

Materials List

Centers

Materials

Creative Arts



Celebration Posters:

- *Hooray, a Pinata!*
- large paper
- tempera paint
- paint cups
- variety of brushes
- smocks
- containers for water
- palette for mixing colors
- Q-tips, cotton balls, sponges (optional)

Collaborative Creations with Beautiful Stuff:

- *Hooray, a Pinata!*
- Beautiful Stuff
- trays
- paper of different sizes and colors
- variety of adhesives
- images of artwork created by different artists (see Resource from Unit 1, Week 1, Center Activity: Collage)

Crayon Resist:

- *Matthew and Tilly*
- steps for watercolor visual (see Resource)
- watercolor or dry tempera paint
- watercolor paper or white construction paper
- variety of paintbrushes
- containers for water
- paper towels or clean rags
- crayons
- Q-tips, sponges, and cotton balls (alternative painting tools)
- smocks

Blocks



Adding Beautiful Stuff:

- *Hooray, a Piñata!*
- images of neighborhoods (see Resource)
- Beautiful Stuff
- containers/baskets
- paper
- clipboards
- writing utensils
- masking tape
- images of child created neighborhoods

Dramatic Play



Barbershop:

- *Dandelion*
- various props or tools and materials found in a barbershop/salon (hair dryers, mirrors, shampoo bottles, curlers, etc.)
- large bowls
- images of barbershops (see Resource)
- Beautiful Stuff for children to create props
- sample appointment book
- writing utensils
- magazines (for waiting area)

Science



Roads and Sidewalks:

- *Matthew and Tilly*
- *Hooray, a Piñata!*
- *Road Builders*
- sand, small rocks, gravel
- small construction vehicles (dump trucks, bulldozers, cement mixer, backhoe, etc.)
- small shovels, spoons, rakes, etc.
- tag board or construction paper
- pretend figures and/or images of characters on blocks
- images of road building (see Resource)

Library and Listening



Researching Recipes, Cookbooks, and Menus:

- *The Little Red Hen (Makes a Pizza)*
- *Hooray, a Piñata!*
- cookbooks
- tablet, laptop, and/or smart phone
- recipe cards
- recipe box
- clipboards with paper
- pencils
- crayons
- child-made recipe books
- icons for food and cooking utensils and/or images of food and cooking utensils (see Resource)
- alphabet chart
- stapler
- glue sticks
- clear tape
- sample menu

Puzzles (Manipulatives)



Classroom Friends' Puzzles:

- *A Letter to Amy*
- *The Little Red Hen (Makes a Pizza)*
- poster or tag board
- laminated photographs of children in the classroom
- zip-closure plastic bags
- basket or box to store puzzles
- trays

Sorting Objects into Groups:

- *The Little Red Hen (Makes a Pizza)*
- a variety of small objects, such as buttons, recycled materials, and math counters
- number cards with numerals
- number cards with numerals and dots
- small containers or bowls
- paper plates
- pencils
- markers
- blank cards
- large tray
- small baskets or containers for cards

Creative Writing



A Class Book About Friendship:

- all Unit 2 books
- drawing paper
- writing utensils
- children's name cards
- chart paper

Small Groups

Materials

Independent

Celebration Placemats, Name Tags, and Labels:

- *Hooray, a Piñata!*
- *A Letter to Amy*
- *Dandelion*
- variety of paper
- writing/drawing utensils
- watercolor paints
- tempera paint
- paintbrushes of different sizes
- containers for water
- smocks
- images of celebrations (see Resource)
- scissors, rulers

Medium Support

Celebration Invitations:

- *A Letter to Amy*
- *Dandelion*
- cardstock or tagboard cut into 9" x 6" pieces
- envelopes
- invitation template (see Resource)
- variety of adhesives
- writing utensils (fancy markers/glitter pens)
- stickers
- word cards (*to, from, love, sincerely*)
- name cards

Decorating Piñatas:

