

FALL SEASON A SCIENCE UNIT

Make learning
about the season
of fall more fun!



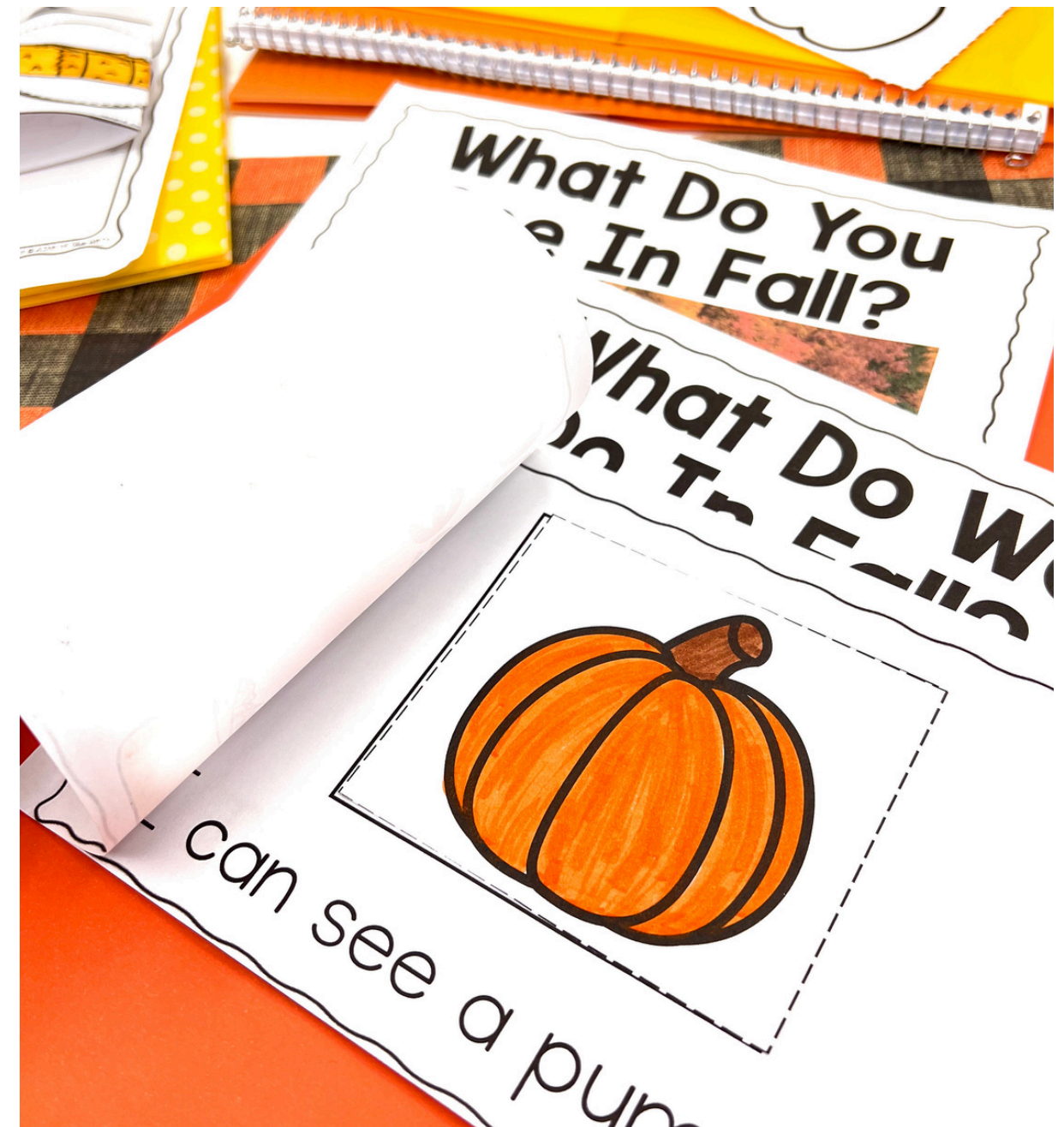
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peek
inside

KINDER 30 activities

Here is what is included:

- ✔ Week-long lesson plans
- ✔ PowerPoints and printable posters
- ✔ Teacher resources to make instruction easier
- ✔ Hands-on activities to engage students
- ✔ Fall worksheets, sorts, and crafts
- ✔ Fall emergent and interactive readers
- ✔ Bonus “Animals in Fall” resources
...and SO much more!

