

# Let's Begin with the Letter People®

## Abrams Learning Trends

correlated to

## New York City

## Prekindergarten Performance Standards

Please Note: In order to create a readable, manageable correlation, page number citations for each Indicator have been limited to 4-10 per Teacher Resource Book: Ready, Set, Go! (RSG); At Home & At School (H&S); At the Park & At the Doctor's Office (P&D); In the Community and At the Zoo (C&Z); and In the Garden & At the Museum (G&M); Big Book Math (BBM); Big Book Science (BBS). For most indicators, many more examples are present throughout the program

New York City Prekindergarten Performance Standards	Let's Begin with the Letter People
Performance Standards By the end of the year, Prekindergarten children will:	
<b><u>SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL DEVELOPMENT</u></b>	
• demonstrate trust that significant others will return.	N/A
• demonstrate increasing self-awareness.	<p><b>Ready, Set, Go! (RSG):</b> p. 4, Social/Emotional Development, pgs. 40-55, Interest Centers;</p> <p><b>In the Community &amp; At the Zoo (C&amp;Z):</b> p. 12, Share a Me Bag, p. 35, Show Your Smile, p. 42, Share a Me Bag, p. 68, Share a Me Bag;</p> <p><b>At the Park &amp; At the Doctor's Office (P&amp;D):</b> p. 10, We are Kind Class Book, p. 16, Share a Me Bag, p. 44, Share a Me Bag, p. 63, I'm Glad I'm Me, p. 65, Special Sentences, p. 179, Good Night Letter People;</p> <p><b>At Home &amp; At School (H&amp;S):</b> p. 7, Start a Class Book, p. 10, Share a Me Bag, p. 43, Share a Me Bag, p. 66, Share a Me Bag, p. 68, Share a Me Bag;</p> <p><b>In the Garden &amp; AT the Museum (G&amp;M):</b> p. 12, Share a Me Bag, p. 70, Share a Me Bag, p. 100, Share a Me Bag</p>

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• demonstrate confidence and positive self-image.</li> </ul>	<p><b>C&amp;Z:</b> p. 4, Social/Emotional Development, pgs. 40-55, Interest Centers;  <b>H&amp;S:</b> p. 63, We Can Do It! Class Book, p. 68, I Can Do It!, p. 94, Share a Me Bag, p. 192, Mr. B Wants to Know More;  <b>P&amp;D:</b> p. 65, We are Special Class Book, p. 71, Appreciate Differences, p. 183, How Do You Dress for Bed?;  <b>C&amp;Z:</b> p. 39, Calling 911, p. 49, Flossing Tall Teeth, p. 77, Pets Can Not. .We Can!, p. 106, My Own Rainbow Ribbon;  <b>G&amp;M:</b> p. 7, Add to the Word Wall, p. 35, An Upside-Down Book, p. 63, Water Sounds, p. 95, Read a Dinosaur Rebus Book, p. 159, Picture This</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• demonstrate initiative, cooperation, curiosity, and creativity in chosen learning activities.</li> </ul>	<p><b>RSG:</b> p. 4, Social/Emotional Development, pgs. 40-55, Interest Centers;  <b>H&amp;S:</b> p. 39, Button, Zip and Tie, p. 91, Bernard's Bath, p. 125, Senses Concentration, p. 174, Share a Story;  <b>P&amp;D:</b> p. 46, How We Help Our Families, p. 124, Cooking with Mr. C, p. 127, Salad Bar, p. 165, Ms. E's Extreme Clean-Up Day;  <b>C&amp;Z:</b> p. 24, Problems and Solutions, p. 53, Friends, p. 107, A Petting Zoo Wall Story, p. 128, Animal Tea Party;  <b>G&amp;M:</b> p. 134, Listening Politely, p. 126, Make Some Noise for the Word Wall Reader</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• engage in social relationships and develop connections and attachments to peers, classroom adults and to the larger community.</li> </ul>	<p><b>RSG:</b> p. 4, Social/Emotional Development, pgs. 40-55, Interest Centers;  <b>H&amp;S:</b> p. 174, Rhyme Time, p. 175, Sharing Sentences, p. 175, Taking Turns, p. 186, Conflict Resolution;  <b>P&amp;D:</b> p. 101, We're Opposites, p. 124, Cooking with Mr. C, p. 127, Salad Bar, p. 165, Ms. E's Extreme Clean-Up Day;  <b>C&amp;Z:</b> p. 24, Problems and Solutions, p. 53, Friends, p. 107, A Petting Zoo Wall Story, p. 128, Animal Tea Party;  <b>G&amp;M:</b> p. 134, Listening Politely, p. 126, Make Some Noise for the Word Wall Reader</p>

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• demonstrates spatial awareness in both fine and gross motor activities</li> </ul>	<p><b>H&amp;S:</b> p. 7, The Best Me, p. 48, Dress-Up Relay, p. 62, Play Simon Says, p. 93, Bernard's House, p. 99, Do the Hop, p. 106, Musical Chairs, p. 135, The Feely Box;</p> <p><b>P&amp;D:</b> p. 7, Build a Bridge, p. 63, Funny Feet Hop, p. 91, Tall and Short Towers, p. 124, I Can Grow;</p> <p><b>C&amp;Z:</b> p. 9, My Own Shape Home, p. 35, Toothpick T/t's, p. 43, Make Safety Signs, p. 65, Silly Puppy, p. 91, Farm Animal Homes, p. 123, Animals Share the Watering Hole;</p> <p><b>G&amp;M:</b> p. 7, A Flower Garden, p. 17, Flower Dancing, p. 37, Sand Partners, p. 41, Me and my Shadow, p. 52, Where Is Ms. L?</p>
<p><b><u>PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT</u></b></p>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• demonstrate competence in coordinated movement using large muscles (Gross Motor).</li> </ul>	<p><b>RSG:</b> p. 18, Health and Physical Development;</p> <p><b>H&amp;S:</b> p. 7, The Best Me, p. 48, Dress-Up Relay, p. 62, Play Simon Says, p. 93, Outdoors, p. 99, DO the Hop;</p> <p><b>P&amp;D:</b> p. 11, Kaboom Kicking Contest, p. 37, Dance with Mr. D, p. 41, Mr. D's Dilly-Dally Directions, p. 63, Funny Feet Hop, p. 97, Opposites Obstacle Course, p. 156, Outdoors;</p> <p><b>C&amp;Z:</b> p. 21, Outdoors, p. 43, Outdoors, p. 71, Outdoors, p. 105, Outdoors, p. 131, Outdoors, p. 160, Outdoors;</p> <p><b>G&amp;M:</b> p. 39, Outdoors, p. 47, Outdoors, p. 99, Outdoors, p. 123, Outdoors, p. 97, Dinosaur Dance Steps</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• demonstrate competence in coordinated movement using small muscles and eye/hand coordination (Fine Motor).</li> </ul>	<p><b>RSG:</b> p. 18, Health and Physical Development, p. 19, Art, p. 73, Family Pictures;</p> <p><b>H&amp;S:</b> p. 7, Start a Class Book, p. 23, Make Noisemakers, p. 45, Our Wonderful Words Book, p. 99, Happy Hair Hats;</p> <p><b>P&amp;D:</b> p. 9, Family Kindness, p. 17, Kindness Necklaces, p. 23, Make a Park Mural, p. 37, A New Hat for Mr. D, p. 65, Favorite Funny Feet, p. 95, O/o Print Poster, p. 123, Colossal Caps;</p> <p><b>C&amp;Z:</b> p. 9, My Own Shape Home, p. 42, Me-On the Go!, p. 51, Safety Posters, p. 62, Pet Masks, p. 91, Farm Animal Homes, p. 127, Fold-Over Zoo Animals;</p> <p><b>G&amp;M:</b> p. 7, A Flower Garden, p. 39, Longest Laugh Mural, p. 77, Water Paintings, p. 97, Dinosaur Rubbings, p. 99, Dinosaur Headbands, p. 119, Mice Squeak Wall Story, p. p. 149, Make a Spaceship</p>