- *Hooray, a Piñata!*
- piñatas made in Small Groups, Week 3
- colored tissue paper
- paper mâché glue (equal parts glue and water)
- glue brushes
- smocks
- gloves
- tempera paint
- paintbrushes
- construction paper
- scissors
- white glue

Read Alouds



- *Dandelion*, vocabulary picture cards
- *Matthew and Tilly*, vocabulary picture cards
- *Hooray, a Piñata!*, vocabulary picture cards

SWPL Clipboard Directions



“Five Green and Speckled Frogs”: flannel board and pieces

Story-Character “Bingo” (and We Can Change It and Rearrange It): *Hooray, a Piñata!*, flannel letters (C, L, A, R, A), card with CLARA written on it

“Five Little Owls in an Old Elm Tree”: poem, poetry poster

Interesting-Sounding Words: *Hooray, a Piñata!*

Alphabet Letter Clue Game: easel, chart paper, markers

“Clap Your Hands”: song lyrics

“What are You Wearing?”: song lyrics

Dazzling Diggers (and Chiming in with Rhyming Words): book

“Down by the Bay”: flannel board and pieces

Guess What Word I Am Saying: *Hooray, a Piñata!*

Bingo” (and We Can Change It and Rearrange It): flannel board and flannel letters (B, I, N, G, O, T, R, S, W, P)

I’m Thinking of ___ Word Clue Game: *Hooray, a Piñata!*, picture cards: lightning bolt, pinata, leash, dog biscuit, merry-go-round

“Five Juicy Apples”: poem, poetry poster

Interesting-Sounding Words: *Dandelion*

“Come On and Join In the Game”: song lyrics

“Head, Shoulders, Knees, and Toes”: song lyrics

“The Wheels on the Bus”: song lyrics

First Sound Matching - Story Characters’ and Children’s Names: *A Letter to Amy, Matthew and Tilly, Hooray, a Piñata!*

Can You Think of Words that Begin with the Same Sound as ___?: *Hush!*

“The More We Get Together”: song lyrics

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Celebration Expectations:

- all unit books (specifically the two listed below)
- *The Little Red Hen (Makes a Pizza)*
- *Hooray, a Piñata!*
- chart paper
- markers

Celebration Invitations:

- all unit books (specifically the two listed below)
- *A Letter to Amy*
- *Dandelion*
- chart paper
- markers
- envelopes
- samples of stationery made by children in Creative Arts
- real invitations

Celebration Jobs and Tasks:

- all unit books (specifically the two listed below)
- *The Little Red Hen (Makes a Pizza)*
- *Hooray, a Piñata!*
- chart paper
- markers

Problem Stories

Materials: Block People (*Set Up for Success*)

Math Components

Materials

Hands-on Math Center	<p>Shape Flip Book:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• see <i>Building Blocks</i> Teacher's Resource Guide <p>Is It or Is It Not?:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• shape sets <p>Match Shape Sets:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• shape sets <p>Rectangles and Boxes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• rectangular boxes (some with square bottoms)• large paper <p>Compare Game:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• counting cards
Small Group	<p>Is It or Is It Not?:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• shape sets <p>Memory Geometry</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• see <i>Building Blocks</i> Teacher's Resource Guide
Large Group	<p>Shape Flip Book</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• see <i>Building Blocks</i> Teacher's Resource Guide <p>Three Straight Sides:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• see <i>Building Blocks</i> Teacher Edition <p>Listen and Count:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• counting book, coffee can, and marbles <p>Is It or Not?:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• shape sets• musical triangle <p>Rectangles and Boxes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• rectangular boxes (some with square bottoms), large paper <p>Number Jump:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• numeral cards
Literature Connections	<p><i>Brown Rabbit's Shape Book</i> by Alan Baker</p> <p><i>Bear in a Square</i> by Stella Blackstone</p> <p><i>Up Goes the Skyscraper!</i> by Gail Gibbons</p> <p><i>Into the Sky</i> by Ryan Ann Hunter</p>