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| **Circle Time** | **Monday** | **Tuesday** | **Wednesday** | **Thursday** | **Friday** |
| **Social, Emotional, Literacy & Language** | **Calendar & Jobs**  **Story: How Much is a Million?**  **How do we use counting/numbers every day?** | **Calendar & Jobs**  **Story: Very Hungry Caterpillar**  **(storyboard)**  **How many did he eat? We will count.** | **Calendar & Jobs**  **Story: Ten Apples Up on Top! & Apple Fractions**  **How high can we count?** | **Calendar & Jobs**  **Story: Ten Little Fish**  **What’s missing? We will make our own patterns.**  **Goal: To demonstrate a knowledge of patterns** | **Calendar & Jobs**  **Story: Pete the Cat and His 4 Groovy Buttons**  **What do the symbols +/- mean?** |
| **Science, Sensory & Math Concepts** | **What is a pattern? We will make as many as we can.**  **Goal: To demonstrate a knowledge of patterns** | **Money! We will buy items and give change using dollars and quarters.**  **Goal: To count and match number quantities.** | **Light table and transparent blocks and pattern pieces. What can you make?**  **Goal: Sensory Experience** | **We will learn to count to ten in sign language!**  **Goal: To understand there are alternative ways to communicate with others** | **Sensory Table: Counting stones!**  **Goal: Sensory Experience & counting and matching number quantities.** |
| **Arts , Crafts & Creative Expression** | **Pattern Pigs! How many are there? Can we make a pattern?**  **We will paint with the pattern/counting pigs!**  **Goal: Creative expression** | **Easel Painting!**  **Goal: Creative expression**  **Make a Pattern!**  **(small group)**  **Goal: To demonstrate a knowledge of patterns** | **Easel Painting!**  **Goal: Creative expression**  **We will paint with the pattern/counting pigs!** | **We will make a paper chain as a class. Can we add patters? How long will it be? Goal: Following Directions** | **Easel Painting!**  **Goal: Creative expression**  **Edible Pattern necklaces!** |
| **Music , Games & Dramatic Play** | **Calendar Song**  **Goal: Learning the days of the week**  **5 Little Ducks!**  **(finger play)**  **Goal: Exploring musical concepts & expression** | **5 (or 20) Little Monkeys Jumping on the bed! We will act this out. Goal: Counting and matching number quantities + Gross motor activity** | **Calendar Song**  **Goal: Learning the days of the week**  **5 Little Ducks!**  **(finger play) Goal: Exploring musical concepts & expression** | **Don’t Tease the alligator (finger play)**  **Goal: Following Directions counting and matching number quantities.** | **Calendar Song**  **Goal: Learning the days of the week**  **Don’t Tease the alligator (finger play)**  **Goal: Exploring musical concepts & expression** |
| **Extra Special** | **Weekly Goal: To understand simple addition, subtraction & fractions. To recognize repetitive patterns & reproduce patterns upon comparison. To recognize patterns in nature.** | **We will make a giant number/patterned hopscotch outside! (weather permitting)**  **Goal: To demonstrate a knowledge of patterns** | **How much do we weigh? We will weigh ourselves in class!**  **Goal : Scientific Inquiry** | **We have started our count to the 100th day of school. We will have a party to celebrate the special day.** | **Sharing Circle! Wed. Thurs. & Fri.**  **(no weapons)**  **Goal: To become comfortable speaking in front of a group.** |

**Sunshiners with Ms. Katy & Ms. Aleisa**

**ALL ABOUT NUMBERS, PATTERNS & FRACTIONS! September 18 - 22, 2023**