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• demonstrate spatial awareness in both fine and gross motor activities (Spatial Orientation).</li> </ul>	<p><b>H&amp;S:</b> p. 7, The Best Me, p. 48, Dress-Up Relay, p. 62, Play Simon Says, p. 93, Bernard's House, p. 99, Do the Hop, p. 106, Musical Chairs, p. 135, The Feely Box;</p> <p><b>P&amp;D:</b> p. 7, Build a Bridge, p. 63, Funny Feet Hop, p. 91, Tall and Short Towers, p. 124, I Can Grow;</p> <p><b>C&amp;Z:</b> p. 9, My Own Shape Home, p. 35, Toothpick T/t's, p. 43, Make Safety Signs, p. 65, Silly Puppy, p. 91, Farm Animal Homes, p. 123, Animals Share the Watering Hole;</p> <p><b>G&amp;M:</b> p. 7, A Flower Garden, p. 17, Flower Dancing, p. 37, Sand Partners, p. 41, Me and my Shadow, p. 52, Where Is Ms. L?</p>
<p><b><u>CREATIVE EXPRESSION/AESTHETIC DEVELOPMENT</u></b></p>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• participate with increasing interest and enjoyment in a variety of music activities, including listening, singing, finger plays, and games.</li> </ul>	<p><b>RSG:</b> p. 19, Music, p. 65, The Alphabet Song, p. 66, I'm a Big Preschooler, p. 67, Stop the Music, p. 68, The Counting Song;</p> <p><b>H&amp;S:</b> p. 7, The Best Me, p. 36, Ms. W's Song, p. 64, Ms. P's Song, p. 91, Sing a Healthful Song, p. 124, Everyday Words Song;</p> <p><b>C&amp;Z:</b> p. 8, Mr. G's Song, p. 63, Ring Around a Rosie, p. 106, This Is The Way We Work on the Farm, p. 127, Mr. Z's Word Play;</p> <p><b>P&amp;D:</b> p. 64, Ms. F's Song; p. 93, Open, Shut Them, p. 124, I Can Grow, p. 152, Ms. E's Exercise Poem;</p> <p><b>G&amp;M:</b> p. 9, This Is the Way, p. 41, Ms. L's Song, p. 70, Five Little Ducks, p. 97, Dinosaur Dance Steps</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• experiment with a variety of musical instruments.</li> </ul>	<p><b>H&amp;S:</b> p. 23, Make Noisemakers, p. 23, Make Noise with Mr. N, p. 51, Make Rain, p. 131, Block Sounds;</p> <p><b>C&amp;Z:</b> p. 11, Rain-Forest Sounds, p. 96, Animal Sound-Off;</p> <p><b>P&amp;D:</b> p. 78, Jingle Time, p. 104, Musical Patterns;</p> <p><b>G&amp;M:</b> p. 63, Water Sounds, p. 120, All That Jazz, p. 121, Make Instruments, p. 124, Rhythm Band</p>

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>engage in a variety of personal creative movement and functional/physical movement activities individually and in a group.</li> </ul>	<p><b>RSG:</b> p. 18, Health and Physical Development, p. 66, I'm a Big Preschooler, p. 67, Stop the Music;</p> <p><b>C&amp;Z:</b> p. 8, Mr. G's Song, p. 63, Ring Around a Rosie, p. 106, This Is The Way We Work on the Farm, p. 127, Mr. Z's Word Play;</p> <p><b>P&amp;D:</b> p. 64, Ms. F's Song; p. 93, Open, Shut Them, p. 124, I Can Grow, p. 152, Ms. E's Exercise Poem;</p> <p><b>H&amp;S:</b> p. 7, The Best Me, p. 36, Ms. W's Song, p. 64, Ms. P's Song, p. 91, Sing a Healthful Song, p. 124, Everyday Words Song;</p> <p><b>G&amp;M:</b> p. 9, This Is the Way, p. 41, Ms. L's Song, p. 70, Five Little Ducks, p. 97, Dinosaur Dance Steps</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>participate in a variety of dramatic play activities that become more extended and complex.</li> </ul>	<p><b>RSG:</b> p. 43, Housekeeping Center, pgs. 50-51, Drama Center;</p> <p><b>C&amp;Z:</b> p. 7, Make a Different Kind of House, p. 36, More Bike Safety, p. 80, Make Super Socks, p. 101, Mr. R Raises Roses;</p> <p><b>P&amp;D:</b> p. 7, Build a Bridge, p. 35, Act Like Helpers, p. 45, Family Dress-Up, p. 63, Dress Differently;</p> <p><b>H&amp;S:</b> p. 68, I Can Do It!, p. 101, After My Bath, p. 125, A Meal for Mr. M's Munching Mouth, p. 149, Act Happy;</p> <p><b>G&amp;M:</b> p. 23, Respect Nature, p. 79, Revisit and Role-Play a Rebus, p. 99, Be a Dinosaur, p. 137, Act It Out</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>show growing creativity and imagination in using materials and in dramatic play situations.</li> </ul>	<p><b>RSG:</b> p. 43, Housekeeping Center, pgs. 50-51, Drama Center;</p> <p><b>C&amp;Z:</b> p. 7, Make a Different Kind of House, p. 35, Be a Dentist, p. 63, Pet Helpers, p. 73, Pet Sitting, p. 93, Mr. R's Petting Zoo, p. 119, Be the Zookeeper, p. 135, Sharing Toys, p. 155, Ladybug, Ladybug, Fly Away Home;</p> <p><b>P&amp;D:</b> p. 7, Build a Bridge, p. 15, A Day at the Park, p. 35, Act Like Helpers, p. 63, Dress Differently, p. 106, Mr. O Crosses Streets Safely, p. 123, Doctor's Office, p. 149, Ms. E Visits the Doctor, p. 165, Ms. E's Extreme Clean-Up Day, p. 177, Act Out a Nursery Rhyme;</p> <p><b>H&amp;S:</b> p. 95, Our Happy Hair Salon, p. 127, Learn an Action Poem, p. 149, Act Happy, p. 163, Act Out Ms. A's Story Card, p. 177, Act It Out;</p> <p><b>G&amp;M:</b> p. 11, Role-play a Rebus Story, p. 19, Flower Fun, p. 35, Turn on the Lights!, p. 53, Act Out a Healthy Schedule, p. 63, Watering the Garden, p. 99, Be a Dinosaur, p. 129, Sounds Around the House, p. 137, Act It Out, p. 155, Build Spaceships</p>

