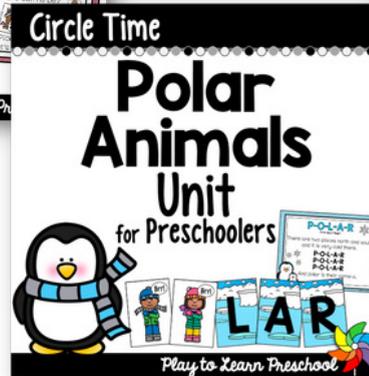
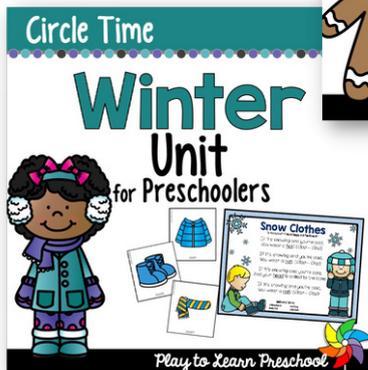
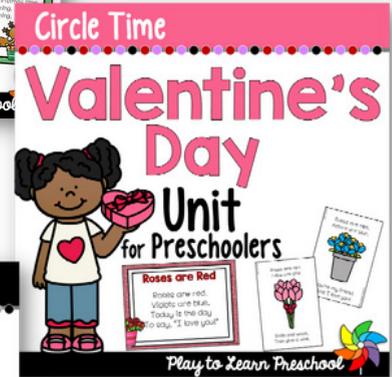
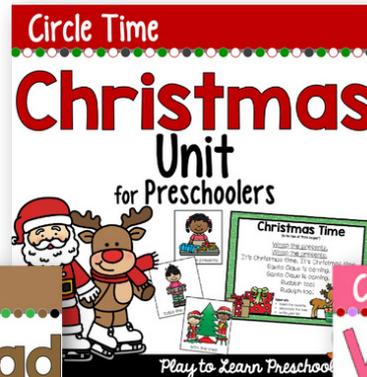
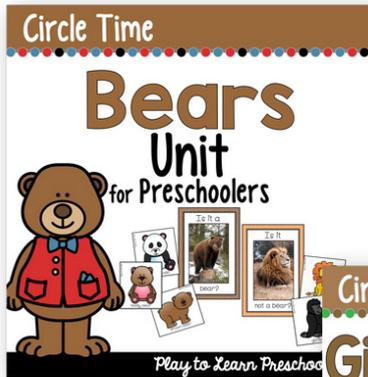


# Winter Circle Time Lessons

## Preschool Thematic Units

→ 6 thematic units including:

927 pages!



# Everything is planned for you!

60 days of lessons!

Introduction to activate prior knowledge.

Real-life photos to generate discussion.

Day 2 lesson plans

## Arctic Animals

Polar Bears, Whales, Reindeer, Fox, Owl, Walrus, Oystercatcher

Many animals live near the North Poles. Thick fur, light colors to blend with the snow, and extra fat keep them warm and help them live in the colder climate.

### Objectives:

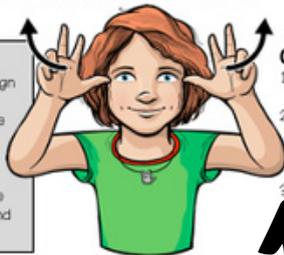
- The students will follow oral directions.
- The students will share and take turns with others.
- The students will notice and extend simple patterns.

### Activities:

- Look at the pictures of the animals. Discuss with the students which animals they see.
- Sing "Arctic Animals" to the tune of "London Bridge is Falling Down". Show the animal cards and sing the line of the song that matches it.
- Play the Polar Animal Grid Game.

#### Extension Idea:

Teach the ASL sign for **reindeer**.  
Make the high five sign with your hands, put your thumb to your temple and move your hands out and up.



#### Grid Game:

- Copy the attached page onto 4-5 different colors of paper. Laminate and cut apart.
- Create a grid where each column has the same animal and each row is the same color. Discuss the pattern and relationship of the cards.
- Students close their eyes while the teacher removes 1 card. Students use their knowledge of patterns to determine which card (animal and color) is missing.



Which one is missing?



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Objectives written in kid-friendly language.

Daily extension activities, including ASL instruction.

Step-by-step directions for each activity.

Sorts, poems, carpet games, and more!

