, actions and events
 - D.1. Uses age-appropriate grammar in conversations and increasingly complex phrases and sentences
 - D.2. Connects phrases and sentences to build ideas
- VIII. Motor Development
 - A.1. Moves with balance and control
 - A.2. Coordinates movements to perform simple tasks

Help Grandma Baba Find the Pairs

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- IV. Language and Communication
 - C.2. Uses an expanded vocabulary to describe many objects, actions and events
- VI. Mathematical and Scientific Thinking
 - A(c).1. Recognizes patterns and non-patterns
- VIII. Motor Development
 - B.1. Uses strength and control to perform simple tasks
 - B.2. Uses eye-hand coordination to perform tasks

Targeted VPK Education Standards

- IV. Language and Communication
 - C.2. Uses an expanded vocabulary to describe many objects, actions and events
 - D.1. Uses age-appropriate grammar in conversations and increasingly complex phrases and sentences
 - D.2. Connects phrases and sentences to build ideas
- VI. Mathematical and Scientific Thinking
 - A(a).1. Demonstrates understanding of one-to-one correspondence
 - A(a).2. Shows understanding of how to count and construct sets
 - A(a).4. Assigns and relates numerical representations among numerals (written), sets of Objects, and number names (spoken) in the range of five to ten
 - A(a).5. Counts and knows the sequence of number names (spoken)
 - A(c).4. Orders, compares and describes objects according to a single attribute (seriation)
 - A(f).1. Compares continuous quantities using length, weight and height
- VIII. Motor Development
 - B.1. Uses strength and control to perform simple tasks

Counting Objects With Nicki, Level 1

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Targeted VPK Education Standards

- VI. Mathematical and Scientific Thinking
 - A(a).1. Demonstrates understanding of one-to-one correspondence
 - A(a).2. Shows understanding of how to count and construct sets
 - A(a).4. Assigns and relates numerical representations among numerals (written), sets of objects, and number names (spoken) in the range of five to ten
 - A(a).5. Counts and knows the sequence of number names (spoken)
- IV. Language and Communication
 - D.1. Uses age-appropriate grammar in conversations and increasingly complex phrases and sentences
- VII. Social Studies and The Arts
 - B(a).2. Participates in group music experiences

Count the Dots

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- VI. Mathematical and Scientific Thinking
 - A(a).1. Demonstrates understanding of one-to-one correspondence
 - A(a).2. Shows understanding of how to count and construct sets
 - A(a).4. Assigns and relates numerical representations among numerals (written), sets of objects, and number names (spoken) in the range of five to ten
 - A(a).5. Counts and knows the sequence of number names (spoken)
- IV. Language and Communication
 - D.1. Uses age-appropriate grammar in conversations and increasingly complex phrases and sentences

Numbers on Mittens

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Targeted VPK Education Standards

- VI. Mathematical and Scientific Thinking
 - A(a).1. Demonstrates understanding of one-to-one correspondence
 - A(a).2. Shows understanding of how to count and construct sets
 - A(a).4. Assigns and relates numerical representations among numerals (written), sets of objects, and number names (spoken) in the range of five to ten
 - A(a).5. Counts and knows the sequence of number names (spoken)
- IV. Language and Communication
 - D.1. Uses age-appropriate grammar in conversations and increasingly complex phrases and sentence

Count and Match

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Targeted VPK Education Standards

- VI. Mathematical and Scientific Thinking
 - A(a).1. Demonstrates understanding of one-to-one correspondence
 - A(a).2. Shows understanding of how to count and construct sets
 - A(a).4. Assigns and relates numerical representations among numerals (written), sets of objects, and number names (spoken) in the range of five to ten
 - A(a).5. Counts and knows the sequence of number names (spoken)
- IV. Language and Communication
 - D.1. Uses age-appropriate grammar in conversations and increasingly complex phrases and sentence
- VIII. Motor Development
 - B.1. Uses strength and control to perform simple tasks
 - B.2. Uses eye-hand coordination to perform tasks