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• gain ability in using different art media and materials in a variety of ways for creative expression and representation.</li> </ul>	<p><b>RSG:</b> p. 19, Art, p. 47, Paint and Project Corner, p. 95, What Can You Draw?;</p> <p><b>C&amp;Z:</b> p. 35, Show Your Smile, p. 39, Tire Tracks Painting, p. 62, Pet Masks, p. 91, Visit a Petting Zoo, p. 103, Paint a Rainbow, p. 151, Painted Butterflies, p. 158, Class Insect Book;</p> <p><b>P&amp;D:</b> p. 10, We Are Kind Class Book, p. 23, Make a Park Mural, p. 43, Type Mr. D's Letter, p. 69, Feet Painting, p. 78, Magnet Paintings, p. 91, Up/Down Picture, p. 109, Paint a Pattern, p. 147, Write Directions;</p> <p><b>H&amp;S:</b> p. 7, Name Headbands, Start a Class Book, p. 39, Make a Class Weather Book, p. 45, Wear Wonderful Words, p. 63, We Can Do It! Class Book, p. 81, Make a Number Book, p. 93, Bernard's House, p.99, Make Healthful Mobiles, p. 155, Action Math!;</p> <p><b>G&amp;M:</b> p. 21, Our Favorite Flowers Class Book, p. 25, Leaf Rubbings, p. 69, My Rainy-Day Book, p. 73, Invisible Painting, p. 97, Dinosaur Rubbings, p. 103, The Backwards Book, p. 119, Complete a Wall Story, Mice Squeak Wall Story</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• develop growing abilities to plan, work independently and demonstrate care and persistence in a variety of art experiences/activities.</li> </ul>	<p><b>RSG:</b> p. 19, Art, p. 47, Paint and Project Corner, p. 73, Family Pictures, p. 75, Alphabet House Art;</p> <p><b>C&amp;Z:</b> p. 9, My Own Shape Home, p. 51, Safety Posters, p. 65, Shape Pets, p. 127, Fold-Over Zoo Animals;</p> <p><b>P&amp;D:</b> p. 17, Kindness Necklaces, p. 37, A New Hat for Mr. D, p. 91, Up/Down Picture, p. 123, Colossal Caps;</p> <p><b>H&amp;S:</b> p. 23, Make Noisemakers, p. 67, Make Body Prints, p. 99, Happy Hair Hats, p. 159, A Feelings Caterpillar;</p> <p><b>G&amp;M:</b> p. 7, A Flower Garden, p. 17, Shape Flowers, p. 47, Ms. L Stick Puppet, p. 69, All-a-Glitter, p. 77, Water Paintings, p. 97, Dinosaur Rubbings, p.99, Dinosaur Headbands</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• progress in ability to create drawings, paintings, models, and other art creations that are more detailed, personal and realistic</li> </ul>	<p><b>RSG:</b> p. 19, Art, p. 47, Paint and Project Corner, p. 95, What Can You Draw?;</p> <p><b>C&amp;Z:</b> p. 39, Tire Tracks Painting, p. 62, Pet Masks, p. 103, Paint a Rainbow, p. 151, Painted Butterflies;</p> <p><b>P&amp;D:</b> p. 23, Make a Park Mural, p. 69, Feet Painting, p. 78, Magnet Paintings, p. 109, Paint a Pattern;</p> <p><b>H&amp;S:</b> p. 7, Name Headbands, p. 39, Make a Class Weather Book, p. 81, Make a Number Book, p.99, Make Healthful Mobiles;</p> <p><b>G&amp;M:</b> p. 25, Leaf Rubbings, p. 73, Invisible Painting, p. 97, Dinosaur Rubbings, p. 119, Complete a Wall Story</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• begin to understand and share opinions about artistic products and experiences</li> </ul>	<p><b>RSG:</b> p. 75, Alphabet House Art</p>

**COGNITIVE DEVELOPMENT**

<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• begin to recognize print-sound connections</li></ul>	<p><b>RSG:</b> p. 5, Phonological Awareness, p. 70, What's That Sound?, p. 73, What Do You Hear?, p. 74, First Sound, Last Sound, p. 94, Sentence Segmenting,</p> <p><b>C&amp;Z:</b> p. 8, Meet and Greet Mr. G, p. 16, This is My House, p. 35, Ms. T's Word Play, p. 73, Ms. S's Letter Play, p. 92, Meet and Greet Mr. R, p. 108, Color Rhyme, p. 120, Meet and Greet Mr. Z, p. 155, A Ladybug Poem;</p> <p><b>P&amp;D:</b> p. 8, Meet and Greet Ms. K, p. 36, Meet and Greet Mr. D, p. 67, Funny Feet at the Park, p. 71, The Word Parts Game;</p> <p><b>G&amp;M:</b> p. 8, Meet and Greet Ms. V, p. 17, Five Fine Flowers, p. 23, What a Seed Needs, p. 46, Ms. L's Me Bag, p. 64, Meet and Greet Ms. U, p. 70 Five Little Ducks, p. 90, Meet and Greet Mr. Q, p. 96, How Many Pancakes?, p. 98, Read Mr. Q's Big Book</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• demonstrate the behaviors of a beginning writer</li></ul>	<p><b>RSG:</b> pgs. 14-15, Writing, p. 42, ABC/Writing Center, p. 73, Family Pictures;</p> <p><b>C&amp;Z:</b> p. 37, Ms. T's Trivia, p. 69, Sensational Sand S/s's, p. 91, Visit a Petting Zoo, p. 119, A Trip to the Zoo, p. 149, Our Favorite Insects;</p> <p><b>H&amp;S:</b> p. 7, Name Headbands, Start a Class Book, p. 66, Finish a Class Book, p. 93, Bernard's House, p. 1752, Sharing Sentences;</p> <p><b>G&amp;M:</b> p. 35, An Upside-Down Book, p. 41, Revisit a Rebus, p. 74, Class Measurement Book, p. 98, Class Book of Dinosaurs, p. 119, Mice Squeak Wall Story, p. 129, Class Book of Sounds</p>

**LANGUAGE AND LITERACY DEVELOPMENT**

• communicate experiences, ideas, needs, choices and feelings by speaking.

**RSG:** p. 4, Language and Vocabulary, p. 67, I Spy a Center, p. 68, Let's Begin, p. 79, Find a Family Member, p. 100, Where Is It?, p. 105, Nursery Rhymes, p. 107, Invite the Letter People to Lunch;

**C&Z:** p. 6, Share a Story, p. 7, Make a Different Kind of House, p. 35, Be a Dentist, p. 63, Pet Helpers, p. 93, Mr. R's Petting Zoo, p. 95, Read a Rebus Book, p. 119, Be the Zookeeper, p. 146, Share a Story, p. 155, Ladybug, Ladybug, Fly Away Home;

**P&D:** p. 7, Build a Bridge, p. 18, What are Living Things?, p. 35, Act Like Helpers, p. 62, Share a Story, p. 63, Dress Differently, p. 100, Mr. O's Opposites Game, p. 106, Mr. O Crosses Streets Safely, p. 123, Doctor's Office, p. 134, Learn About Winter, p. 149, Ms. E Visits the Doctor, p. 177, Act Out a Nursery Rhyme;

**H&S:** p. 12, Mr. N Has News, p. 34, Share a Story, p. 62, Share a Story, p. 67, Alike and Different, p. 95, Our Happy Hair Salon, p. 107, Doctors and Nurses Keep Us Healthy, p. 149, Act Happy;

**G&M:** p. 10, Read about Seeds, p. 11, Role-play a Rebus Story, p. 35, Turn on the Lights!, p. 63, Watering the Garden, p. 72, We are Water Experts!, p. 99, Be a Dinosaur, p. 129, Sounds Around the House, p. 148, Share a Story, p. 155, Build Spaceships



