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Theme: Picnic

Week of May 18 - 22

Hello Glenwood friends! We hope everyone is well and able to get outside each day at least for a change in scenery! Our theme this week is **picnic**. We thought this theme was appropriate as this is the time of year we would be having our annual spring picnic/BBQ at Glenwood. If the weather is nice enough perhaps having a picnic in your yard or on your balcony might be a nice change. Even an inside picnic can be fun. For this theme, we have included a wide range of activities and tasks, so hopefully there is something for everyone. If you have the time, choose a couple that you feel would be engaging for your child. We know that you may not have all the required materials for some of the activities so please feel free to substitute anything that is meaningful for your child. Again, any feedback (please see guiding questions below) you can provide to your child's classroom teacher is much appreciated and helps us to better meet the needs of your child.

 Literacy	<p>Story: "Little Kipper's Picnic": https://youtu.be/-1KudPcaHaw</p> 	<p>Story: "One Hundred Hungry Ants": https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8qhUaQpaRrQ</p> 	<p>Literacy Ideas: Talk about: </p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">What food would you like to bring on a picnic?Where would you like to have a picnic? <p>Use Boardmaker Picnic Vocabulary Visuals (see below pages) to build vocabulary related to picnics and to talk about picnics.</p> 		<p>Literacy Extensions: </p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Draw pictures to show what you like to do on a picnic and write or dictate a sentence to describe each picture.Picnic Words Work Sheet (find this in pages below)
 Music & Videos	<p>Song: "Teddy Bears Picnic":  https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=uxFIGWm9M6w</p>	<p>Song: "Going on a Picnic":  https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mM4CW0urV7I</p>	<p>Body Break: Get ready to march!  "The Ants Go Marching" https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Pjw2A3QU8Qg</p>	<p>Video: Daniel the Tiger-Picnic & Fireworks:  https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fgSEqXLxVe8</p>	<p>Video: Maisy the Mouse Picnic:  https://youtu.be/5Bl8zsmptai8</p>
 Lifeskills	<p>Getting Ready for a Picnic  (Protection from the sun) Link for video: https://tv.commonshwdsb.on.ca/media/getting-ready-for-the-sun/</p>	<p>Sorting Cutlery  Link for video: https://tv.commonshwdsb.on.ca/media/sort-cutlery/</p>	<p>Sorting Dishes  Link for video: https://tv.commonshwdsb.on.ca/media/sort-dishes/</p>	<p>Cooking: Fruit Salad Watch video: https://youtu.be/JoU3hkyZ8e8 Ingredients: Soft fruit, easy to cut or peel. Examples: bananas, clementine oranges, berries, grapes, ripe mango, etc. Instructions: Combine all fruit in bowl and enjoy!</p> 	
 Something Special	<p>Sensory Lemonade Sensory Bin Water Play Read about it online:  https://www.thechaosandtheclutter.com/archives/lemonade-sensory-bin-water-play-activity</p>	<p>Numeracy Extensions: Watermelon Counting Cut paper plates in half, paint pink and green and label with numbers. Place the correct number of small black items on each plate to correspond with each number. Link for Video: https://tv.commonshwdsb.on.ca/media/watermelon-seed-counting/</p> 			

