

# Bi-weekly Planning Sheet “The Very Hungry Caterpillar”

(Corresponds with Sample Newsletter)

Activities to be implemented from Monday, April 29 through Thursday, May 9, 2002

Activity Title	Three Critical Areas of Early Literacy and Language			Early Childhood Five Developmental Domains				
	Language Use	Phonological Awareness (rhyming, blending, & segmenting)	Print Awareness	Academic Readiness	Communication	Social, Emotional, & Behavioral	Independence & Self-Help	Physical
Egg Carton Caterpillars	X			X	X		X	X
Repeated Reading: <i>The Very Hungry Caterpillar</i> (VHC)	X		X	X	X	X		X
Number Tracing			X	X	X			X
Shop for Fruit	X		X	X	X	X	X	X
Mold Caterpillars	X				X			X
Larvae in Butterfly Garden	X			X	X	X		X
Measure Bodies	X		X	X	X	X		X
Dig for Caterpillars	X				X	X		X
Name Caterpillars	X		X	X	X			X
VHC Blending Bingo	X	X	X	X	X	X		X

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Paint a Stone Caterpillar	X			X	X			X
Sing "Caterpillar Song"	X	X	X	X	X			
Listen to (and follow) "Dissected Directions"	X	X		X	X	X		
Lace Fruit Necklaces	X				X	X	X	X
Paint Plums at Easel	X			X				X
Salt Box Writing			X	X				X
Purchase Food at Dramatic Play	X		X	X	X	X	X	X
Make Banana Popsicles	X				X	X	X	X
Sort Healthy and Junk Foods	X		X	X	X		X	X
"Hungry Thing Snacks"	X	X						
Wash Fruits and Vegetables in Trough	X						X	X

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Sequence Strawberries by Size	X		X	X	X			X
Graph Favorite Fruits	X		X	X	X			X
Picture Story / Word Story	X		X	X	X	X		X
<i>D.W. the Picky Eater</i> Computer Software	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
“Grab Bag Surprise”	X	X			X	X		X
Document Larvae Change, Butterfly Life Cycle	X		X	X	X			X
Spin Bread Cocoon Around a Beef Hotdog	X		X	X	X	X	X	X
Decorate Dip-and-Sip Nectar Flower	X	X		X	X	X	X	X
Sequence Butterfly Life Cycle	X		X	X	X			X
VHC Puzzle	X		X	X	X	X		X

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Make “I Spy Binoculars”		X	X			X		X
Cocoon Chart	X		X	X	X	X		X
Pattern Butterfly and Flower Prints	X		X	X	X			X
Make Hand- or Footprint Butterflies	X			X		X		X
Beanbag Flower Toss	X				X	X	X	X
Plant Seeds	X		X	X	X	X	X	X
Draw Butterflies and Flowers at the Computer	X		X	X	X	X	X	X
Sing “Butterflies”	X	X		X	X			
Circle Rhyming	X	X		X	X			
Butterfly “Bs”	X		X	X	X			X
Garden Lotto	X	X	X	X	X	X		X
Write & Read “If I Were a Butterfly” Poem	X	X	X	X	X			
Picture Puzzles	X	X	X	X	X	X		X

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Sort Caterpillars and Butterflies	X			X	X			X
VHC “Awesome Athletic” Events	X		X	X	X	X	X	X
Coffee Filter Flowers	X			X	X	X		X
Bake Cinnamon Caterpillars	X		X	X	X	X	X	X
Butterfly Magnet	X			X	X	X		X
Count and Graph Fruit	X		X	X	X			X
Butterfly Dance	X				X	X		X
Read “Flying Butterflies”	X	X	X	X	X			