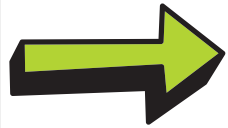


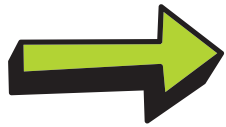
Construction Preschool Unit



**10 days
of lesson plans**

**166
pages!**

- 2 circle time activities each day
- Real-life photographs to spark discussion
- Daily extension ideas



10 learning centers

- Literacy
- Math
- Fine Motor & Working Memory



Everything is planned for you!

Introduction to activate prior knowledge.

Real photographs with discussion prompts.

Tools

Things That Help Us Build

It is important to have the right tools when building. A tool is used to make or repair something. Carpenters, builders, and even architects use many types of tools.

Objectives:

- The students will play with words, sounds, and rhymes.
- The students will take on pretend roles.

Activities:

1. Bring in real-life tools or toy tools (such as a plastic saw for safety purposes) to pass around the class. Ask students how they think each tool is used. Show the photographs and discuss as a class.
2. Sing the song "This is the Way." Use the picture cards or tools to help with each verse.
3. Recite the poem "Johnny Hammers" with a steady beat. For each verse, students pretend to use the number of hammers in the poem. Begin by moving one hand like it has a hammer, then both hands, then move both hands and stomp one foot, then both feet, and finally both hands, feet, and nod your head for five hammers.

Extension Idea:

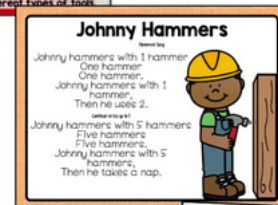
A tool memory tray will work on concentration and memory skills. Put 4 – 6 small plastic tools on a tray. (screwdriver, hammer, level, pliers, safety goggles, etc.) Have students look away and remove one item. Students guess which item is missing.

Daily extension activities, including book recommendations.

Step-by-step directions for each activity.

Sorts, poems, carpet games, and more!

Day 3
lesson
plans



Songs & Poems

Here Come the Workers!

To the tune of "Farmer in the Dell"

The builders go to work
The builders go to work
Hi-ho construction site
The builders go to work!

(repeat tune with ver

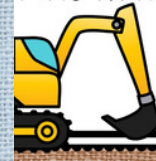


Around the Construction Site

To the tune of "Wheels on the Bus"

The excavator goes dig, dig, dig
Dig, dig, dig,
Dig, dig, dig.

The excavator goes dig, dig, dig
in the mud.



I'm an Architect

To the tune of "Wheels on the Bus"

I use my pencils
To draw the lines,
Draw the lines,
Draw the lines.
I use my pencils to
Draw the lines.
I'm an architect!



Johnny Hammers

Movement Song

Johnny hammers with 1 hammer,
One hammer,
One hammer.
Johnny hammers with 1 hammer.
Then he uses 2.

Continue verses up to 5

Johnny hammers with 5 hammers,
Five hammers,
Five hammers.
Johnny hammers with 5 hammers,
Then he takes a nap.



Tools

To the tune of "This is the Way"

This is the way
We hit the nails,
Hit the nails,
Hit the nails.

This is the way
We hit the nails,
With a hammer!



Other Verses:
Turn the screws/screwdriver
Cut the wood/saw
Find the size/tape measure
Make the holes/drill
Make it straight/level

Games & Activities

Simon says...



Raise your hands up like a roof on a house.

Simon says...



Stand tall like a sky scraper.

Simon says...

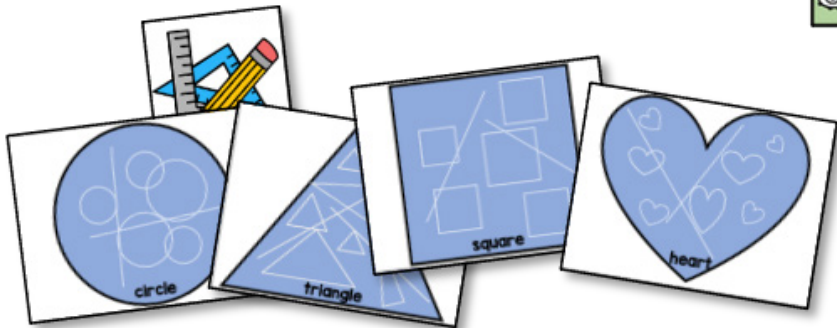


Bend over like a bridge.

Which one is missing?





circle

triangle


square


heart


Emergent Literacy


I See!


I see the truck.
I see the cone.
I see the sign.
I see the worker.
I see the hard hat.
I see the tools.
I see the building!


I see the truck. 


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I see the worker. 

I see the hard hat. 

I see the tools. 

I see the building. 

Name _____

I can label construction site gear.

I can label construction site gear.

