

December Materials List

The items listed below are needed to implement activities throughout the Curriculum Guide. Be creative when having to substitute, or ask the children for ideas. Always keep safety in mind!

December 1

- flashlights OR string lights OR lamp
- My Five Senses by Aliki OR nonfiction book about senses

December 4

- · braille children's books
- air-drying clay

December 6

- gift bows
- psyllium powder (e.g., Metamucil)

December 7

- pretzels
- chocolate
- citrus peel
- lemons OR pickles
- bread
- dreidel
- · books about Hanukkah

December 8

- · toast OR bread
- · jams OR jellies
- lemon-scented liquid dish soap
- ingredients for A Pleasant Aroma

December 11

- Flashlight by Lizi Boyd OR wordless children's book
- · ingredients for Latkes

December 12

hair gel

December 13

nursery rhyme book

December 14

- kiwifruit
- sticks
- double-sided tape
- dried spices
- · fresh/dried herbs
- books about physical/ sensory challenges

December 15

- padlocks
- keys
- assorted flavors of gelatin powder
- spices/extracts

December 19

- children's books by Eric Carle
- variety of light sources (e.g., battery-operated candles, flashlights, night-lights)

- December 20diverse holiday cookbooks
- · holiday cookie cutters

December 21

- sled
- metal can
- · crushed ice
- table/rock salt

December 22

- sandpaper
- fabric markers/paints

December 26

ingredients for a baked goods recipe

December 27

- coniferous tree branches
- pine needles
- pine cones
- tree bark
- coniferous tree pictures/books

December 28

- mesh items
- · wire objects
- · transparent materials

December 29

party noisemakers

Basic supplies to keep on hand

- bags/boxes/baskets
- balls/beanbags
- beads/buttons/poms
- board games/puzzles
- camera/photos of childrencardboard tubes
- chalk
- chenille stems
- · children's books
- clipboards
- · containers/buckets

- · cotton balls/swabs
- craft sticks
- crayons/markers
- cups/bowls/dishes
- digital device
- felt/craft foam
- · index cards/sticky notes
- · kitchen utensils/bakeware
- magnifiers
- manipulatives/blocks
- mirrors

- music/instruments
- newspapers/magazines
- paints/paintbrushes
- · paper punch
- parachute/blankets/sheets
- pencils
- playdough
- printerscissors
- sensory materials (sand/rice/ pebbles/dirt)/bin
- spray bottles/plastic bottles
- stamp pads
- stapler
- stencils/rulers
- stickers
- streamers
- stuffed animals/toys
- variety of glues/tapes
- variety of paper
- · yarn/string/ribbon