# Songs & Poems

45

interactive  
songs & poems



# Games & Activities

34

engaging  
games & activities  
Including:

- Carpet Games



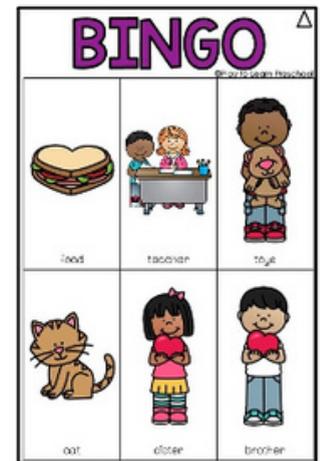
- Grid Games



- Concept Sorts



- Bingo



And MORE!



# Emergent Literacy

48

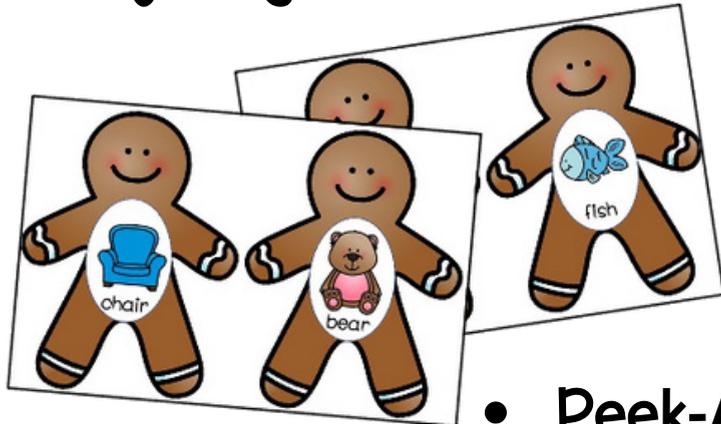
literacy activities  
Including:

- Student Polls

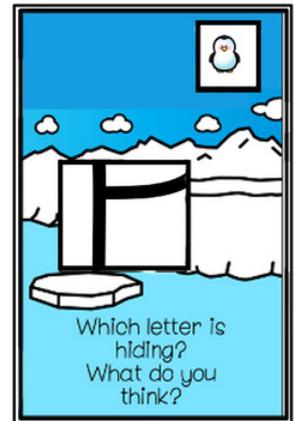
What is your favorite type of candy?			
 I like chocolate.	 I like hard candy.	 I like gummies.	 I like cotton candy.
Sam	Dean	Auggie	Violet
Charlie		Willy	
Mary			



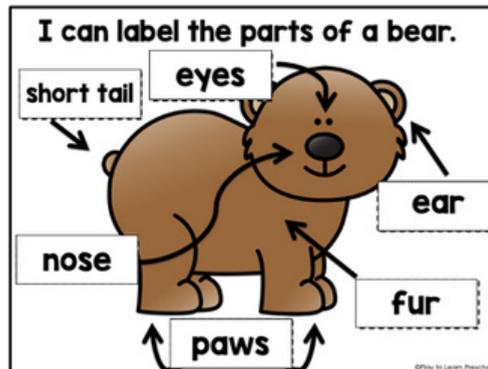
- Rhyming Practice



- Peek-A-Boo Cards



- Labeling a Picture



And MORE!

# Center Activities

**60**  
math, literacy,  
working  
memory  
AND MORE!



# Vibrant Photos

Over  
**100**  
Full Color Photos

are known to be very intelligent.  
cubs are playful and enjoy climbing.



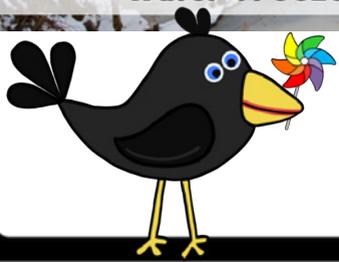
The Arctic fox has the warmest pelt (fur) of  
any animal found in the Arctic.



Water freeze



It is nice to get a hug from someone you love.



# Testimonials

Units classroom  
tested by over  
**17,000**  
teachers!

I can't get enough of these packs. The song boards and carpet games, the pictures and the activities. They are consistent for my students so they get the repetition. I absolutely recommend this pack.

- Nicole C.

This is a great resource. My Kinders really enjoyed the pictures, which prompted them to ask many open ended questions, which than lead to inquires and wonders. Thank you again , such a great resource.

- Dolce B.

I love these! I am working on buying all of the unit packs. They are fun and have many different activities. They pictures are bright, beautiful, and real life. My kiddos love the pocket chart games. - Amanda H.

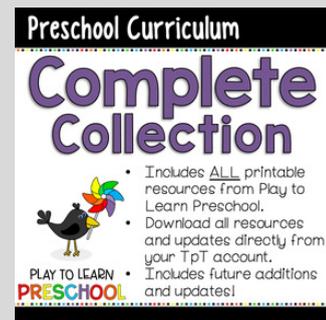
# Have fun playing and learning with your students!



## Meet Jamie

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## Additional Resources:



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