



The Gingerbread House Weekly Curriculum

Date: 6/27-7/1

Theme: God Bless America!

Classroom: Lollipops

Objective: Children will have a better understanding of the 4th of July holiday and its history.

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Character Education Language & Literature	Read: <u>A is For America: A Patriotic Alphabet Book</u> Discuss: What is the Fourth of July and Why do we celebrate it?	Read: <u>L is For Liberty</u> What are the colors of our flag? What different shapes are on our flag?	Read: <u>Clifford Goes to Washington</u> Discuss: Why do we say the Pledge of Allegiance?	Read: <u>Fourth of July Mice</u> by Bethany Roberts Discuss: What are you doing to celebrate Independence Day?	Read: <u>The Night Before the Fourth of July</u> by Natasha Wings Discuss: How many stars on our our flag?
Art & Fine Motor	Cut red/white/blue stars	Class handprint American Flag	American Flag craft	Toilet paper roll firework painting	Fourth of July Crown
Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics	Red, white and blue jar	Counting the stripes	Fireworks in a jar	4th of July Fluffy Slime	4th of July Fluffy Slime
Sensory	Water Play	Water Play	Water table (glitter)	Water table (red/White/blue)	Water table (red/white/blue)
Gross Motor	Capture the flag	Fireworks!	Capture the flag	Red, White & Blue Tag	Red, White & Blue Tag