

## Busy Bees Lesson Plan

Theme: Camping Fun

Date: June 16-20

**Objectives and Goals: Children will experience some of the fun of camping in the classroom and outside.**

**Parental Information: Take a look at smores sign up sheet for Wednesday and remember to bring swim stuff also for Wednesday. Picnic lunch on Thursday \*\*(no heat ups please)**

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday (making smores, please see sign-up sheet)	Thursday (Picnic Lunch) Please <b><u>no heat ups</u></b>	Friday
<b>Large Motor Activity</b>	Playing in the pond (water play in the water table)	Take a hike (walk) and look for sticks to collect for project later in the week	Jumping over the creek (pretend to jump over the pretend creek sprinkler play outside)	Biking (work on peddling)	Climbing rocks (pretend the climber is a big rock)
<b>Circle Time Activity</b>	What do we need to go camping?  <b>Song:</b> A Camping We Will Go	<b>Songs:</b> Once I Caught A Fish Alive  I'm A Little Fishy	Roast marshmallows over the pretend campfire (use microwave to make smores) <b>*see sign up sheet</b>	<b>Book:</b> Hoppity's Vacation	<b>Book:</b> Just Out Camping
<b>Small Group Activity</b>	Make paper tents (glue paper onto paper to make tent add pictures of what you would put in your tent)	Play dough, scissors, markers	Fishing Fun (use toy fishing poles, children will catch plastic fish)	Water and fish in the water table	Glue small sticks, onto paper that we put our tents on, for campfire (add red and yellow tissue paper)

<b>Changes To The Environment</b>	<b>Table Toys:</b> Fish file folder game	<b>Science / Discovery</b> *Water in water table *Sticks to look at and break	<b>Dramatic Play:</b> Binoculars Pretend campfire
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<b>Self-Help Skills:</b> *Opening food containers at lunch *Putting on helmets 10.1-3.3 *Making own cot 5.2.1 *Putting on socks and shoes	<b>Social / Emotional Skills:</b> *Emotional regulation 25.2.1 *Respect & Empathy 25.4.2 *Behavioral Regulation 25.2.2	<b>Fine Motor Skills:</b> *Cutting with scissors *Wooden puzzles <b>Large Motor Skills:</b> *Peddling bikes *Climbing the ladders and beanstalk on big playground
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**A Camping We Will Go**

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Hi ho, we'll pack (name item)

A camping we will go

**Once I Caught A Fish**

One, Two, Three, Four, Five Once I caught a fish alive,

Six, Seven, Eight, Nine, Ten then I let it go again

Why did you let it go (shout)

Cause it bit my finger so (grab right pinky finger)

Which finger did it bite (shout)

My little pinky on the right (wiggle right pinky finger)

**I'm A Little Fishy**

(To the tune of I'm a little tea pot)

I'm a little fishy watch me swim

Here is my tail

Here is my fin

When I want to have fun with my friends

I wiggle my tail and dive right in

## **Smores Sign-up Sheet: for Wednesday July 25<sup>th</sup>**

1 Box Graham Crackers \_\_\_\_\_

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1 Bag Marshmallows \_\_\_\_\_

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1 Package Chocolate Bars \_\_\_\_\_

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