

### Month: July Week: 3 Subject: Creative Arts

Day 1	Topic(s)	Foundation(s)
	Theme: Picnic Adventures Number: 1 Letter: Tt Color: Peach Shape: Circle	CA3.1 Demonstrate creative expression through the visual art process or experience CA3.2 Demonstrate creative expression through visual art production and presentation
Indicators		
	Younger Preschool	Older Preschool
	May glue pieces with help and place stickers.	May cut or tear shapes independently and arrange items creatively.

Activity: Picnic Art

Guide children in creating a picnic scene on red-and-white construction paper to mimic a picnic blanket. Help them make a hotdog using brown and yellow paper/yarn for mustard, and a watermelon slice from green and red paper. Add ant stickers crawling across the blanket to complete the scene. Children will build fine motor skills while exploring shapes, textures, and storytelling through art.

Resources/Materials Key Vocabulary: Support:		
<ul> <li>Red and white, brown, and green construction paper</li> <li>Yellow yarn or string (for mustard)</li> <li>Ant stickers</li> <li>Small paper plates</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Red and white, brown, and green construction paper</li> <li>Yellow yarn or string (for mustard)</li> <li>Ant stickers</li> </ul>	 Support:





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Day 2	Topic(s)	Foundation(s)
	Theme: Picnic Adventures Number: 1 Letter: Tt Color: Peach Shape: Circle	CA1.1 Demonstrate creative music expression
Indicators		
	Younger Preschool	Older Preschool
	May shake instruments or move with the beat.	May invent words or actions for picnic-themed songs.

Activity: Picnic Music

Sing simple picnic-themed songs or adapt familiar tunes with picnic words (e.g., "The Ants Go Marching"). Provide instruments like shakers or tambourines and encourage children to keep the beat or create their own rhythms. Prompt them to act out picnic activities while singing, combining music and dramatic play.

Resources/Materials  • Shakers, tambourines	Key Vocabulary: sing, beat, music	Support:  The ants go marching one by one son
Song lyrics		





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	Younger Preschool	Older Preschool
	May clap or sway along.	May come up with dance moves matching the song's words.

Activity: Picnic Music

Continue exploring music by introducing songs with simple movements related to picnics such as crawling like ants or flying like bees. Encourage children to create their own motions and combine them with the music, fostering creative expression through both sound and movement.

Resources/Materials  Open space for movement	Key Vocabulary: move, dance, sing	Support:  Kids Picnic Song   Fun Picnic Day
Picnic-themed music		





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Day 4	Topic(s)	Foundation(s)
	Theme: Picnic Adventures Number: 1 Letter: Tt Color: Peach Shape: Circle	CA3.1 Demonstrate creative expression through the visual art process or experience
Indicators		
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	May add simple marks or stickers to the mural.	May draw recognizable picnic items and talk about their art.

Activity: Collaborative Picnic Mural

Lay out a large sheet of butcher paper and invite children to create a picnic scene together. Provide crayons, markers, and stickers like ants, hotdogs, and watermelons. Encourage children to add their own ideas, discuss what they're drawing, and celebrate everyone's contributions to the shared artwork.

Resources/Materials  • Butcher paper	Key Vocabulary: draw, mural, together	Support:
Crayons, markers		
Picnic-themed stickers		





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Day 5	Topic(s)	Foundation(s)
	Theme: Picnic Adventures Number: 1 Letter: Tt Color: Peach Shape: Circle	CA1.1 Demonstrate creative music expression
Indicators		
	Younger Preschool	Older Preschool
	May repeat simple rhythms or words.	May lead classmates in singing or drumming patterns.
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Activity: Picnic Music

Finish the week with a picnic music celebration. Let children choose favorite songs from earlier in the week or make up new picnic songs together. Add simple instruments or body percussion like clapping, giving children a chance to express themselves musically and dramatically.

Resources/Materials  • Instruments	Key Vocabulary: music, song, celebrate	Support:
Open space		

