

Sample Lesson Plan
Theme: Dinosaur Dig ~ Paleontology
Numbers: 5 & 15 Letters: L & D Color: Purple Shape: Oval

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Circle Time	Class will discuss weekly color, shape, and letter plus date and weather.	Class will discuss weekly color, shape, and letter plus date and weather.	Class will discuss weekly color, shape, and letter plus date and weather.	Class will discuss weekly color, shape, and letter plus date and weather.	Class will discuss weekly color, shape, and letter plus date and weather.
Writing/ Language/ Literacy	Children will play a dinosaur matching game.	Children will write in their dinosaur journals.	Children will practice writing their names.	Children will practice the letter "L" in sand.	Children will do a "L is for leaf" activity.
Science/ Sensory/ Math and Reasoning	Children will sort dinosaurs by omnivore, carnivore, herbivore.	Children will count egg fossils.	Children will make bone patterns.	Children will count t-rex teeth.	Children will count leaves.
Physical Development	Children will dance like a dinosaur.	Children will play "Freeze Dance".	Children will do the "dinosaur beat".	Children will play a "dinosaur dig" game.	Children will play "Duck, Duck, Dino".
Creative Development	Children will make their own excavation dig.	Children will make "fossils".	Children will make "shoesaratops".	Children will make dinosaur headbands.	Children will make brontosaurus puppets.

Shoesaratops!
 Trace the child's shoe across a piece of paper and challenge them to turn that shape into their own dinosaur!

Do an excavation dig by putting sand in your sensory table with toy dinos and accessories.

Make fossils by pressing items into play dough. Consider coins, sticks, tiny toys, etc.

Toddlers love to roar like dinosaurs. Let them roar!! Play music and dance like you imagine a dinosaur would dance. Stomp those feet and have fun.