Counting Snowflakes

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- VI. Mathematical and Scientific Thinking
 - A(a).1. Demonstrates understanding of one-to-one correspondence
 - A(a).2. Shows understanding of how to count and construct sets
 - A(a).4. Assigns and relates numerical representations among numerals (written), sets of objects, and number names (spoken) in the range of five to ten
 - A(a).5. Counts and knows the sequence of number names (spoken)
- IV. Language and Communication
 - D.1. Uses age-appropriate grammar in conversations and increasingly complex phrases and sentence
- VIII. Motor Development
 - B.1. Uses strength and control to perform simple tasks
 - B.2. Uses eye-hand coordination to perform tasks
 - B.3. Shows beginning control of writing, drawing and art tools

Connect the Dots

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Targeted VPK Education Standards

- VI. Mathematical and Scientific Thinking
 - A(a).1. Demonstrates understanding of one-to-one correspondence
 - A(a).2. Shows understanding of how to count and construct sets
 - A(a).4. Assigns and relates numerical representations among numerals (written), sets of objects, and number names (spoken) in the range of five to ten
 - A(a).5. Counts and knows the sequence of number names (spoken)
- VIII. Motor Development
 - B.1. Uses strength and control to perform simple tasks
 - B.2. Uses eye-hand coordination to perform tasks
 - B.3. Shows beginning control of writing, drawing and art tools

Nicki's Animal Friends Puzzles

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Targeted VPK Education Standards

- IV. Language and Communication
 - A.2. Follows two and three step directions
- VI. Mathematical and Scientific Thinking
 - A(c).1. Recognizes patterns and non-patterns
- VIII. Motor Development
 - B.1. Uses strength and control to perform simple tasks
 - B.2. Uses eye-hand coordination to perform tasks
 - B.3. Shows beginning control of writing, drawing and art tools

What is Missing?

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- IV. Language and Communication
 - D.1. Uses age-appropriate grammar in conversations and increasingly complex phrases and sentences
- VI. Mathematical and Scientific Thinking
 - A(c).1. Recognizes patterns and non-patterns

The Mitten Gross Motor Goals and Objectives

Related VPK Education Standards found in all activities in this section:

- I. Physical Health
 - A.2. Demonstrates visual ability to facilitate learning
 - A.3. Exhibits auditory ability to facilitate learning
- II. Approaches to Learning
 - A.1. Shows eagerness and curiosity as a learner
 - B.1. Attends to tasks and seeks help when encountering a problem
 - C.1. Approaches tasks with flexibility and inventiveness
- III. Social and Emotional Development
 - B.1. Follows simple classroom rules and routines
 - B.2. Uses classroom materials carefully
 - B.3. Manages transitions
 - D.3. Participates in the group life of the class
- IV. Language and Communication
 - A.1. Gains meaning by listening
 - B.1. Speaks clearly enough to be understood without contextual clues
 - C.1. Shows an understanding of words and their meanings
 - E.1. Uses language to express needs and feelings, share experiences Predict outcomes and resolve problems
 - E.2. Initiates, asks questions, and responds to adults and peers in a variety of settings
 - E.3. Uses appropriate language and style for context

Hiding in a Mitten

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Targeted VPK Education Standards

- I. Physical Health
 - B.3. Participates in physical fitness activities
- IV. Language and Communication
 - A.2. Follows two and three step directions
 - C.2. Uses an expanded vocabulary to describe many objects, actions and events
 - D.1. Uses age-appropriate grammar in conversations and increasingly complex phrases and sentences
 - D.2. Connects phrases and sentences to build ideas
- V. Emergent Literacy
 - A.1. Shows motivation for reading
 - A.4. Shows understanding of text read aloud
- VIII. Motor Development
 - A.1. Moves with balance and control
 - A.2. Coordinates movements to perform simple tasks

