

GOOD SHEPHERD EPISCOPAL SCHOOL

PRE-KINDERGARTEN SPECIALS YEAR AT A GLANCE

MUSIC

- Orff principles
 - Identifying contrast: high/medium/low, sound/silence, loud/quiet, fast/slow, up/down, long/short, melody/harmony, group/solo singing, speak/sing/whisper/call, echo/simultaneous, and pitched/unpitched
 - Movement Vocabulary: loco vs. non-locomotor movement, self vs. shared space, fingerplays, circle games, jump/hop/leap, crawl/roll/slither, walk/jog/run, gallop/slide/skip, pathways, bodylevels/facing, body percussion, positive/negative space, distance/direction, time/flow/weight, and brain dance sequence
 - Singing voice: vocal exploration, steady beat, wood/metal/skin inst. ID, and head vs. chest voice
- Pond life
- Alphabet
- Zoo Animals
- Scottish Rite Hospitality Christmas Carols

SPANISH

- Greetings
- Polite pleasantries
- Simple commands with gestures: stand up, sit down, listen, sing, and look
- Simple weather phrases
- Days of the week
- 11 basic colors
- Numbers 0-20 in and out of sequence
- Classroom objects: chair, table, door, window, book, and pencil
- 6 body parts and simple phrases: "My head hurts"
- 15 familiar foods and drinks
- Immediate family members
- 6 farm animals
- 6 articles of clothing
- Simple verbs: I want, I need, I like, I don't like, My ____ hurts, and I have
- Simple holiday phrases "I love you Mom" for Mother's Day

* This YAG will change. It is meant only to provide a quick look at the topics that will be addressed during the school year. Class progress, ERB testing, school trips, and inclement weather will all merit YAG adjustments.