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At the Seashore Theme Week

These five daily lesson plans are especially designed for children ages 3-6 in a preschool, daycare, kindergarten, homeschool, or home setting and include activities which help teachers provide a rich learning experience through guided play, songs, games, lessons, and crafts. As a special theme week these lesson plans will capture children's attention and increase their interest in learning.

At the Seashore Theme Week is both easy and versatile. As you can see in The Daily Format outlined on page 4, the components of each day's lesson plan are carefully balanced between structured whole group activities and independent self-selected activities. The daily format from page 4 is expanded and shown step-by-step for each of five days on pages 6 through 22.

The minutes assigned to each component reflect a preschooler's attention span but are intended as a guide only. This format is easily adaptable to your daily schedule: It fits nicely into the traditional three hour nursery school schedule, while full-day child care centers can readily spread activities throughout the morning and afternoon, allowing for naps and quiet times. If you wish, the activities and projects can also be extended over more than one week.

Lesson activities have been tested by our resident teacher, Kari, her young children, and their crew of friends.

A few words from Kari:

Fun lesson plans are filled with the activities children love. Music and movement, science and art, and stories and games stimulate young minds, build healthy bodies and provide lots of opportunity for children to gain important academic and social skills. Children love the nursery rhymes and songs used throughout each day to foster language development and physical fitness. Art projects, finger play and even snack time help develop important fine motor skills. Such daily routines as Calendar Count and Weather Watch help build number sense and critical thinking skills.

Children are curious and love to ask "why?" The Exploration Stations and Discovery Corner are two important components of each lesson plan. The Exploration Stations allow children to experience a wide range of activities at their own pace, while Discovery Corner activities engage children in exciting, whole group projects.

Lesson plan theme weeks foster development of the whole child: mind, body and heart. From the active, fun-filled games, which put a new spin on old favorites, to the Health and Manners lessons, which help the teacher provide important instruction in personal health and citizenship, FunLessonPlans.com theme weeks are designed especially to address the unique needs of the young child.

Kari