

 Month	 Topics and Curriculum Standards	 Early-Learning Spotlight
<b>September</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Welcome to School:</b> New Routines</li> <li>• <b>Apples:</b> Plant Growth</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Taking Turns</li> <li>• Shape Recognition</li> </ul>
<b>October</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Fire Safety:</b> Personal Safety</li> <li>• <b>Pumpkins:</b> Senses Exploration</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Gross-Motor Skills</li> <li>• Science Vocabulary</li> </ul>
<b>November</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Autumn Changes:</b> Observations</li> <li>• <b>It's Thanksgiving:</b> Gratitude</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Descriptive Words</li> <li>• Thankfulness</li> </ul>
<b>December/ January</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Winter Holidays:</b> Social Awareness</li> <li>• <b>Animals in Winter:</b> Hibernation</li> <li>• <b>Freezing and Melting:</b> Properties of Water</li> <li>• <b>Polar Bears:</b> Arctic Habitat</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Listening for Rhymes</li> <li>• Counting</li> <li>• Categorizing</li> <li>• Science Vocabulary</li> </ul>
<b>February</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Dental Health:</b> Healthy Habits</li> <li>• <b>Friendship for February 14:</b> Peer Relationships</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Patterns</li> <li>• Including Others</li> </ul>
<b>March</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Animal Builders:</b> Life Science</li> <li>• <b>Spring Weather:</b> Seasonal Changes</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Number Recognition</li> <li>• Dressing for the Weather</li> </ul>
<b>April</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Plants:</b> Plant Science</li> <li>• <b>Earth Day:</b> Caring for the Planet</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sequencing</li> <li>• Phonological Awareness</li> </ul>
<b>May/ June</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Sea Creatures:</b> Ocean Life</li> <li>• <b>Get Ready for Summer:</b> Emotions</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Letter Recognition</li> <li>• Keep Trying</li> </ul>



## BONUS: 6 Teaching Posters



### October

- Spooky Animals
- Fire Trucks

### February

- Animal Teeth
- Groundhogs

### April

- Chickens and Eggs
- Insects