Making Our Way to the Mitten

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Targeted VKP Education Standards

- I. Physical Health
 - B.3. Participates in physical fitness activities
- VI. Mathematical and Scientific Thinking
 - A(e).1. Shows understanding of and uses positional words
 - A(e).4. Uses directions to move through space and find places in space
- VII. Social Studies and The Arts
 - B(a).2. Participates in group music experiences
 - B(a).3. Participates in creative movement, dance and drama
- VIII. Motor Development
 - A.1. Moves with balance and control
 - A.2. Coordinates movements to perform simple tasks

Fill Baba's Basket

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- I. Physical Health
 - B.3. Participates in physical fitness activities
- IV. Language and Communication
 - C.2. Uses an expanded vocabulary to describe many objects, actions and events
 - D.1. Uses age-appropriate grammar in conversations and increasingly complex phrases and sentences
- VIII. Motor Development
 - A.1. Moves with balance and control
 - A.2. Coordinates movements to perform simple tasks

Nicki's Snowballs

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Targeted VPK Education Standards

- I. Physical Health
 - B.3. Participates in physical fitness activities
- IV. Language and Communication
 - C.2. Uses an expanded vocabulary to describe many objects, actions and events
 - D.1. Uses age-appropriate grammar in conversations and increasingly complex phrases and sentences
- VIII. Motor Development
 - A.1. Moves with balance and control
 - A.2. Coordinates movements to perform simple tasks

Stop on a Sneeze

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- I. Physical Health
 - B.3. Participates in physical fitness activities
- III. Social and Emotional Development
 - D.1. Interacts easily with one or more children
- VII. Social Studies and The Arts
 - B(a).2. Participates in group music experiences
 - B(a).3. Participates in creative movement, dance and drama
- VIII. Motor Development
 - A.1. Moves with balance and control
 - A.2. Coordinates movements to perform simple tasks

The Mitten Fine Motor Goals and Objectives

Related VPK Education Standards found in all activities in this section:

- I. Physical Health
 - A.2. Demonstrates visual ability to facilitate learning
 - A.3. Exhibits auditory ability to facilitate learning
- II. Approaches to Learning
 - A.1. Shows eagerness and curiosity as a learner
 - B.1. Attends to tasks and seeks help when encountering a problem
 - C.1. Approaches tasks with flexibility and inventiveness
- III. Social and Emotional Development
 - B.1. Follows simple classroom rules and routines
 - B.2. Uses classroom materials carefully
 - B.3. Manages transitions
 - D.3. Participates in the group life of the class
- IV. Language and Communication
 - A.1. Gains meaning by listening
 - B.1. Speaks clearly enough to be understood without contextual clues
 - C.1. Shows an understanding of words and their meanings
 - E.1. Uses language to express needs and feelings, share experiences Predict outcomes and resolve problems
 - E.2. Initiates, asks questions, and responds to adults and peers in a variety of settings
 - E.3. Uses appropriate language and style for context
- VIII. Motor Development
 - A.1. Moves with balance and control
 - A.2. Coordinates movements to perform simple tasks

Painting on the Easel

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Targeted VPK Education Standards

- I. Physical Health
 - B.5. Performs some self-care tasks independently
- IV. Language and Communication
 - C.2. Uses an expanded vocabulary to describe many objects, actions and events
- V. Emergent Literacy
 - B.2. Uses letter-like shapes, symbols, and letters to convey meaning (own name)
- VIII. Motor Development
 - B.1. Uses strength and control to perform simple tasks
 - B.2. Uses eye-hand coordination to perform tasks
 - B.3. Shows beginning control of writing, drawing and art tools

Cooked Play Dough

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Targeted VPK Education Standards

- I. Physical Health
 - B.3. Participates in physical fitness activities
- VII. Social Studies and The Arts
 - B(a).1. Uses a variety of art materials for tactile experiences and exploration
- VIII. Motor Development
 - B.1. Uses strength and control to perform simple tasks

