

Horizons

Preschool



Horizons Preschool Teacher's Guide, Part 1
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Horizons Preschool Scope and Sequence

The following list gives a breakdown by lesson groupings of the concepts that are covered in the preschool program. This list is certainly not exhaustive and primarily serves to illustrate the depth and progression of concepts as they are presented.

Lessons 1-30

- Day 1 - Day 3 of Creation
- God, Jesus, Holy Spirit, light, darkness, air, clouds, dry land, rocks
- Finger and action activities, spatial concepts, lists, names, sort, compare, rhyme, describe, classify
- Letter recognition Aa-Ii
- Numerals 1-6
- Oral counting 1-10
- Recognize red, green, blue, black, white, yellow
- Identify triangle, circle, and square
- Recognize first name, read an illustrated schedule
- Trace first two letters of first name
- Color, glue, stamp, draw, shape, fold, trace, cut, paint
- Self space, general space, ball activities, ribbon sticks, rhythm, run, skip, jump

Lessons 31-60

- Day 3 - Day 4 of Creation
- Soil, plants, grasses, seeds, trees, fruits, vegetables, sun, weather, day, night, seasons, hour
- Sort, solve puzzles, finger activities, label, vocabulary development
- Letter recognition Jj-Ss
- Numerals 7-10, 0
- Oral counting 0-10
- Recognize purple, orange, gray
- Identify rectangle, star
- Trace letters of first name
- Write the first letter of first name
- Glue, shape, paint, draw, solve puzzles, construct, color, stamp
- Jump, crawl, ribbon sticks, hopscotch, stretch, exercise

Lessons 61-90

- Day 4 of Creation
- Seasons, earth's rotation, earth's tilt, moon, stars, constellations, astronomy, planets, comets, meteors
- Action rhymes, stories, finish stories, complete sentences, verbalize concepts, answer questions, rhyme, naming, comparing, vocabulary development, grouping
- Letter recognition Ss-Zz
- Letter sounds Aa-Bb
- Numerals 10-12
- Oral counting 0-20
- Tell time to the hour

- Addition 1 + 1
- Identify star, heart, oval
- Review colors
- Write first name with a guide
- Cut, shape, glue, draw, interpret, cut, assemble, trace
- Walk, skip, hop, balance beam, launch board, ballet
- Fire safety

Lessons 91-120

- Day 5 - Day 6 of Creation
- Fish, climate, ocean creatures, amphibians, eggs, birds, animals, mammals
- Comparison, action rhymes, role play, imitate, describe, finger play, rhyme, classify, vocabulary development, alphabetical order
- Letter sounds Cc-Ii
- Blend letter sounds Aa-Hh
- Write first name without a guide
- Addition 2 + 1, 3 + 1, 4 + 1
- Identify diamond, pictograph
- Shape, color, cut, glue, label, draw
- Catch, jump, ribbon dance, throw, fine motor skills

Lessons 121-150

- Day 6 of Creation
- Reptiles, insects, man, cells, senses, bones, digestion, breathing, muscles
- Size relationships, comparison, guessing, role play, describe, alphabetize, chart, vocabulary development, classify, sort
- Letter sounds Jj-Rr
- Blend letter sounds Aa-Rr
- Write home address and phone number
- Addition 5 + 1
- Subtraction 2 - 1, 3 - 1
- Review shapes
- Type one's name
- Mold, string, shape, paint, draw, stamp, cut, glue, trace
- Crawl, walk, jumping jacks, bowling, crouch & jump, ride tricycles, ring toss

Lessons 151-180

- Day 6 - Day 7 of Creation, Noah's flood
- Blood, circulation, brain, body parts, occupations, health & safety, music, work, rules, helpers, friends, family, promises, flood
- Letter sounds Ss-Zz
- Blend letter sounds Aa-Zz
- Write home address and phone number
- Initial sound of shape words
- Subtract 4 - 1, 5 - 1, 6 - 1
- Cut glue, shape, draw, color, paint, decorate
- Ring toss, swinging, bowling, dribble, kick, throw, rhythm sticks, ball rolling, tag, tumbling