

West Emory Monthly Areas of Study and Weekly Themes

*Please supplement each Area of Study with books, pictures, and activities. If you need help finding those things please see me. -Erin

August

- **Bible Verse: Be kind to one another Eph. 4:32**
- **Areas of Study**
 - Dinosaurs
 - Australia
- **Themes**
 - August 7-11: Back to School/teachers/rules
 - August 14-18: All About Me
 - August 21-25: My Family/Dinosaurs/ Australia, New Zealand
 - August 28-1: Amphibians and Reptiles/ Australia, New Zealand

September

- **Bible Verse: God made me Ps. 139:14**
- **Areas of Study**
 - Exercise
 - Brazil
- **Themes**
 - September 4-8: Yoga/ Brazil (clothes)
 - Community helpers
 - Labor Day: Monday September 4
 - September 11-15: Sports/ Brazil (food)
 - Letter A
 - Patriot Day: September 11
 - September 18-22: Balls/ Brazil (animals)rrfez
 - Letter B
 - September 25-29: Dancing/ Brazil (language)
 - Letter C

October

- **Bible Verse: God gave us eyes to see Prov. 20:12**
- **Areas of Study**
 - Farm
 - France
 - Fire Safety Month
- **Themes**
 - October 2-6: Autumn/ France (food)
 - Letter D
 - Harvest Fun
 - October 9-13: Farming jobs/machines/ France (holidays and traditions)

- Letter E
- October 16-20: Farm animals/ France (language)
 - Letter F
- October 23-27: Healthy Food and Nutrition/ France (music)
 - Letter G
- October 30-2: Halloween/Day of the Dead (Nov 1 and 2)
 - Letter H

November

- **Bible Verse: Say thank you to God Ps. 136:1**
- **Areas of Study**
 - Transportation
 - Mexico
- **Themes**
 - November 6-10: Types of Transportation/ Mexico (food)
 - Letter I
 - Veterans Day: November 11
 - Presidents
 - November 13-17: Road signs/ Mexico (clothes, celebrations)
 - Letter J
 - November 20-24: Thanksgiving/ Pilgrims and Native Americans
 - Thanksgiving: November Thanksgiving Day
 - November 27-1: Roads/Rocks/ Minerals: Mexico (language, people)
 - Letter K

December

- **Bible Verse: Jesus was born in Bethlehem Matt. 2:1**
- **Areas of Study**
 - Holiday Observances and Traditions
 - Israel
- **Themes**
 - December 4-8: Hanukkah/ Israel (celebrations)
 - Letter L
 - Hanukkah: December 7-15
 - December 11-15 Snow and Winter / Israel (clothes)
 - Letter M
 - December 18-22: Christmas/ Israel (food)
 - Letter N
 - Happy Birthday Jesus!
 - December 25-29: Kwanzaa/ Israel (language)
 - Christmas: December 25
 - Kwanzaa: December 26-January 1

January

- **Bible Verse: Love your neighbor as yourself Lev. 19:18**
- **Areas of Study**
 - Simple Machines
 - Italy
 - Personal Safety: Unit 1
- **Themes**
 - January 1-5: Happy New Year
 - Robots and Space
 - January 8-12: Tubes, tunnels/ Italy (language, flag)
 - Letter O
 - January 15-19: MLK/Wheel, axel/ Italy (food)
 - Letter P
 - January 22-26: Pulleys/ Italy (structures)
 - Letter Q
 - January 29-2: Wedges, screws/ Italy (holidays)
 - Letter R

February

- **Bible Verse: Love one another John 4:7**
- **Areas of Study**
 - Music Making
 - China/Chinese New Year
 - Black History Month (supplement with books/stories)
 - Personal Safety: Unit 2
- **Themes**
 - February 5-9: Woodwinds/ China (structures)
 - Letter S
 - Chinese New Year: February 10
 - February 12-16: String/ China (music)
 - Letter T
 - Valentines Day
 - February 19-23: Percussion/ China (flag. language)
 - Letter U
 - Great Wall of China
 - February 26-1: Wind / China (holidays, clothes)
 - Letter V

March

- **Bible Verse: Jesus said, "Let the little children come to me" Matt. 19:14**
- **Areas of Study**
 - Trees
 - Turkey
 - Personal Safety: Unit 3

- **Themes**

- March 4-8: Trees (trees give us oxygen)/ Turkey (flag)
 - Letter W
 - Dr. Seuss Week
- March 11-15: Ramadan/ Trees (how they grow)/ Turkey (Istanbul)
 - Letter X
 - St. Patrick's Day: March 17
- March 18-22: Trees (What they give us)/ Turkey (food)
 - Letter Y
- March 25-29: Easter
 - Letter Z
 - Good Friday: March 29
 - Easter: March 31

April

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

- **Areas of Study**

- Fairytale
- Japan
- Personal Safety: Unit 4

- **Themes**

- April 1-5: Fairytale (Princesses/Princes)/ Japan (language)
 - Castles and Royal Families
- April 8-12: Fairytale (Morals/Lessons)/ Japan (food)/ St. Patty's day
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- April 15-19: Fairytale (Adventures)/ Japan (holidays)
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- April 22-26: Fairytale (mermaids)/ Japan (clothes)
 - Earth Day: April 22

May

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

- **Areas of Study**

- Gardening
- Nigeria
- Personal Safety: Unit 5

- **Themes**

- April 29- May 3: Gardening (flowers)/ Nigeria (food)
 - Zoo Animals
- May 6-10: Gardening (vegetables)/ Nigeria (culture)
 - Mother's Day crafts
- May 13-17: Gardening (tools)/ Nigeria (animals)
 - Jungle/Rainforests
- May 20-24: Gardening / Nigeria (terrain)
 - Plants and Seeds

- May 27-31: Memorial Day (supplement stories and crafts)

June

- **Bible Verse: Children, obey your parents. Col. 3:20**
- **Areas of Study**
 - Rainbows and light
 - Sweden
 - Personal Safety: Unit 6
- **Themes**
 - June 3-7: Rainbows and light (colors of the rainbow)/ Sweden (clothes)
 - Arctic Animals and Penguins
 - June 10-14: Rainbows and light (light reflection)
 - Storms and weather safety
 - Fathers Day crafts
 - June 17-24: Rainbows and light (rain makes rainbows)/ Sweden (structures)
 - Juneteenth: June 19
 - June 24-28: Rainbows and light (prisms)/ Sweden (Midsummer)

July

- **Bible Verse: The Lord is good to all. Ps. 145:9**
- **Areas of Study**
 - Water
 - Egypt
- **Themes**
 - July 1-5: Water (bodies of water)/ Egypt (structures)/ Independence Day
 - July 8-12: Water (Oceans)/ Egypt (icons)
 - Pirates
 - July 15-19: Water (Ocean animals)/ Egypt (ancient egyptian clothes)
 - Under the Sea
 - July 22-26: Water (water mammals)/ Egypt (ancient egyptian royalty)

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Monday, September 4th	Labor Day
Thursday and Friday, November 23 and 24th	Thanksgiving
Monday and Tuesday, December 25 and 26	Christmas
Monday, January 1	New Years Day
Monday, January 15	MLK Jr. Day
Friday, March 29	Good Friday
Monday, May 27	Memorial Day
Wednesday, June 19	Juneteenth
Thursday, July 4	Independence Day