

## Themes

### My Imagination

Pretend play is the heart of early learning! Whether they're playing superheroes, transforming objects with magic wands, or acting out everyday scenarios, children love to play make-believe. This theme demonstrates how much learning happens when children use their imaginations and creativity!

### Helpful Habits

No matter where you live, we all live in community. This theme focuses on habits that help us get along with others, such as sharing, turn-taking, and being neighborly. Children will strengthen their self-regulation and independence while learning ways to interact positively with others.

## Color/ Shape



## Alphabet Words

garage, giraffe, goggles, guitar, hammer, honey, house, hug, icicle, igloo, impala, instruments

## Letters

Gg,  
Hh, Ii

## Sign Language

## Numbers

7-8



## Learn with Me!

### Play Ideas Jar

Imaginative play is an important part of childhood. When children have time to pretend, they practice all kinds of skills, including problem-solving, creative, and social. More often than not, children are great at leading their own play. Sometimes, though, a little help is needed. For times when your child isn't sure what to do, create a play jar. Gather an empty jar and cut paper into slips. Brainstorm with your child things they like to play. Write each idea on a slip of paper. Offer the jar of play ideas when your child needs a little encouragement. Enjoy playtime together!

### Small Acts of Kindness

Involving children in acts of kindness can go a long way fostering gratitude, self-awareness, and community. Invite your child to try small acts of kindness such as writing friendly messages on the sidewalk using sidewalk chalk, drawing a picture for a sick friend, or leaving a homemade bookmark inside of a library book.

### My Project: Dragon Megaphone

When I bring this project home, we can:

- Test it out by taking turns roaring like dragons into it!
- Pretend to be other animals that roar.
- Talk about feelings that can sometimes make us want to roar, like anger or frustration, and how to handle those times.



### My Project: Sponge Rectangles

When I bring this project home, we can:

- Identify any patterns I made on the paper.
- Count the total number of rectangles stamped.
- Talk about the sizes of the rectangles.



