

PYP Theme	Who We Are	How We Organize Ourselves	How We Express Ourselves	Sharing the Planet
Central Idea	Different characteristics make us unique.	Understanding the change in season helps us to understand our world.	Our feelings affect others.	Living things depend on each other for survival.
Specified Concepts	Form Function Perspective	Causation Change Responsibility	Form Function Connection	Form Connection Responsibility
Additional Concepts	Similarities Differences	Seasonal Change Well-being	Feelings Expression Cooperation	Interdependence Living Things
Lines of Inquiry	- Characteristics of Self - Recognizing differences/similarities of myself and others - Appreciation of similarities and differences	- Exploring the seasons - Understanding seasonal changes - How to be safe and healthy in each season	- Recognizing our feelings - Communicating feelings - Getting along with others	- Exploring habitats - Plants and Animals Depend on Each Other - Contributing to the well-being of plants and animal
Literacy Literacy and writing activities are compared and go together – EX: See, think, wonder	Mouse First Day of School No, David Stand Tall Molly Lou Melon The Pigeon has to go to School How Full is Your Bucket Frog and Toad are Friends Waiting is Not Easy Franklin Goes to school Friends Brown Bear, Brown Bear What do you see May I Bring a Friend Mortimer How to Lose All Your Friends The Little Red Hen	Room on the Broom Hello, Fall! Fall Weather The Very Hungry Caterpillar's Fall The Five Little Pumpkins Pete the Cat Falling for Autumn The Mittens Joseph's Overcoat Sneezzy the Snowman There was an Old Lady Who Swallowed Some Snow Snow Friends The Mitten Snowman at Night The Story of Snow Winter is for Snow Bear Snores on	<i>When I'm Feeling Love</i> <i>The Day it Rained Hearts</i> <i>I Love My Hair</i> <i>The Story of Ruby Bridges</i> <i>The Big Boy with Big Big Feelings</i> <i>Tough Guys (have feelings too)</i> <i>Today I Feel</i> <i>All About Feelings</i> <i>1-2-3 Feelings and Me</i> <i>Listening to My Body</i> <i>The Color Monster</i> <i>The Way I Feel</i> <i>Today I Feel Silly</i> <i>We Are All Connected</i> <i>Let the Children March</i> <i>Goldilocks and the Three Bears</i> <i>Tooth Book</i>	<i>Trees Count</i> <i>Abiyoyo</i> <i>Our Tree Named Steve</i> <i>The Grouchy Ladybug</i> <i>The Busy Little Squirrel</i> <i>The Great Kapok Tree Over the Meadow</i> <i>A Tree Full of Wonder</i> <i>Busy Tree</i> <i>The Luckiest Sint Patrick's Day Ever</i>

				<i>How to Catch a Leprechaun Hopper</i> <i>What I See in Spring</i> <i>Patrick: Patron Saint of Ireland</i> <i>The Night Before St. Patrick's Day</i> <i>The Was an Old Lady Who Swallowed a Clover</i> <i>Hooper Hunts for Spring Kitten's Spring</i> <i>Henny Penny</i> <i>Who Lives in Trees?</i> <i>Chicka Chicka Boom Boom</i> <i>Planting an Rainbow</i> <i>We're going on a Bear Hunt</i> <i>A Tree Grows Up</i> <i>Sam Helps Recycle</i> <i>Radio Man</i> <i>I Stink!</i> <i>Recycling Is Fun!</i> <i>I Can Save the Earth</i> <i>Your Mama a Llama?</i> <i>Does a Kangaroo Have a mother too?</i> <i>Chicks vs. Bunnies?</i> <i>See How They Grow: Mitten</i>
Writing	What do friends do together?	What is your favorite shirt? Why? Do you think we can make clothes?	Creating Greeting Cards Valentine Card Exchange	What do you see in outside? Does every animal have a mother? How does a plant grow?

	What is something else you can do instead of grabbing all the toys? What feelings do families share? What do you like to do with your family?	What kind of clothes will you design today? Retelling -- Room on the broom.		What does a plant need to grow? What animals live in trees? Why do we recycle?
Math	What size clothes do you think babies wear? How many buttons do you have on your clothes?	Can you find something with a straight line and something with a curved line in our classroom? How many links does it take to go around our pumpkin? How tall is our pumpkin? Pumpkins life cycle	100th Day Activities What shapes do you see on your clothes?	Counting outside objects they find. Compacting outside objects
Creative Response	Community Helpers Friends and Family	Which fabric pattern do you like best?	Martin Luther King Jr. Black History	Animals in our environment Plants
Science	Science Center and tools.	Wash and Dry Too Loud Lilly – story What colors mix together to make green? How to Make Snow	Bodily responses	How does a plant grow? Recycling Animals life cycles