Shaving Cream Snow

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Targeted VPK Education Standards

- I. Physical Health
 - B.5. Performs some self-care tasks independently
- VIII. Motor Development
 - B.1. Uses strength and control to perform simple tasks
 - B.2. Uses eye-hand coordination to perform tasks
 - B.3. Shows beginning control of writing, drawing and art tools
- VII. Social Studies and The Arts
 - B(a).1. Uses a variety of art materials for tactile experiences and exploration

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- VIII. Motor Development
 - B.1. Uses strength and control to perform simple tasks
 - B.2. Uses eye-hand coordination to perform tasks
 - B.3. Shows beginning control of writing, drawing and art tools
- VII. Social Studies and The Arts
 - B(a).1. Uses a variety of art materials for tactile experiences and exploration

Crystal Creations

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Targeted VPK Education Standards

- VIII. Motor Development
 - B.1. Uses strength and control to perform simple tasks
 - B.2. Uses eye-hand coordination to perform tasks
 - B.3. Shows beginning control of writing, drawing and art tools
- VII. Social Studies and The Arts
 - B(a).1. Uses a variety of art materials for tactile experiences and exploration
- VI. Mathematical and Scientific Thinking
 - B(a).1. Asks questions and uses senses to observe and explore materials and natural phenomena
 - B(a)2. Uses simple tools and equipment for investigation

Wintry White

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Targeted VPK Education Standards

- IV. Language and Communication
 - C.2. Uses an expanded vocabulary to describe many objects, actions and events
- VIII. Motor Development
 - B.1. Uses strength and control to perform simple tasks
 - B.2. Uses eye-hand coordination to perform tasks
- VII. Social Studies and The Arts
 - B(a).1. Uses a variety of art materials for tactile experiences and exploration

Snow on the Window

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Targeted VPK Education Standards

- VIII. Motor Development
 - B.1. Uses strength and control to perform simple tasks
 - B.2. Uses eye-hand coordination to perform tasks
 - B.3. Shows beginning control of writing, drawing and art tools
- VII. Social Studies and The Arts
 - B(a).1. Uses a variety of art materials for tactile experiences and exploration

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- VIII. Motor Development
 - B.1. Uses strength and control to perform simple tasks
 - B.2. Uses eye-hand coordination to perform tasks
 - B.3. Shows beginning control of writing, drawing and art tools
 - IV. Language and Communication
 - A.2. Follows two and three step directions

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Targeted VPK Education Standards

- VIII. Motor Development
 - B.1. Uses strength and control to perform simple tasks
 - B.2. Uses eye-hand coordination to perform tasks
 - B.3. Shows beginning control of writing, drawing and art tools

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Targeted VPK Education Standards

- IV. Language and Communication
 - C.2. Uses an expanded vocabulary to describe many objects, actions and events
 - D.1. Uses age-appropriate grammar in conversations and increasingly complex phrases and sentences
- VIII. Motor Development
 - B.1. Uses strength and control to perform simple tasks
 - B.2. Uses eye-hand coordination to perform tasks
 - B.3. Shows beginning control of writing, drawing and art tools

Great Big Bear

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- IV. Language and Communication
 - A.2. Follows two and three step directions
 - C.2. Uses an expanded vocabulary to describe many objects, actions and events
 - D.1. Uses age-appropriate grammar in conversations and increasingly complex phrases and sentences
- VII. Social Studies and The Arts
 - B(a).1. Uses a variety of art materials for tactile experiences and exploration
- VIII. Motor Development
 - B.1. Uses strength and control to perform simple tasks
 - B.2. Uses eye-hand coordination to perform tasks
 - B.3. Shows beginning control of writing, drawing and art tools

Flower Matchina

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Targeted VPK Education Standards