<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• listen with understanding to conversations, directions, rhymes, songs and stories.</li> </ul>	<p><b>RSG:</b> p. 4, Language and Vocabulary, p. 64, Share a Story, <i>Alphabet House</i>, p. 65, The Alphabet Song, p. 66, I'm a Big Preschooler, p. 103, Compare Alphabet Books;</p> <p><b>C&amp;Z:</b> p. 6, Share a Story, <i>Castles, Caves and Honeycombs</i>, p. 38, Share a Story, <i>D.W. Rides Again</i>, p. 62, Share a Story, <i>My Dog, Rosie</i>, p. 66, Read a Math Big Book, p. 90, Share a Story, <i>Petting Zoo</i>, p. 118, Share a Story, <i>Goodnight Gorilla</i>, p. 146, Share a Story, <i>In the Tall, Tall Grass</i>, p. 150, From Caterpillar to Butterfly;</p> <p><b>P&amp;D:</b> p. 6, Share a Story, <i>Because of You</i>, p. 34, Share a Story, <i>Families</i>, p. 62, Share a Story, <i>All Kinds of Children</i>, p. 90, Share a Story, <i>Swing High, Swing Low</i>, p. 118, Let's Eat Healthful Food, p. 122, Share a Story, <i>Pretend Soup and Other Real Recipes</i>, p. 146, Share a Story, <i>Clap Your Hands</i>, p. 150, Let's Measure!, p. 174, Share a Story, <i>Good Night!</i>;</p> <p><b>H&amp;S:</b> p. 6, Share a Story, <i>From Anne to Zach</i>, p. 34, Share a Story, <i>Bear Gets Dressed</i>, p. 62, Share a Story, <i>From Head to Toe</i>, p. 90, Share a Story, <i>Bernard's Bath</i>, p. 150, Share a Story, <i>Lots of Feelings</i>, p. 174, Share a Story, <i>The Rainbow Fish</i>;</p> <p><b>G&amp;M:</b> p. 6, Share a Story, <i>Flower Garden</i>, p. 34, Share a Story, <i>What the Sun Sees/What the Moon Sees</i>, p. 62, Share a Story, <i>Listen to the Rain</i>, p. 92, Share a Story, <i>My Big Dinosaur Book</i>, p. 118, Share a Story, <i>Mice Squeak, We Speak</i>, p. 148, Share a Story, <i>Planets</i></p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Talk for a variety of purposes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• play monologues</li> <li>• play dialogues</li> <li>• imaginative discourse</li> <li>• information and understanding</li> <li>• social interaction</li> <li>• critical analysis</li> <li>• literary response and expression.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<p><b>RSG:</b> p. 4, Language and Vocabulary, p. 68, Let's Begin, p. 75, Alphabet House Family, p. 79, Ask a Letter Person, p. 107, Invite the Letter People to Lunch;</p> <p><b>C&amp;Z:</b> p. 6, Share a Story, p. 7, Make a Different Kind of House, p. 35, Be a Dentist, p. 63, Pet Helpers, p. 93, Mr. R's Petting Zoo, p. 95, Read a Rebus Book, p. 100, Discover What Happens, p. 119, Be the Zookeeper, p. 146, Share a Story, p. 155, Ladybug, Ladybug, Fly Away Home;</p> <p><b>P&amp;D:</b> p. 7, Build a Bridge, p. 18, What are Living Things?, p. 35, Act Like Helpers, p. 62, Share a Story, p. 63, Dress Differently, p. 100, Mr. O's Opposites Game, p. 106, Mr. O Crosses Streets Safely, p. 123, Doctor's Office, p. 134, Learn about Winter, p. 149, Ms. E Visits the Doctor, p. 177, Act Out a Nursery Rhyme;</p> <p><b>H&amp;S:</b> p. 34, Share a Story, p. 62, Share a Story, p. 95, Our Happy Hair Salon, p. 107, Doctors and Nurses Keep Us Healthy, p. 129, Take a Taste Test, p. 149, Act Happy;</p> <p><b>G&amp;M:</b> p. 10, Read about Seeds, p. 11, Role-play a Rebus Story, p. 34, Share a Story, p. 35, Turn on the Lights!, p. 63, Watering the Garden, p. 72, We are Water Experts!, p. 99, Be a Dinosaur, p. 129, Sounds Around the House, p. 148, Share a Story, p. 155, Build Spaceships</p>

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• look for meaning in visual symbols.</li> </ul>	<p><b>RSG:</b> p. 5, Phonological Awareness, p. 66, I'm a Big Preschooler, p. 68, Count to 10, p. 95, Letter Hunt, p. 105, Nursery Rhymes, p. 110, Which Words Rhyme?;</p> <p><b>C&amp;Z:</b> p. 16, This Is My House, p. 17, Earth Words, p. 43, Make Safety Signs, p. 50, Can You Hear the Difference?, p. 71, Gather Information, p. 125, Word Safari, p. 136, Let's Listen Game, p. 165, Story Rhymes;</p> <p><b>P&amp;D:</b> p. 13, Ms. K's Rhyme Game, p. 22, Ms. K's Meeting &amp; Greeting Card, p. 45, Where are They?, Diddle, Diddle Mr. D, p. 93, Open, Shut Them, p. 102, Create a Book of Opposites, p. 118, Let's Eat Healthful Food, p. 146, Share a Story, p. 152, Mr. E's Exercise Poem;</p> <p><b>G&amp;M:</b> p. 6, Share a Story, p. 12, Many-Colored Vegetables, p. 75, Hear the Difference, p. 78, Revisit a Rhyme, p. 98, Read Mr. Q's Big Book, p. 118, Share a Story, p. 126, Read a Rebus Book, p. 147, Share Mr. X's Big Book</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• exhibit a variety of behaviors when interacting with books.</li> </ul>	<p><b>RSG:</b> p. 6, Early Literacy, p. 64, Share a Story, p. 69, Revisit Alphabet House, p. 75, Alphabet House Art, p. 79, Find a Family Member;</p> <p><b>H&amp;S:</b> p. 34, Share a Story, p. 39, Make a Class Weather Book, p. 62, Share a Story, p. 67, Make Body Prints, p. 90, Share a Story, p. 91, Elephants Everywhere;</p> <p><b>C&amp;Z:</b> p. 9, Make a Shape Home, p. 38, Share a Story, p. 43, Make Safety Signs, p. 62, Pet Masks, p. 90, Share a Story, p. 91, Farm Animal Homes, p. 146, Share a Story;</p> <p><b>P&amp;D:</b> p. 6, Share a Story, p. 7, Because of Us, p. 46, How We Help Our Families, p. 62, Share a Story, p. 65, We are Special Class Book, p. 146, Share a Story;</p> <p><b>G&amp;M:</b> p. 17, Shape Flowers, p. 35, An Upside-Down Book, p. 50, Revisit a Story, p. 62, Share a Story, p. 80, Kinds of Rain, p. 92, Share a Story</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• describe and share their own experiences.</li> </ul>	<p><b>RSG:</b> p. 6, Early Literacy, p. 64, Share a Story; p. 103, Compare Alphabet Books;</p> <p><b>C&amp;Z:</b> p. 6, Share a Story, p. 66, Read a Math Big Book, p. 90, Share a Story, p. 118, Share a Story, p. 150, From Caterpillar to Butterfly;</p> <p><b>P&amp;D:</b> p. 6, Share a Story, p. 34, Share a Story, What is Family?, p. 62, Share a Story, 118, Let's Eat Healthful Food, p. 150, Let's Measure!, p. 174, Share a Story;</p> <p><b>H&amp;S:</b> p. 34, Share a Story, p. 38, Share Ms. W's Big Book, p. 62, Share a Story, p. 90, Share a Story, p. 93, Help Mr. H, p. 150, Share a Story, p. 174, Share a Story;</p> <p><b>G&amp;M:</b> p. 6, Share a Story, p. 34, Share a Story, p. 92, Share a Story, p. 118, Share a Story, p. 148, Share a Story</p>