 <p>Leisure</p>	<p>Circle Time</p> <p>Being together even though we are apart</p> <p>Link for Picnic Circle Time: https://drive.google.com/file/d/1yMu1hX6Psi0A_FgGmZnwaBRhffR_XrZk/view?usp=sharing</p>	<p>Ant Crafts: </p> <p>Link for Ant Crafts Video: https://tv.commons.hwsdb.on.ca/media/ant-crafts/ Or see below pages for written instructions</p>	<p>Choose your favourite picnic food: </p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cut out photos of favourite picnic foods from magazines and glue to paper to make a collage • Use a marker to circle favourite picnic foods in flyers <p>Link for Choosing Picnic Foods Video: https://drive.google.com/file/d/19X9bC9e8OozEBmtpPt8oqhMVzRMcbQ8s/view?usp=sharing</p>	<p>Picnic Colouring: </p> <p>These pages can be coloured online or printed off for colouring: http://www.supercoloring.com/coloring-pages/picnic-food http://www.supercoloring.com/coloring-pages/picnic-basket-food-0</p>	<p>Floor Time: </p> <p>Place a blanket on the floor and engage in some of your favourite floor activities: lego, colouring, puzzles, cars, reading a book, etc.</p>
<p>Feedback Questions:</p> 	<p>If you had a chance to try any of the activities, which activity was your child's favourite?</p> <p>On scale of 1 to 5, how engaged was your child in the task? (with 1 being no interest/refusal to use materials and 5 being extremely interested and full participation with appropriate levels of support)</p> <p>If you have the chance to take some pictures/videos of your child doing some of the activities or of their creations, we would love to see them! You can send them to Katy or Penny or your child's classroom teacher</p> <p>Are there any particular themes that your child would be interested in? Please let Katy or Penny know.</p>				

If you have any questions about these activities, or if you would like your child to have a one-on-one video chat with us, please contact Katy at kgurman@hwsdb.on.ca or Penny at pparry@hwsdb.on.ca

See below pages for picnic visuals, picnic word pages, written instructions for craft





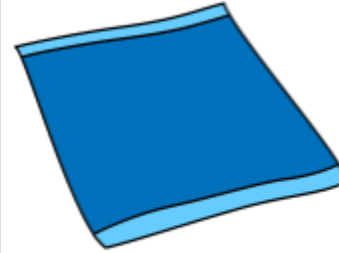
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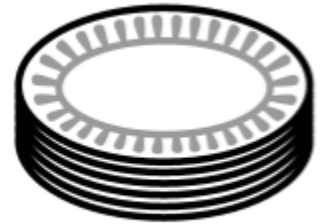
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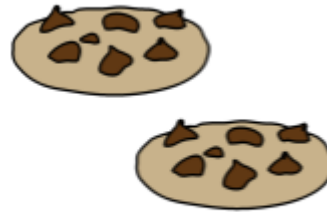
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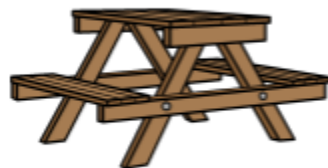
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picnic table



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Picnic Words Worksheet

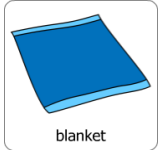


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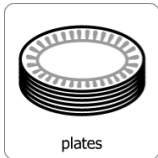


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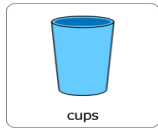
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cups



park



watermelon

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sandwiches

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ants

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Written instructions for Ant Crafts

Egg Carton Ant

Materials:

- egg carton
- construction paper
- paint
- paint brush
- glue
- scissors



Instructions:

1. Cut a strip of 3 cups from the cardboard egg carton.
2. Paint the cups and let dry. This strip of cups will be the ant's body.
3. Cut 6 strips of construction paper about a cm wide and 5 cm long for the legs. Fold each leg in half.
4. Cut 2 strips of construction paper about ½ cm wide and 3 cm long for the antennae.
5. Glue the legs onto the body and bend at the fold so the legs appear bent.
6. Glue the antennae to where the head of the ant will be.

Fingerprint Ants

Materials:

- paint
- paper plate
- marker

Instructions:

1. Place a dollop of paint onto a paper plate.
2. Press tip of finger into paint so that it covers fingerprint.
3. Press painted fingertip onto paper. Press again just below first print and again under second print.
4. These three fingerprints will make the three segments of the ant's body.
5. To make more ants press finger into paint again and repeat step #3.
6. Use a marker to add 6 legs to each ant and two antennae on the head.

