**Preschool Weekly Themes for Classrooms**

**2022-2023**

**August Bible Verse: Be kind to one another. Eph 4:32**

August 8-12

\*Back to school/ My new friends and teachers/ School Rules

(1. Obey your teachers; 2. Always be Kind etc.)

August 15-19

\*All about me/ Character Counts Pillars

August 22-26

\*Pond Life

August 29-September 2

\*Sense: Hearing, Seeing, Touching, Tasting, Smelling

(textures, sweet, salty, hot, cold, quiet, loud etc)

**September Bible Verse: God made me. Ps. 139:14**

September 5-9

\*Work and Occupations

(Labor Day: September 6)

(Patriot Day: September 11)

September 12-16

\*Feelings and Emotions

September 19-23

\*Sports, Exercise and Fitness

September 26-30

\*Autumn

**October Bible Verse: God gave us eyes to see. Prov. 20:12**

October 3-7

\*Firefighters and Fire Safety

October 10-14 (Fall Break for Knox Co.)

\*Fall Festival/ Harvest

(Columbus Day: October 10)

October 17-21

\*Healthy Foods and Nutrition

October 24-28

\*Halloween

(Halloween: October 31)

**November Bible Verse: Say thank you to God. Ps. 136:1**

October 31-November 4

\*Castles and Royal Families

November 7-11

\*On the Farm

(Veterans Day: November 11)

November 14-18

\* Pilgrims and Native Americans

November 21-25

\*Thanksgiving

(Thanksgiving Day: November 24)

(Black Friday: November 25)

November 28- December 2

\*Rocks and Minerals

**December Bible Verse: Jesus was born in Bethlehem. Matt. 2:1**

December 5-9

\* Holiday Observances and Traditions/Crafts and Stories

December 12-16

\*Snow and Winter Fun

December 19-23

\*Happy Birthday Jesus

(Christmas: December 25)

December 26-December 30

\*A NEW Year!

(New Year’s Day: January 1)/

(Kwanzaa: December 26-January 1)

**January Bible Verse: Love your neighbor as yourself. Lev. 19:18**

January 2-6

\*Space/Robots and Futuristic Ideas

January 9-13

\*Storms and Weather Safety

January 16-20

\*Classic Stories/Nursery Rhymes

(Martin Luther King Jr. Day: January 17)

January 23-27

\*Arctic Animals and Penguins

**February Bible Verse: Love one another. John 4:7**

January 30-February 3

\*Chinese New Year

(Chinese New Year: February 12)

(Groundhog Day: February 2)

February 6-10

\*Plants and Seeds

February 13-17

\*Valentines Day

February 20-24

\*Zoo Animals

**March Bible Verse: Jesus said, “Let the little children come to me. Matt. 19:14**

February 27-March 3

\*Dr. Seuss Week

(Dr. Seuss’s Birthday: March 2)

March 6-10

\*Spring Fun!

March 13-17

\*St. Patrick’s Day

(Knox Co. Spring Break)

(St. Patrick’s Day: March 17)

March 20-24 \*Nature/Exploration

**April Bible Verse: Be glad and sing songs to God. Ps. 9:2.**

March 27- 31

\*Fantasy Fun

(Dragons, unicorns, fairies, super heroes)

April 3-7

\*Easter

(Good Friday: April 7)

(Easter Sunday: April 9)

April 11-15

\*Water Safety/Healthy Habits

April 17-21

\*Earth week//Recycling

(Earth Day: April 21)

April 24-28

\*Amphibians and Reptiles

(Arbor Day: April 29)

**May Bible Verse: God made the flowers and the trees. Gen. 1:11**

May 1-5

\*Dinosaurs

May 8-12

\*Mothers Day

(Cinco De mayo May 5)

(Mothers Day May 14)

May 15-19

\*Shapes/opposites

May 22-26

\*Pirates

**June Bible Verse: Children, obey your parents. Col. 3:20**

May 29- June 2

\*Under the Sea

(Memorial Day: May 29)

June 5-9

\*Rainforest/Jungle

June 12-16

\* Father’s Day Activities

(Father’s Day: June 18)

June 19-23

\*The Great Outdoors

**July Bible Verse: Help one another. Ga. 5:13**

June 26- 30

\*America and Independence

(Independence Day: July 4)

July 3-7

\*Birds

July 10-14

\*Nocturnal Animals

July 17-21

\*Musical Instruments and different kinds of music

July 24-28

\* The Wild West

July 31-August 4

\*Rainbows and Clouds

**WECEC Closed Days for 2022-2023 School Year**

\*Monday, September 5 for Labor Day

\*Thursday and Friday, November 24 and 25 for Thanksgiving

\*Thursday and Friday, December 22 and 23 for Christmas

\*Friday, December 30 for New Years

\*Monday, January 16 for Martin Luther King Jr. Day

\*Friday, April 7 for Good Friday

\*Monday, May 29 for Memorial Day

\*Tuesday, July 4for Independence Day