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• develop phonemic awareness.</li> </ul>	<p><b>RSG:</b> p. 3, Letter and Sounds with the Letter People, p. 72, Meet Ms. A, Mr. B, and Mr. C, p. 76, Meet Mr. D, Ms. E, and Ms. F, p. 80, Meet Mr. G, Mr. H, and Mr. I, p. 92, Meet Ms. J, Ms. K, and Ms. L, p. 96, Meet Mr. M, Mr. N, and Mr. O, p. 100, Meet Ms. P, Mr. Q, Mr. R and Ms. S, p. 104, Meet Ms. T, Ms. U, Ms. V and Ms. W, p. 108, Meet Mr. X, Ms. Y and Mr. Z;</p> <p><b>H&amp;S:</b> p. 8, Meet and Greet Mr. N, p. 36, Meet and Greet Ms. W, p. 64, Meet and Greet Ms. P, p. 92, Meet and Greet Mr. H, p. 120, Meet and Greet Mr. M, p. 146, Meet and Greet Ms. A, p. 176, Meet and Greet Mr. B;</p> <p><b>P&amp;D:</b> p. 8, Meet and Greet Ms. K, p. 36, Meet and Greet Mr. D, p. 64, Meet and Greet Ms. F, p. 92, Meet and Greet Mr. O, p. 120, Meet and Greet Mr. C, p. 148, Meet and Greet Ms. E, p. 176, Meet and Greet Mr. Y;</p> <p><b>C&amp;Z:</b> p. 8, Meet and Greet Mr. G, p. 34, Meet and Greet Ms. T, p. 64, Meet and Greet Ms. S, p. 925, Meet and Greet Mr. R, p. 120, Meet and Greet Mr. Z, p. 148, Meet and Greet Mr. I;</p> <p><b>G&amp;M:</b> p. 8, Meet and Greet Ms. V, p. 36, Meet and Greet Ms. L, p. 64 Meet and Greet Ms. U, p. 90, Meet and Greet Mr. Q, p. 120, Meet and Greet Ms. J, p. 146, Meet and Greet Mr. X</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• begin to recognize print-sound connection.</li> </ul>	<p><b>RSG:</b> p. 5, Phonological Awareness, p. 70, What's That Sound?, p. 73, What Do You Hear?, p. 74, First Sound, Last Sound, p. 94, Sentence Segmenting;</p> <p><b>H&amp;S:</b> p. 12, Mr. N Has News, p. 36, Meet and Greet Ms. W, p. 92, Meet and Greet Mr. H, p. 121, Mr. M's Letter Play;</p> <p><b>C&amp;Z:</b> p. 8, Meet and Greet Mr. G, p. 16, This is My House, p. 35, Ms. T's Word Play, p. 73, Ms. S's Letter Play, p. 92, Meet and Greet Mr. R, p. 108, Color Rhyme, p. 120, Meet and Greet Mr. Z, p. 155, A Ladybug Poem;</p> <p><b>P&amp;D:</b> p. 8, Meet and Greet Ms. K, p. 36, Meet and Greet Mr. D, p. 67, Funny Feet at the Park, p. 71, The Word Parts Game;</p> <p><b>G&amp;M:</b> p. 8, Meet and Greet Ms. V, p. 17, Five Fine Flowers, p. 23, What a Seed Needs, p. 46, Ms. L's Me Bag, p. 64, Meet and Greet Ms. U, p. 70 Five Little Ducks, p. 90, Meet and Greet Mr. Q, p. 96, How Many Pancakes?, p. 98, Read Mr. Q's Big Book</p>

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• demonstrate the behaviors of a beginning writer.</li> </ul>	<p><b>RSG:</b> pgs. 14-15, Writing, p. 42, ABC/Writing Center, p. 73, Family Pictures;</p> <p><b>C&amp;Z:</b> p. 37, Ms. T's Trivia, p. 69, Sensational Sand S/s's, p. 91, Visit a Petting Zoo, p. 119, A Trip to the Zoo, p. 149, Our Favorite Insects;</p> <p><b>H&amp;S:</b> p. 7, Name Headbands, Start a Class Book, p. 66, Finish a Class Book, p. 93, Bernard's House, p. 175, Sharing Sentences;</p> <p><b>P&amp;D:</b> p. 50, Make a Class Book, p. 147, Write Directions, p. 188, Our Day at School Class Book;</p> <p><b>G&amp;M:</b> p. 35, An Upside-Down Book, p. 41, Revisit a Rebus, p. 74, Class Measurement Book, p. 98, Class Book of Dinosaurs, p. 119, Mice Squeal Wall Story, p. 129, Class Book of Sounds</p>
<p><b>MATHEMATICAL THINKING</b> Performance Standards By the end of the year, Prekindergarten children will:</p>	
<p><b><u>NUMBERS AND OPERATIONS</u></b></p>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• develop an understanding of numbers, ways to represent numbers, relationships among numbers and the number system.</li> </ul>	<p><b>RSG:</b> p. 16, Math, p. 44, Math and Science Center, p. 68, Count to 10, p. 69, Counting at Alphabet House, p. 70, Count to 10 Again, p. 83, Count the Letter People;</p> <p><b>C&amp;Z:</b> p. 17, How Many People Live in Your Home?, p. 41, How Many Wheels?, p. 51, How Many Toothbrushes, p. 67, A Graphing Poem, p. 75, How Many Pets?, p. 91, Cows in the Pasture, p. 125, Pack It Up, p. 129, Graphing Animals, p. 133, Countdown, p. 135, Count the Keys, p. 147, How Many Insects?, p. 159, Inch by Inch;</p> <p><b>P&amp;D:</b> p. 15, Count with Ms. K, p. 21, I Spy: Counting Clues Collage, p. 49 Make a Helping Graph, p. 126 Graph Favorite Foods, p. 151 Measure with String, p. 158, Ms. E's Numeral Exercises, p. 163, Let It Roll;</p> <p><b>H&amp;S:</b> p. 16, We Like Numbers, p. 65, Count Body Parts, p. 74, Count the Animals-</p> <p><b>Big Book Math (BBM):</b> Counting at the Zoo, p. 76, Math Exploration, p. 77, Clothespin Animal Count, p. 78, Zoo Train, How Many are We?, p. 78, Zoo Animal Number Train, p. 191, How Many Buttons?;</p> <p><b>G&amp;M:</b> p. 17, Five Fine Flowers, p. 40, How Many in All?, p. 44, Learn about Adding, p. 45, Count with Dominoes, p. 46, Class Counting Book, p. 51, How Many Sun Rays?, p. 97, Mr. Q's Math Questions, p. 103, How Many Dinos in the Bed?, p. 130, Graph Favorite Sounds, p. 156, Blast Off!</p>

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• begin to understand the meaning of the operations of addition and subtraction and how they relate to one another.</li> </ul>	<p><b>RSG:</b> p. 16, Math, pgs. 44-45, Math and Science Center;</p> <p><b>H&amp;S:</b> p. 65, Count Body Parts, p. 74, Count the Animals, p. 76, Math Exploration, p. 78, How Many Are We?, p. 78, Zoo Animal Number Train;</p> <p><b>C&amp;Z:</b> p. 49, Flossing Tall Teeth, p. 72, Be a Graph!, p. 76, Cats and Dogs, p. 129, Counting Animals;</p> <p><b>G&amp;M:</b> p. 17, Five Fine Flowers, p. 40, How Many in All?, <b>BBM:</b> It All Adds Up, p. 43, Our Own Beach, p. 44, Learn about Adding, p. 45, Count with Dominoes, p. 46, Class Counting Book, p. 46, Listen to Addition, p. 94, What is Subtraction?, <b>BBM:</b> How Many are Left?, p. 96, Subtraction Action, p. 99, How Many Dinos Stayed?, p. 103, Ten Dinos in the Bed, p. 103, The Backwards Book, p. 108, Dinosaur Subtraction</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• begin to understand predictions and use estimation.</li> </ul>	<p><b>RSG:</b> p. 17, Science, p. 45-46, Math and Science Center;</p> <p><b>H&amp;S:</b> p. 20, Scientific Discovery, p. 37, Why Do Water Pictures Disappear?, p. 40, Which Way Does the Wind Blow?, p. 48, Scientific Discovery, p. 49, How Does It Rain?, p. 50, Graph Favorite Seasons, p. 53, Make the Wind Blow, p. 79, How DO Penguins Keep Warm?, p. 123, Paint Scents, p. 129, Take a Taste Test, p. 129, The Mystery Hand, p. 133, Textured Dominoes, p. 133, Sound-Alikes, p. 135, Munch Popcorn!, p. 135, The Feely Box;</p> <p><b>P&amp;D:</b> p. 18, What are Living Things?, p. 19, Is It Alive?, p. 19, Living Things Bingo, p. 20, Scientific Discovery, p. 37, What Color is Mr. D's Hat?, p. 62, Same on the Inside, p. 74, Tell Me All About It, p. 79, Scientific Discovery, p. 150, Let's Measure!, p. 151, Which is Heavier?, p. 185, Water Yo-Yo;</p> <p><b>C&amp;Z:</b> p. 14, Scientific Discovery, p. 20, The Ocean Is Salty, p. 41, Why DO We Wear Helmets?, p. 44, Discover Safety Equipment, p. 94, Changes All Around, p. 100, Discover What Happens, p. 103, Make a Rainbow, p. 109, Where Does the Air Go?, p. 156, Butterfly Discovery;</p> <p><b>G&amp;M:</b> p. 6, Color Carnations, p. 10, Read about Seeds, p. 16, The Needs of Seeds, p. 35, Sun Power!, p. 42, From Grapes to Raisins, p. 45, Let It Shine, p. 49, Light or Dark?, p. 63, What Dissolves?, p. 65, Wet Sponge, Dry Sponge, p. 67, How Hot?, p. 73, Invisible Painting, p. 75, Measure Water, p. 78, Water Music, p. 79, What Do You See?, p. 81, Eyedropper Art, p. 81, Water Makes a Difference, p. 107, Fossil Prints, p. 109, 3-D Dinosaurs, p. 135, Explore Sounds, p. 153, Make a Rock</p>