- IV. Language and Communication
 - D.1. Uses age-appropriate grammar in conversations and increasingly complex phrases and sentences
- VI. Mathematical and Scientific Thinking
 - A(c).1. Recognizes patterns and non-patterns
 - A(d).1. Understands various two-dimensional shapes, including circle, triangle, square, rectangle, oval and other less common shapes
- VIII. Motor Development
 - B.1. Uses strength and control to perform simple tasks
 - B.2. Uses eye-hand coordination to perform tasks
 - B.3. Shows beginning control of writing, drawing and art tools

Complete the Picture

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Targeted VPK Education Standards

- VI. Mathematical and Scientific Thinking
 - A(d).1. Understands various two-dimensional shapes, including circle, triangle, square, rectangle, oval and other less common shapes
- VIII. Motor Development
 - B.1. Uses strength and control to perform simple tasks
 - B.2. Uses eye-hand coordination to perform tasks
 - B.3. Shows beginning control of writing, drawing and art tools

Follow the Path

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- IV. Language and Communication
 - C.2. Uses an expanded vocabulary to describe many objects, actions and events
 - D.1. Uses age-appropriate grammar in conversations and increasingly complex phrases and sentences
- VI. Mathematical and Scientific Thinking
 - A(d).1. Understands various two-dimensional shapes, including circle, triangle, square, rectangle, oval and other less common shapes
- VIII. Motor Development
 - B.1. Uses strength and control to perform simple tasks
 - B.2. Uses eye-hand coordination to perform tasks
 - B.3. Shows beginning control of writing, drawing and art tools

The Mitten Daily Living, Cooking and Self-Help Goals and Objectives

Related VPK Education Standards found in all activities in this section:

Related VPK Education Standards

- I. Physical Health
 - A.2. Demonstrates visual ability to facilitate learning
 - A.3. Exhibits auditory ability to facilitate learning
- II. Approaches to Learning
 - A.1. Shows eagerness and curiosity as a learner
 - B.1. Attends to tasks and seeks help when encountering a problem
 - C.1. Approaches tasks with flexibility and inventiveness
- III. Social and Emotional Development
 - B.1. Follows simple classroom rules and routines
 - B.2. Uses classroom materials carefully
 - B.3. Manages transitions
 - D.3. Participates in the group life of the class
- IV. Language and Communication
 - A.1. Gains meaning by listening
 - B.1. Speaks clearly enough to be understood without contextual clues
 - C.1. Shows an understanding of words and their meanings
 - $\hbox{E.1. Uses language to express needs and feelings, share experiences}\\$

Predict outcomes and resolve problems

- E.2. Initiates, asks questions, and responds to adults and peers in a variety of settings
- E.3. Uses appropriate language and style for context
- VIII. Motor Development
 - A.1. Moves with balance and control
 - A.2. Coordinates movements to perform simple tasks

What Should I Wear?

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Targeted VPK Education Standards

- IV. Language and Communication
 - A.2. Follows two and three step directions
 - C.2. Uses an expanded vocabulary to describe many objects, actions and events
 - D.1. Uses age-appropriate grammar in conversations and increasingly complex phrases and sentences
 - D.2. Connects phrases and sentences to build ideas
- VIII. Motor Development
 - A.1. Moves with balance and control
 - A.2. Coordinates movements to perform simple tasks

AAAAH-CA-CHEW

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Targeted VPK Education Standards

- I. Physical Health
 - B.2. Follows basic health and safety rules
 - B.5. Performs some self-care tasks independently
- VIII. Motor Development
 - B.1. Uses strength and control to perform simple tasks
 - B.2. Uses eye-hand coordination to perform tasks
- V. Emergent Literacy
 - A.1. Shows motivation for reading
 - A.4. Shows understanding of text read aloud

