



PARROT CURRICULUM

Theme: **Bears**

Date: **January 9th – 13th**

Concept: **in and out**

Shape\Color: **Brown**

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Creative Art	Finger paint cut out of a teddy bear using brown paint	Decorate a bear using brown material and cotton	Make bear puppets using templates and popsicle sticks	Brown paper bag bears, stuffing the bags and then adding ears, eyes, a nose and a small tail	What do bears eat? Coloring a honey jar with yellow crayons.
Books	“Little Polar Bear” (Hans De Beer)	“Where is the Cub?”	“Brown Bear, Brown Bear, What do you see?” (Eric Carle)	“Winnie-the-Pooh”	“Goldilocks & The Three Bears”
Music & Movement	Using classical music we will walk around the room on all fours like a bear.	Crawling in and out of an expandable tube to reinforce the concept of in and out	One Little, Two Little, Three Little Bears	The bear in Tennis Shoes (see attached sheet)	The Bear went over the Mountain (see attached sheet)
Sensory Play	Water in the sensory table with a little brown coloring and soap.	Things that fit inside each other, ie, toilet paper tubes & something round; small paper bags & soft things (material, cotton balls) to put in and take out		Making and playing with brown playdough	Children make bear cookies, decorate them and eat them
Gross Motor Activities	We will be going outside as long as the weather is appropriate. If we cannot get outside we will be doing movement to music and action songs.				
		“Going on a bear hunt”			Teddy Bear Parade!!