**PATTERNS, QUANTITATIVE AND QUALITATIVE PROPERTIES**

• understand patterns, relations and functions.

**RSG:** p. 16, Math, p. 44-45, Math and Science Center;  
**H&S:** p. 68, Pointy Patch Patterns;  
**P&D:** p. 94, Learn About Patterns, p. 95, Cube Patterns, p. 95, String a Pattern, p. 96, Exploring Patterns, p. 98, Pattern Hop, p. 99, Numeral Patterns, p. 101, Stamp a Pattern, p. 103, Cookie Patterns, p. 104, Musical Patterns, p. 105, Class Pattern Book, p. 105, Shape Patterns, p. 107, Hey, Pattern Man!, p. 107, Letter Patterns, p. 109, Paint a Pattern, p. 125, Cookie Patterns, p. 157, Let's Sort Shapes;  
**C&Z:** p. 93, Animal Sound Patterns, p. 93, More Animal Sound Patterns, p. 121, Build Animal Cages, p. 131, A Growing pattern;  
**G&M:** p. 15, Vegetable Patterns, p. 35, Sun/Moon Patterns, p. 44, A Growing, Laughing Pattern, p. 71, Homes for Water Animals, p. 93, Dino Look-Alikes, p. 103, Dinosaur Eggs, p. 124, Rhythm Band

• recognize and analyze quantitative and qualitative properties.

**RSG:** p. 16, Math, p. 44-45, Math and Science Center;  
**C&Z:** p. 15, What is Different?, p. 68, Same and Different Pets, p. 71, Is This a Good Pet?, p. 75, How Many Pets?, p. 76, Cats and Dogs, p. 80, How Else Can We Show It?, p. 96, Animal Sound-Off, p. 99, Living Things Change, p. 104, Everybody on the Farm, p. 121, What Sort of Animal?, p. 161, Sort Us!;  
**P&D:** p. 19, Is It Alive?, p. 19, Letter People Sort, p. 66, Same and Different, p. 73, Sort Shoes, p. 91, Opposites Sort, p. 107, Button Patterns, p. 156, Measure Me!, p. 157, Let's Sort Shapes, p. 181, A Season of Laundry, p. 185, Is It Yellow?;  
**H&S:** p. 13, Colorful Names, p. 41, Weather Words, p. 45, Decorate W/w with Leaves, p. 67, Alike and Different, p. 69, Pointy Patches Quilt, p. 73, Ms P's Pictures, p. 73, The Growing Game, p. 126, Compare Books, p. 165, Shape Sorts, p. 179, Balance Buttons, p. 193, Button Match and Sort;  
**G&M:** p. 15, Seed Collage, p. 18, Are All Seeds the Same?, p. 77, Rainy Day/Sunny Day Sort, p. 93, Dino Look Alikes, p. 103, Dinosaur Eggs, p. 135, Explore Sounds

## SHAPES AND SPATIAL RELATIONS

<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• recognize properties and characteristics of geometric shapes.</li></ul>	<p><b>RSG:</b> p. 16, Math, p. 44-45, Math and Science Center;</p> <p><b>P&amp;D:</b> p. 9, Ms. K's Kaleidoscopes, p. 11, Shape Park, p. 37, A New Hat for Mr. D, p. 42, Learn about Solid Shapes, <b>BBM:</b> Solid Shapes, p. 43, Shake Your Shapes Out, Picnic Puzzles, p. 44, Shapes for Sale, p. 48, Exploring Solid Shapes, A Solid Match, p. 50, What's Missing?, p. 52, I Spy Shapes, p. 52, Shapes Sculptures in the Park, p. 66, Same and Different Shapes, p. 73, Find It in the Sand, p. 77, Find It Fast!, p. 98, Pattern Hop, p. 105, Shape Patterns, p. 129, Mr. C's Crayon Rubbings, p. 157 Make a Shape Collage;</p> <p><b>H&amp;S:</b> p. 154, Looking for Shapes, p. 155, Shape Scavenger Hunt, p. 157, Make a Shape Book, p. 159, A Feelings Caterpillar, p. 161, Shape Walk-Around, p. 175, Round and Square Scales, p. 178, Read Mr. B's Big Book;</p> <p><b>C&amp;Z:</b> p. 9, Make a Shape Home, p. 62, Pet Masks, p. 65, Shape Pets, p. 67, Pizza Pizzazz;</p> <p><b>G&amp;M:</b> p. 17, Shape Flowers, p. 38, A Shadow Show, p. 51, Rays of Sunshine, p. 147, Make a Starry Night, p. 151, A Space Picture</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• understand location, position and spatial relationships.</li></ul>	<p><b>RSG:</b> p. 16, Math, pgs. 44-45, Math and Science Center, p. 78, First or Last?, p. 100, Where Is It?, p. 101, Where Is It Now?, p. 102, Follow My Directions, p. 104, Simon Says, p. 110, Follow Me;</p> <p><b>H&amp;S:</b> p. 15, Nifty N's, p. 48, Dress-Up Relay, p. 78, Zoo Animal Number Train;</p> <p><b>P&amp;D:</b> p. 42, Learn about Solid Shapes, p. 66, Same and Different Shapes, p. 91, Tall and Short Towers, p. 105, Shape Patterns, p. 127, Make Salad Dressing;</p> <p><b>C&amp;Z:</b> p. 52, Where is Ms. L?</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• use visualization and spatial reasoning to solve problems.</li></ul>	<p><b>RSG:</b> p. 16, Math, pgs. 44-45, Math and Science Center, p. 78, First or Last?, p. 100, Where Is It?, p. 101, Where Is It Now?, p. 102, Follow My Directions, p. 104, Simon Says, p. 110, Follow Me;</p> <p><b>C&amp;Z:</b> p. 15, What is Different?, p. 68, Same and Different Pets, p. 99, Living Things Change, p. 161, Sort Us!;</p> <p><b>P&amp;D:</b> p. 66, Same and Different Shapes, p. 156, Measure Me!, p. 185, Is It Yellow?;</p> <p><b>H&amp;S:</b> p. 67, Alike and Different, p. 126, Compare Books;</p> <p><b>G&amp;M:</b> p. 18, Are All Seeds the Same?, p. 66, What Can you Measure?, p. 68, Revisit a Math Big Book, p. 69, Measure Up!, p. 74, Class Measurement Book, p. 75, Measure with Cubes, p. 93, Dinoprint Measure, p. 100, Hunt for Dinosaurs</p>

## MEASUREMENT

- understand that there are measurable attributes of objects and the processes of measurement.