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- I. Physical Health
 - B.5. Performs some self-care tasks independently
- IV. Language and Communication
 - A.2. Follows two and three step directions
 - C.2. Uses an expanded vocabulary to describe many objects, actions and events
 - D.1. Uses age-appropriate grammar in conversations and increasingly complex phrases and sentences
- VIII. Motor Development
 - B.1. Uses strength and control to perform simple tasks
 - B.2. Uses eye-hand coordination to perform tasks
- VI. Mathematical and Scientific Thinking
 - B(a).1. Asks questions and uses senses to observe and explore materials And natural phenomena
 - B(a)3. Makes comparisons among objects

The Jacket I Wear in the Snow

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Targeted VPK Education Standards

- IV. Language and Communication
 - C.2. Uses an expanded vocabulary to describe many objects, actions and events
 - D.1. Uses age-appropriate grammar in conversations and increasingly complex phrases and sentences
- V. Emergent Literacy
 - A.1. Shows motivation for reading
 - A.4. Shows understanding of text read aloud

Recipes Pages 221-228

- I. Physical Health
 - B.1. Shows that basic physical needs are met
 - B.4. Makes wise food choices
 - B.5. Performs some self-care tasks independently
- VIII. Motor Development
 - B.1. Uses strength and control to perform simple tasks
 - B.2. Uses eye-hand coordination to perform tasks

The Mitten Socialization Goals and Objectives

Related VPK Education Standards found in all activities in this section:

- I. Physical Health
 - A.2. Demonstrates visual ability to facilitate learning
 - A.3. Exhibits auditory ability to facilitate learning
- II. Approaches to Learning
 - A.1. Shows eagerness and curiosity as a learner
 - B.1. Attends to tasks and seeks help when encountering a problem
 - C.1. Approaches tasks with flexibility and inventiveness
- III. Social and Emotional Development
 - B.1. Follows simple classroom rules and routines
 - B.2. Uses classroom materials carefully
 - B.3. Manages transitions
 - D.3. Participates in the group life of the class
- IV. Language and Communication
 - A.1. Gains meaning by listening
 - B.1. Speaks clearly enough to be understood without contextual clues
 - C.1. Shows an understanding of words and their meanings
 - E.1. Uses language to express needs and feelings, share experiences Predict outcomes and resolve problems
 - E.2. Initiates, asks questions, and responds to adults and peers in a variety of settings
 - E.3. Uses appropriate language and style for context
- VIII. Motor Development
 - A.1. Moves with balance and control
 - A.2. Coordinates movements to perform simple tasks

Dramatic Play and Prop Suggestions

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Targeted VPK Education Standards

- I. Physical Health
 - B.5. Performs some self-care tasks independently
- II. Approaches to Learning
 - D.1. Shows some planning and reflection
- III. Social and Emotional Development
 - A.1. Demonstrates self-concept
 - A.2. Shows some self-direction
 - D.1. Interacts easily with one or more children
- IV. Language and Communication
 - D.1. Uses age-appropriate grammar in conversations and increasingly complex phrases and sentences
 - D.2. Connects phrases and sentences to build ideas
- V. Emergent Literacy
 - A.4. Shows understanding of text read aloud
- VII. Social Studies and The Arts
 - B(a).3. Participates in creative movement, dance and drama

Mix and Match Mitten Game

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Targeted VPK Education Standards

- IV. Language and Communication
 - D.1. Uses age-appropriate grammar in conversations and increasingly complex phrases and sentences
- VI. Mathematical and Scientific Thinking
 - A(c).1. Recognizes patterns and non-patterns
 - A(c).3. Recognizes pattern units
- III. Social and Emotional Development
 - D.1. Interacts easily with one or more children

Touch and Tell Mittens

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- IV. Language and Communication
 - D.1. Uses age-appropriate grammar in conversations and increasingly complex phrases and sentences
- VI. Mathematical and Scientific Thinking
 - A(c).1. Recognizes patterns and non-patterns
 - A(c).3. Recognizes pattern units
- III. Social and Emotional Development
 - D.1. Interacts easily with one or more children

Welcome Grandparents

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Targeted VPK Education Standards

