

Blue Bee Lesson Plans

MONTH: August

THEME: Growing Up & Moving On

Family participation: Please be sure to return your child's height and weight birth slip and bring in a picture of your child as a baby.

OBJECTIVES/GOALS:

We will end the school year talking about when we were babies. We will measure ourselves once again to see how much we have grown since we were born, entered into the blue bee room and how tall we are now. We will also talk about some of our favorite activities that we did this year and will center our last week in the blue bee room around these favorites.

ACTIVITIES:

- *measuring our current height
- *guessing who is who on our babies pictures collage
- *we will make a chart to see how much we have grown since we were born and how much we have grown since we entered the blue bee room.
- *children's favorite activities we did this year

SOCIAL/EMOTIONAL:

- *visiting the bear rooms
- *continue to use our words with our friends vs our hands or feet
- *working on following teacher direction even when we really do not want to do what we are being asked to do
- *working on resting and putting ourselves to sleep without adult assistance

COGNITIVE/PROBLEM SOLVING

- *putting our sheets on our cots
- *taking our sheets off our cots and folding our blanket
- *who is who on the baby collage

LANGUAGE/COMMUNICATION

- *using words with peers vs using our hands or feet
- *answering questions about a story being read
- *singing songs at gathering time

FINE MOTOR:

- *cutting
- *placing caps back on markers that we use

GATHERING TIME:

BOOKS: See Monthly Calendar

SONGS: Make New Friends (Make new friends but keep the old one is silver and the others gold)

SELF HELP SKILLS:

- *making and unmaking our cots
- *total independence in the bathroom
- *putting on our swim stuff and then redressing after water play

Art Activities: finger painting, baby collage, graphing our height, cutting and gluing, stampers