**RSG:** p. 16, Math, pgs. 44-45, Math and Science Center;

**P&D:** p. 11, Kaboom Kicking Contest, p. 91, Tall and Short Towers, p. 150, Let's Measure, **BBM:** How Do We Measure?, p. 151 Measure with String, p. 156, More Measurement, 157, Make a Shape Collage, p. 159, Measurement Mural, p. 160, Measure Up!;

**C&Z:** p. 127, Zippers Long and Short, p. 152, Mr. I's Word Play, p. 154, Mr. I's Me Bag, p. 159, Measure Mr. I, p. 159, Inch by Inch, p. 161, How Big Is a Whale?, p. 163, Measure with Blocks;

**G&M:** p. 66, What Can you Measure?, p. 68, Revisit a Math Big Book, p. 69, Measure Up!, p. 74, Class Measurement Book, p. 75, Measure with Cubes, p. 93, Dinoprint Measure, p. 100, Hunt for Dinosaurs

## INFORMATION GATHERING AND PROBABILITY

- formulate questions and collect, organize and display relevant information to answer their questions.

**RSG:** p. 17, Science, pgs. 45-46, Math and Science Center, p. 70, What's That Sound?, p. 73, What Do You Hear?;

**H&S:** p. 18, Learning with Our Senses, **Big Book Science (BBS):** I Learn with My Senses, p. 19, What's the Sense?, p. 19, What Your Nose Know, p. 20 Take a Senses Walk, p. 23, How Sound Gets to My Ears, p. 121, How Do You Use Your Senses?, p. 129, Take a Taste Test, p. 129, The Mystery Hand, p. 133, Textured Dominoes, p. 133, Sound-Alikes, p. 135, Munch Popcorn!, p. 135, The Feely Box;

**C&Z:** p. 10, Explore Our Earth, **BBS:** Our Earth, p. 13, Where on Earth Are We?, p. 19, Balancing Act, p. 24, Problems and Solutions p. 40, Keeping Safe, **BBS:** I Keep Myself Safe, p. 119, Respecting Wild Animals, p. 129, Who Has a Tail?, p. 133, Farm or Zoo?, p. 146, Learn about Insects, p. 147, Observe Insects, p. 149, Build an Insect, p. 150, From Caterpillar to Butterfly, **BBS:** The Life Cycle of a Butterfly, p. 154, Butterfly Life Cycle, p. 157, Catch Insects, p. 158, Class Insect Book, p. 162, Are Spiders Insects?;

**P&D:** p. 18, What are Living Things?, **BBS:** Living Things are Everywhere!, p. 19, Is It Alive?, Living Things Bingo, p. 23, Ms. K's Riddles, p. 74, Tell Me All About It, p. 75, What Makes It Float?, p. 79, Scientific Discovery, p. 150, Let's Measure!, p. 151, Which is Heavier?, p. 185, Water Yo-Yo;

**G&M:** p. 10, Read about Seeds, **BBS:** The Mystery Seeds, p. 15, A Plant's Life Cycle, p. 18, Are All Seeds the Same?, p. 23, What a Seed Needs, p. 93, Dinosaur Questions, p. 98, Class Book of Dinosaurs, p. 105, Dinosaur Exhibit, p. 119, Making Sounds, p. 129, Sounds Around the House, p. 133, Sounds Patterns, p. 133, Look and Listen...Who's Talking?, p. 150, Planets and Stars



• understand that predictions can be made.

**RSG:** p. 17, Science, p. 45-46, Math and Science Center;

**H&S:** p. 20, Scientific Discovery, p. 37, Why Do Water Pictures Disappear?, p. 40, Which Way Does the Wind Blow?, p. 48, Scientific Discovery, p. 49, How Does It Rain?, p. 50, Graph Favorite Seasons, p. 53, Make the Wind Blow, p. 79, How DO Penguins Keep Warm?, p. 123, Paint Scents, p. 129, Take a Taste Test, p. 129, The Mystery Hand, p. 133, Textured Dominoes, p. 133, Sound-Alikes, p. 135, Munch Popcorn!, p. 135, The Feely Box;

**P&D:** p. 18, What are Living Things?, p. 19, Is It Alive?, p. 19, Living Things Bingo, p. 20, Scientific Discovery, p. 37, What Color is Mr. D's Hat?, p. 62, Same on the Inside, p. 74, Tell Me All About It, p. 79, Scientific Discovery, p. 150, Let's Measure!, p. 151, Which is Heavier?, p. 185, Water Yo-Yo;

**C&Z:** p. 14, Scientific Discovery, p. 20, The Ocean Is Salty, p. 41, Why DO We Wear Helmets?, p. 44, Discover Safety Equipment, p. 94, Changes All Around, p. 100, Discover What Happens, p. 103, Make a Rainbow, p. 109, Where Does the Air Go?, p. 156, Butterfly Discovery;

**G&M:** p. 6, Color Carnations, p. 10, Read about Seeds, p. 16, The Needs of Seeds, p. 35, Sun Power!, p. 42, From Grapes to Raisins, p. 45, Let It Shine, p. 49, Light or Dark?, p. 63, What Dissolves?, p. 65, Wet Sponge, Dry Sponge, p. 67, How Hot?, p. 73, Invisible Painting, p. 75, Measure Water, p. 78, Water Music, p. 79, What Do You See?, p. 81, Eyedropper Art, p. 81, Water Makes a Difference, p. 107, Fossil Prints, p. 109, 3-D Dinosaurs, p. 135, Explore Sounds, p. 153, Make a Rock

**MATHEMATICAL THINKING**

- Develop an understanding of numbers, ways to represent numbers, relationships among numbers and the number system.

**RSG:** p. 16, Math, p. 44, Math and Science Center, p. 68, Count to 10, p. 69, Counting at the Alphabet House, p. 70, Count to 10 Again, p. 83, Count the Letter People;

**H&S:** p. 16, We Like Numbers, p. 25, Play 1-2-3- Zoo, p. 65, Count Body Parts, p. 74, Count the Animals, **BBM:** Counting at the Zoo, p. 76, Math Exploration, p. 77, Clothespin Animal Count, p. 78, Zoo Train, p. 191, How Many Buttons?;

**P&D:** p. 15, Count with Ms. K, p. 21, I Spy: Counting Clues Collage, p. 158, Ms. E's Numeral Exercises, p. 163, Let It Roll;

**C&Z:** p. 17, How Many People Live in Your Home?, p. 41, How Many Wheels?, p. 51, How Many Toothbrushes?, p. 65, Feed the Pets, p. 75, How Many Pets?, p. 91, Cows in the Pasture, p. 93, Help Mr. R Deliver Roses, p. 125, Pack It Up, p. 129, Counting Animals, p. 133, Countdown, p. 135, Count the Keys, p. 147, How Many Insects?;

**G&M:** p. 17, Five Fine Flowers, p. 40, How Many in All?, p. 44, Learn about Adding, p. 45, Count with Dominoes, p. 46, Class Counting Book, p. 51, How Many Sun Rays?, p. 103, How Many Dinos in the Bed?, p. 156, Blast Off!

- Begin to understand the meaning of the operations of addition and subtraction and how they relate to one another.