- I. Physical Health
 - B.3. Participates in physical fitness activities
- III. Social and Emotional Development
 - C.1. Interacts easily with familiar adults
 - D.1. Interacts easily with one or more children
- IV. Language and Communication
 - D.1. Uses age-appropriate grammar in conversations and increasingly complex phrases and sentences
 - D.2. Connects phrases and sentences to build ideas

My Grandma and Me

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Targeted VPK Education Standards

- III. Social and Emotional Development
 - C.1. Interacts easily with familiar adults
 - D.1. Interacts easily with one or more children
 - IV. Language and Communication
 - D.1. Uses age-appropriate grammar in conversations and increasingly complex phrases and sentences
 - D.2. Connects phrases and sentences to build ideas
 - VII. Social Studies and The Arts
 - A(a).1. Identifies similarities and differences in personal and family Characteristics
 - A(b).1. Begins to understand family needs, roles and relationships

There's No People Like Snow People

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- III. Social and Emotional Development
 - D.1. Interacts easily with one or more children
 - IV. Language and Communication
 - C.2. Uses an expanded vocabulary to describe many objects, actions and events
 - D.1. Uses age-appropriate grammar in conversations and increasingly complex phrases and sentences
 - VIII. Motor Development
 - B.1. Uses strength and control to perform simple tasks
 - B.2. Uses eye-hand coordination to perform tasks
 - B.3. Shows beginning control of writing, drawing and art tools

The Mitten Music and Rhymes Goals and Objectives

Related VPK Education Standards found in all activities in this section:

- I. Physical Health
 - A.2. Demonstrates visual ability to facilitate learning
 - A.3. Exhibits auditory ability to facilitate learning
- II. Approaches to Learning
 - A.1. Shows eagerness and curiosity as a learner
 - B.1. Attends to tasks and seeks help when encountering a problem
 - C.1. Approaches tasks with flexibility and inventiveness
- III. Social and Emotional Development
 - B.1. Follows simple classroom rules and routines
 - B.2. Uses classroom materials carefully
 - B.3. Manages transitions
 - D.3. Participates in the group life of the class
- IV. Language and Communication
 - A.1. Gains meaning by listening
 - B.1. Speaks clearly enough to be understood without contextual clues
 - C.1. Shows an understanding of words and their meanings
 - E.1. Uses language to express needs and feelings, share experiences Predict outcomes and resolve problems
 - E.2. Initiates, asks questions, and responds to adults and peers in a variety of settings
 - E.3. Uses appropriate language and style for context
- VIII. Motor Development
 - A.1. Moves with balance and control
 - A.2. Coordinates movements to perform simple tasks

Mother Goose Rhymes

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Targeted VPK Education Standards

- V. Emergent Literacy
 - A.1. Shows motivation for reading
 - A.2. Shows age-appropriate phonological awareness
 - A.4. Shows understanding of text read aloud
- VII. Social Studies and The Arts
 - B(a).2. Participates in group music experiences
 - B(a).3. Participates in creative movement, dance and drama

Mother Goose Every Day

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Targeted VPK Education Standards

- V. Emergent Literacy
 - A.1. Shows motivation for reading
 - A.2. Shows age-appropriate phonological awareness
 - A.4. Shows understanding of text read aloud
- VII. Social Studies and The Arts
 - B(a).2. Participates in group music experiences
 - B(a).3. Participates in creative movement, dance and drama

Rhymes and Finger Plays

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- V. Emergent Literacy
 - A.1. Shows motivation for reading
 - A.2. Shows age-appropriate phonological awareness
- A.4. Shows understanding of text read aloud
- VII. Social Studies and The Arts
 - B(a).2. Participates in group music experiences
 - B(a).3. Participates in creative movement, dance and drama
- VIII. Motor Development
 - B.1. Uses strength and control to perform simple tasks
 - B.2. Uses eye-hand coordination to perform tasks

^{*}Standards may vary according to rhyme selected.