

Week Of: _____

Theme/Project: Balls, Balls, Balls!

Classroom: Toddlers

Teacher: _____

<p style="text-align: center;">Blocks</p> <p>Add small balls for rolling and balancing</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Dramatic Play</p> <p>Add sports equipment and jerseys</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Manipulatives/Toys/Games</p> <p>Add balls for bouncing</p> <p>Add balls and pins (empty plastic soda bottles) for bowling</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Ideas for Extension</p> <p>Introduce the concept of Kick ball</p> <p>Create a graph of each child favorite ball to play with</p> <p>Visit a local library to look for books about sports topics</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Art</p> <p>Add balls and paint for stamping and rolling</p> <p>Add shallow trays and golf balls</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Library</p> <p>Add home made book with pictures of children playing with balls</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Science/Discovery</p> <p>Mixing and Baking round biscuits</p> <p>Bubble Play</p>	
<p style="text-align: center;">Sensory Play</p> <p>Add balls of various sizes and weights to water table (make sure they are not too small)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Music/Movement</p> <p>Bouncing and rolling balls</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Outside</p> <p>Add a large bin of various sized balls</p> <p>Add a ball on a string, tied to a tree for children to swing at</p>	
<p style="text-align: center;">Other</p> <p>Younger children can roll a ball back and forth</p> <p>Match several balls by size, shape, color, etc.</p>		<p style="text-align: center;">Family/Community Involvement</p> <p>Visit a local basketball game or host your own "ball" event</p>	