



## Pre-School Monthly Guidelines

July

Celebrate America

Ocean/Beaches

**Colors:** Mixing Colors

**Numbers:** Review 1-5

**Shape:** Review Shapes

### Language and Literacy

Fishing for Alphabets

Ocean Creature Memory Game

Stories about Independence Day/Ocean/Beaches

Digging for Letters in the Sand

Describe the Ocean Animal

My Day at the Beach Stories

Mr. Crab Says

Down By the Bay (Rhyming)

### Math and Manipulatives

Counting Seashells

Seashell Patterns and Sizes

Graphing Ocean Animals

Sailing Number Boats

Number Matching Fish Puzzles

How Many Legs Does an Octopus Have?

### Science and Discovery

Fireworks in a Jar

What Animals Live in the Ocean?

Ocean Bottles

Salt Water Experiment

Mixing Sand and Water

Sandy Beach Squish Bag

Sink and Float

### STEAM Challenge

Sand Castles

### Media and Technology

National Geographic Kids

Using Magnifying Glass to Observe Seashells

Listen To Ocean Waves

### Blocks and Construction

Build a ship

### Dramatic Play

Beach Scene

### Physical Health and Safety

Safety Around Water

Firework Safety

### Fine Arts

Fourth of July Art

Seashell Prints

Patriotic/Island Music

Beach Ball Craft

Sand Art

Fancy Fish

### Social/Emotional

The Adventures of Gary and Harry

Problem Solving

Can I Have a Turn Please?

### Fit Kids

Marching Band: Wear Red, White and Blue

Beach Ball Parachute Play

Water Play

Fish Bowl Rice Cakes

Ocean Jello

### Nature's Classroom/Outdoor Investigations

Making Sand Castles

Pirate Treasure Hunt

Exploding Pop

### Family Partnerships/Special Events

Red, White & Boom: July 3rd

Center Closed: Wednesday July 4th

Field Trip: July 11th

Beach Party

### Creative Curriculum Learning Games:

Matching Among Similar Pictures #130

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