Hard hat

vest

tools

boots

bee

tree

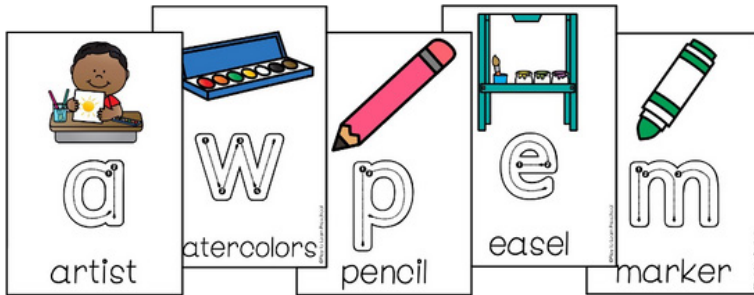
mouse

house



Center Activities

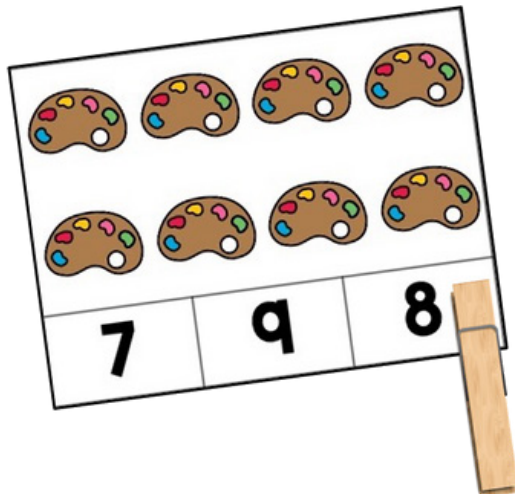
Writing Practice



Visual Discrimination



Folder Games



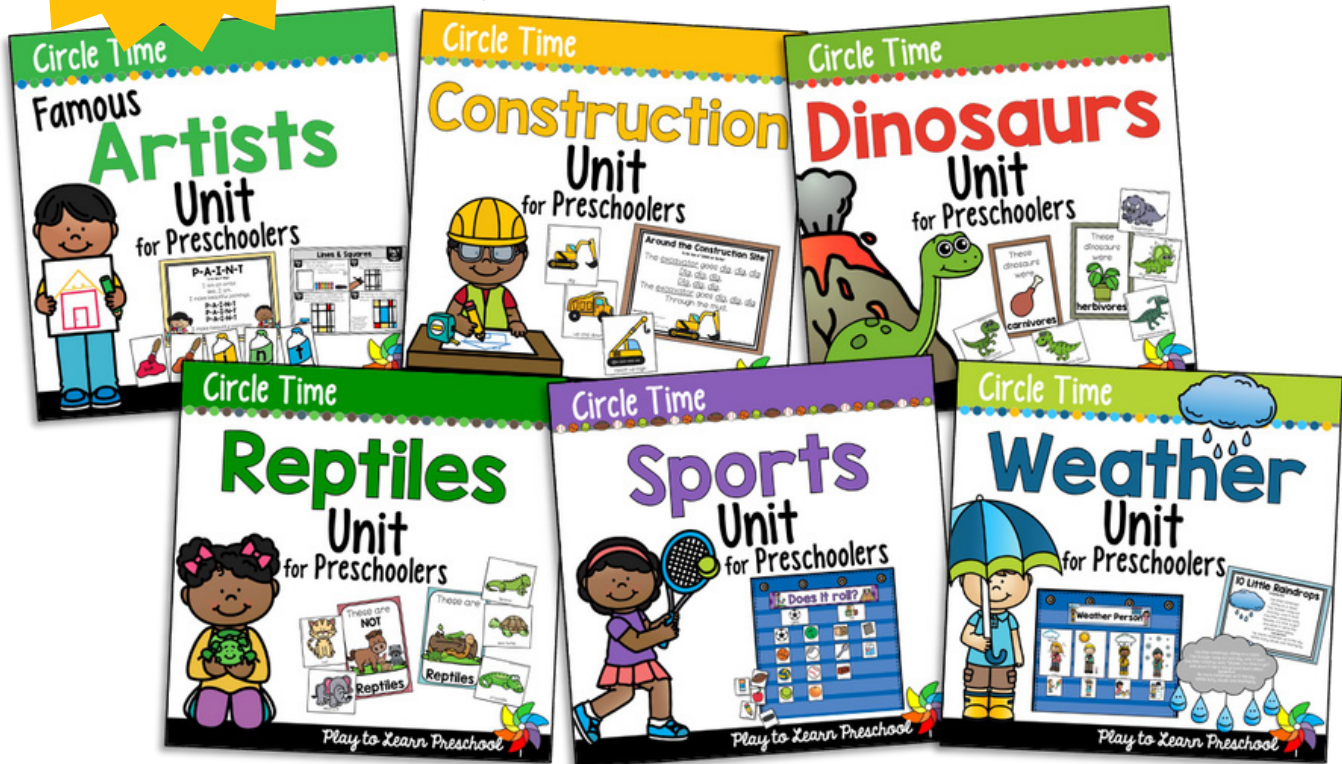
Count & Clip Cards

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in
2022!

I've been wanting to do a theme on this but I don't have the motivation to put together resources on my own!
- Amanda L.

I love all of your units. They save me so much time when I'm planning. You have great ideas!
- Rachel B.

I love art and can't wait to use this unit. Thanks for all you do for us busy moms who double as teachers!!
- Amanda J.

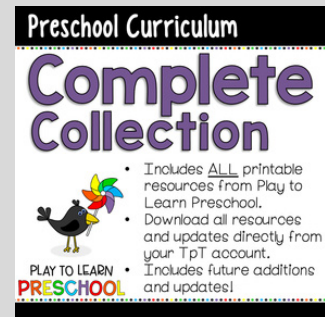
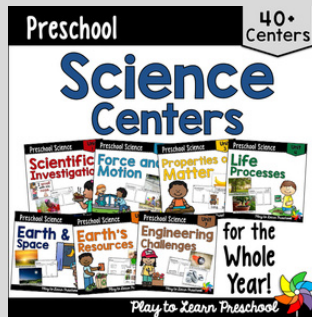
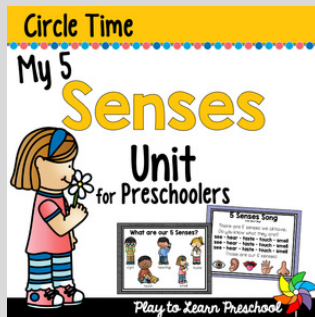
Have fun playing and learning with your students!



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Additional Resources:



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