**RSG:** p. 16, Math, pgs. 44-45, Math and Science Center;

**H&S:** p. 65, Count Body Parts, p. 74, Count the Animals, p. 76, Math Exploration, p. 78, How Many Are We?, p. 78, Zoo Animal Number Train;

**C&Z:** p. 49, Flossing Tall Teeth, p. 72, Be a Graph!, p. 76, Cats and Dogs, p. 129, Counting Animals;

**G&M:** p. 17, Five Fine Flowers, p. 40, How Many in All?, **BBM:** It All Adds Up, p. 43, Our Own Beach, p. 44, Learn about Adding, p. 45, Count with Dominoes, p. 46, Class Counting Book, p. 46, Listen to Addition, p. 94, What is Subtraction?, **BBM:** How Many are Left?, p. 96, Subtraction Action, p. 99, How Many Dinos Stayed?, p. 103, Ten Dinos in the Bed, p. 103, The Backwards Book, p. 108, Dinosaur Subtraction

• Make reasonable predictions and use estimation.

**RSG:** p. 17, Science, p. 45-46, Math and Science Center;

**H&S:** p. 20, Scientific Discovery, p. 37, Why DO Water Pictures Disappear?, p. 40, Which Way Does the Wind Blow?, p. 48, Scientific Discovery, p. 49, How Does It Rain?, p. 50, Graph Favorite Seasons, p. 53, Make the Wind Blow, p. 79, How DO Penguins Keep Warm?, p. 123, Paint Scents, p. 125, Great Goop, p. 129, Take a Taste Test, p. 129, The Mystery Hand, p. 133, Textured Dominoes, p. 133, Sound-Alikes, p. 135, Munch Popcorn!, p. 135, The Feely Box;

**P&D:** p. 18, What are Living Things?, p. 19, Is It Alive?, p. 19, Living Things Bingo, p. 20, Scientific Discovery, p. 37, What Color Is Mr. D's Hat?, p. 62, Same on the Inside, p. 74, Tell Me All About It, p. 79, Scientific Discovery, p. 150, Let's Measure!, p. 151, Which is Heavier?, p. 185, Water Yo-Yo;

**C&Z:** p. 14, Scientific Discovery, p. 20, The Ocean is Salty, p. 41, Why DO We Wear Helmets?, p. 44, Discover Safety Equipment, p. 94, Changes All Around, p. 100, Discover What Happens, p. 103, Make a Rainbow, p. 109, Where Does the Air Go?, p. 156, Butterfly Discovery;

**G&M:** p. 6, Color Carnations, p. 10, Read about Seeds, p. 16, The Needs of Seeds, p. 35, Sun Power!, p. 38, A Shadow Show, p. 42, From Grapes to Raisins, p. 45, Let It Shine, p. 49, Light or Dark?, p. 49, Shadow Play, p. 63, What Dissolves?, p. 65, Wet Sponge, Dry Sponge, p. 67, How Hot?, p. 73, Invisible Painting, p. 75, Measure Water, p. 78, Water Music, p. 79, What DO You See?, p. 81, Eyedropper Art, p. 81, Water Makes a Difference, p. 107, Fossil Prints, p. 109, 3-D Dinosaurs, p. 135, Explore Sounds, p. 153, Make a Rock

## SCIENTIFIC THINKING

- Pose questions, seek answers, and develop solutions.

**RSG:** p. 17, Science, p. 45-46, Math and Science Center;

**H&S:** p. 20, Scientific Discovery, p. 37, Why DO Water Pictures Disappear?, p. 40, Which Way Does the Wind Blow?, p. 48, Scientific Discovery, p. 49, How Does It Rain?, p. 50, Graph Favorite Seasons, p. 53, Make the Wind Blow, p. 79, How DO Penguins Keep Warm?, p. 123, Paint Scents, p. 125, Great Goop, p. 129, Take a Taste Test, p. 129, The Mystery Hand, p. 133, Textured Dominoes, p. 133, Sound-Alikes, p. 135, Munch Popcorn!, p. 135, The Feely Box;

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**C&Z:** p. 14, Scientific Discovery, p. 20, The Ocean is Salty, p. 41, Why DO We Wear Helmets?, p. 44, Discover Safety Equipment, p. 94, Changes All Around, p. 100, Discover What Happens, p. 103, Make a Rainbow, p. 109, Where Does the Air Go?, p. 156, Butterfly Discovery;

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## SOCIAL STUDIES

- apply the skills of communicating, sharing and cooperating with others who have similar and different perspectives.

**RSG:** p. 4, Social/Emotional Development, p. 40-55, Interest Centers;

**H&S:** p. 10, Share a Me Bag, p. 43, Share a Me Bag, p. 66, Share a Me Bag, p. 68, I Can Do It!;

**P&D:** p. 16, Share a Me Bag, p. 44, Share a Me Bag, p. 63, I'm Glad I'm Me, p. 65, Special Sentences, p. 179, Good Night Letter People;

**C&Z:** p. 12, Share a Me Bag, p. 35, Show Your Smile, p. 42, Share a Me Bag, p. 68, Share a Me Bag;

**G&M:** p. 12, Share a Me Bag, p. 70, Share a Me Bag, p. 100, Share a Me Bag

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• begin to understand time, change and continuity and to relate past events to their present and future activities.</li> </ul>	<p><b>RSG:</b> pgs. 40-55, Interest Centers;</p> <p><b>H&amp;S:</b> p. 7, Start a Class Book, p./ 45, Wear Wonderful Words, p. 63, We Can Do It! Class Book, p. 93, Bernard's House, p. 155, Action Math!;</p> <p><b>P&amp;D:</b> p. 10, We Are Kind Class Book, p. 43, Type Mr. D's Letter, p. 91, Up/Down Picture, p. 147, Write Directions;</p> <p><b>C&amp;Z:</b> p. 35, Show Your Smile, p. 91, Visit a Petting Zoo,, p. 158, Class Insect Book;</p> <p><b>G&amp;M:</b> p. 103, The Backwards Book, p. 119, Mice Squeak Wall Story</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• develop a growing understanding of position in space, geographical location and direction.</li> </ul>	<p><b>RSG:</b> p. 16, Math, pgs. 44-45, Math and Science Center, p. 78, First or Last?, p. 100, Where Is It?, p. 101, Where Is It Now?, p. 102, Follow My Directions, p. 104, Simon Says, p. 110, Follow Me;</p> <p><b>H&amp;S:</b> p. 15, Nifty N's, p. 48, Dress-Up Relay, p. 78, Zoo Animal Number Train;</p> <p><b>P&amp;D:</b> p. 42, Learn about Solid Shapes, p. 66, Same and Different Shapes, p. 91, Tall and Short Towers, p. 105, Shape Patterns, p. 127, Make Salad Dressing;</p> <p><b>C&amp;Z:</b> p. 52, Where is Ms. L?</p> <p><b>G&amp;M:</b> p. 150, Planets and Stars</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• recognize the contributions of community workers as they produce goods or provide services.</li> </ul>	<p><b>H&amp;S:</b> p. 95, Our Happy Hair Salon;</p> <p><b>P&amp;D:</b> p. 35, Act Like Helpers, p. 165, Ms. E's Extreme Clean-Up Day;</p> <p><b>C&amp;Z:</b> p. 35, Be a Dentist, p. 39, Calling 911, p. 63, Pet Helpers, p. 73, Pet Sitting</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• understand that all people have basic needs.</li> </ul>	<p><b>RSG:</b> p. 18, Health and Physical Development;</p> <p><b>C&amp;Z:</b> p. 9, Everyone Needs a Home, p. 34, Meet and Greet Ms. T, p. 35, Show Your Smile, p. 49, Flossing Tall Teeth, p. 50, Ms. T's Big Book;</p> <p><b>P&amp;D:</b> p. 70, Fix Fresh Fruit Snacks, p. 118, Let's Eat Healthful Food, p. 128, Discover Healthful Foods, p. 131, Staying Healthy;</p> <p><b>H&amp;S:</b> p. 53, What We Need, p. 93, How to Stay Healthy, p. 94, Germs Everywhere p. 95, How Do We Get Clean, p. 100, Healthful Habits;</p> <p><b>G&amp;M:</b> p. 20, A Colorful Vegetable Chart, p. 53, A Healthy Schedule</p>