

Head Start Early Learning Framework for Getting Little Feet Wet

Head Start Domains:

Physical Development & Health
Social & Emotional Development
Approaches to Learning
Logic & Reasoning
Language Development
Literacy Knowledge & Skills
Mathematics Knowledge & Skills
Science Knowledge & Skills
Creative Arts Expression
Social Studies Knowledge & Skills

Water Wonders

Physical Development & Health

- Fine Motor Skills
 - Using an eye dropper
 - Spooning salt into water and stirring
- Gross Motor Skills
 - Dropping objects into water

Social & Emotional Development

- Self-Regulation
 - Follows directions

Mathematics Knowledge & Skills

- Number Relations & Operations
 - Counting water drops

Science Knowledge & Skills

- Scientific Skills & Method
 - Observing
 - Comparing
 - Participates in simple investigations to for hypotheses and draw conclusions

It's All Water

Physical Development & Health

- Fine Motor Skills
 - Pouring water

Social & Emotional Development

- Self-Regulation
 - Follows directions

Logic & Reasoning

- Reasoning & Problem Solving
 - Recognizing cause and effect to water state changes

Literacy Knowledge & Skills

- Book Appreciation
 - Listening to/reading a book

Mathematics Knowledge & Skills

- Measurement & Comparison
 - Measuring volume/size of water in different states

Science Knowledge & Skills

- Scientific Skills & Method
 - Observing
 - Comparing
 - Participates in simple investigations to for hypotheses and draw conclusions

Creative Arts Expression

- Music
 - Singing

Living Water

Physical Development & Health

- Fine Motor Skills
 - Hammering

Language Development

- Expressive Language
 - Presenting art project

Literacy Knowledge & Skills

- Book Appreciation
 - Listening to/reading a book

Science Knowledge & Skills

- Scientific Skills & Method
 - Observing
 - Comparing
- Conceptual Knowledge of the Natural & Physical World
 - Observing living things

Creative Arts Expression

- Art
 - Creating leaf art
 - Drawing

Water We Made Of?

Physical Development & Health

- Gross Motor Skills
 - Playing Simon Says

Literacy Knowledge & Skills

- Early Writing
 - Writing, drawing and sharing stories

Science Knowledge & Skills

- Scientific Skills & Method
 - Observing
- Conceptual Knowledge of the Natural & Physical World
 - Observing natural processes in our bodies

Creative Arts Expression

- Music
 - Singing
 - Listening

Let it Grow

Physical Development & Health

- Fine Motor Skills
 - Pouring water
 - Planting

Social & Emotional Development

- Self-Regulation
 - Follows directions

Approaches to Learning

- Cooperation
 - group work

Logic & Reasoning

- Reasoning & Problem Solving
 - Recognizing cause and effect

Literacy Knowledge & Skills

- Book Appreciation
 - Listening to/reading a book

Mathematics Knowledge & Skills

- Measurement & Comparison
 - Measuring length

Science Knowledge & Skills

- Scientific Skills & Method
 - Observing
 - Comparing

Our Blue Planet

Physical Development & Health

- Gross Motor Skills
 - Passing a ball

Social & Emotional Development

- Self-Regulation
 - Follows directions

Mathematics Knowledge & Skills

- Number Relations & Operations
 - Counting land and water plates

Science Knowledge & Skills

- Scientific Skills & Method
 - Comparing
 - Making predictions

House of Seasons

Physical Development & Health

- Fine Motor Skills
 - Cutting with scissors
 - Gluing

Social & Emotional Development

- Self-Regulation
 - Follows directions

Approaches to Learning

- Cooperation
 - group work

Language Development

- Expressive Language
 - Explaining seasons
 - Presenting art project

Science Knowledge & Skills

- Conceptual Knowledge of the Natural & Physical World
 - Observing natural processes

Creative Arts Expression

- Art
 - Creating collage
 - Drawing

Source to Tap

Physical Development & Health

- Fine Motor Skills
 - Collecting and pouring water
- Gross Motor Skills
 - Walking on a path

Social & Emotional Development

- Self-Regulation
 - Follows directions

Logic & Reasoning

- Symbolic Representation
 - Recognizing pretend pipelines

Social Studies Knowledge & Skills

- People & the Environment
 - Recognizes bodies of water

Don't Pass the Germs

Physical Development & Health

- Health Knowledge & Practice
 - washing hands
 - understanding healthy habits

Logic & Reasoning

- Reasoning & Problem Solving
 - Recognizing cause and effect
- Symbolic Representation
 - Recognizing pretend germs

Mathematics Knowledge & Skills

- Number Relations & Operations
 - Counting and comparing

Science Knowledge & Skills

- Scientific Skills & Method
 - Observing
 - Comparing

Thunderstorm

Physical Development & Health

- Gross Motor Skills
 - Clapping
 - Stomping

Social & Emotional Development

- Self-Regulation
 - Recognizing and label emotions
- Emotional & Behavioral Health
 - Expressing emotions appropriately

Literacy Knowledge & Skills

- Book Appreciation
 - Listening to/reading a book

Science Knowledge & Skills

- Conceptual Knowledge of the Natural & Physical World

Observing, discussing, describing natural processes Creative Arts Expression

- Music
 - Listening
 - Performing

Rain stick: Make it Rain!

Physical Development & Health

- Fine Motor Skills
 - Cutting
 - Gluing
 - Pouring
- Gross Motor Skills
 - Dancing

Science Knowledge & Skills

- Conceptual Knowledge of the Natural & Physical World
 - Observing, discussing, describing natural processes

Creative Arts Expression

- Art
 - Creating art
 - Drawing
- Creative Movement & Dance
 - Moving to different rhythms