

# SEPTEMBER SKILLS SHEET



THIS MONTH IN PRESCHOOL, WE WILL FOCUS ON:

## THEMES, HOLIDAYS & EVENTS (CULTURE, HISTORY & SOCIAL SCIENCES)

THEMES: Back to School, Autumn, All About Me  
HOLIDAYS: Labor Day  
EVENTS: Back to School Night

## MATH & COGNITION

UNIT: COLOR CONCEPTS  
SHAPE: Line  
COLOR: Introduction to Colors  
SKILL(S): Compare, Sort and Match Colors



## LANGUAGE & LITERACY

LETTERS OF THE MONTH: Aa & Bb  
INTEREST IN LITERACY: Listen to stories, recall details, participate in songs  
COMPREHENSION: Answer questions, make comments, identify characters (“who”); PK- Recognize beginning, middle & end of a story  
PRINT: Handle books, identify parts of a book; PK- locates and matches pictures  
PHONICS: Identify same and different sounds, copies sounds; PK-letter sounds *a* & *b*  
LETTERS & WORDS: Awareness of letters in environment; PK- Recognize Aa & Bb  
WRITING: Make marks to represent *people*; PK- Underline with a crayon, draw a line, write letters in standard format: Aa & Bb



## SPIRITUAL DEVELOPMENT

FRUIT of the SPIRIT: Kindness  
BIBLICAL UNDERSTANDING (BIG IDEA):  
God is our Father  
† God Made Everything  
† God Made Us in His Image  
† God is Always Present



## SCIENCE & INVESTIGATION

INVESTIGATION: Engage in explorations  
DOCUMENTATION & OBSERVATION: Similarities & differences of objects & events  
NATURAL WORLD: Living Vs. Non-Living  
SEASON: Characteristics of Autumn  
ECOLOGY: Ongoing care of pets and plants; participation in recycling and conservation



## PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT

Students will begin to develop the following skills (and more!) through routines, interactions and activities:

- Engagement and persistence
- Focus and attention
- Independence
- Shared use of space and materials
- Conflict negotiation
- Personal conduct
- Social understanding and citizenship
- Identity of self and relationships with others



## PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT

HEALTH: Healthy food focus: water and hydration; proper bathroom habits  
GROSS MOTOR: Climb, throw a ball forward  
FINE MOTOR: Build & stack blocks, complete a puzzle, draw a line & a dot