Here is a Sneak Peak:



Engage your students in hands-on learning and exploration all about the season of fall!

Take a Closer Look:



trees powerpoint



fall tree craft



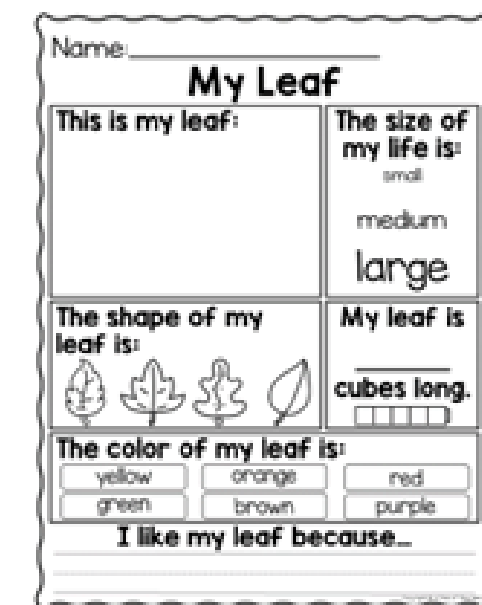
animals powerpoint



animals worksheets



review craftivity



leaf investigation

Take a Closer Look:

FALL science

MATERIALS needed

- Fall books (see list)
- Construction paper
- Copy Paper
- Scissors
- Glue
- Coloring Tools
- Leaves
- Pencils
- Shaper

M Monday

FALL INTRODUCTION

- Read a nonfiction fall book
- Introduce the season of fall by completing the Fall PowerPoint
- Make an anchor chart for "In the Fall I see," and have kids tell you things they can add
- Go on a fall scavenger hunt and collect as many fall items as possible from the worksheet
- Add any new items to the anchor chart
- Complete "In the Fall I See" Hat
- Each Day please see our selection of fall songs, books, and videos!

T Tuesday

WHAT YOU WEAR AND DO IN THE FALL

- Read a nonfiction fall book
- Complete What I Wear and Do in the Fall PowerPoint
- Complete sort as a class
- Complete What We Wear and Do in the Fall Worksheet

W Wednesday

TREES IN THE FALL

- Read a nonfiction fall book
- Complete the "Trees through the Seasons" PowerPoint
- Complete Fall tree craft

Th Thursday

ANIMALS IN THE FALL

- Read a nonfiction fall book
- Complete Animals in the Fall PowerPoint
- Complete Animals in the Fall Worksheet

F Friday

FALL INVESTIGATION

- Read a nonfiction fall book
- As a class, discuss the different leaves students brought in
- Complete Leaf Investigation Worksheet
- Optional: students make something out of their leaf on paper or do leaf rubbings
- Optional: Complete Fall review craft

lesson plans

science: FALL

Dear Families,

We are learning all about the season of fall in our classroom this week. We are studying what fall is like and what we do, see, and wear in the fall, using real-life connections.

At-Home Activity:

To learn about the season of fall at home, discuss what fall is like where we live. Look outside the window and make a list of things you see during fall outside your home. Make a drawing or list of things that you personally like to do in fall. If you don't live somewhere with foliage, look up "Fall foliage" videos on YouTube and discuss what you observe about the trees.



at-home letter

TEACHER GUIDE for FALL

WHAT IS A SEASON?

- A season is a part of the year that is distinguished by climate conditions.
- There are four seasons: winter, spring, summer, and fall.
- Each season has different light, temperature, and weather.

WHY DO SEASONS OCCUR?

- Day and night are caused because earth spins on its axis. While the earth is spinning on its axis, it also orbits the sun. The earth is split into two hemispheres, the Northern hemisphere and the Southern hemisphere. Whichever hemisphere is pointed towards the sun experiences more hours of daylight. Whichever hemisphere is pointed away from the sun experiences less hours of daylight.
- In June, the Northern hemisphere is tilted toward the sun, the days are long, and summer begins. In December, the Northern hemisphere is tilted away from the sun, with less hours of daylight, causing winter to begin.
- The seasons in the Northern hemisphere are the opposite of those in the Southern hemisphere.
- Places near the equator or near the earth's poles do not experience a lot of variation in the seasons.

known as autumn. Fall comes after summer and winter.

on the autumnal equinox, when the hours of light are equal to the hours of darkness.

in the Northern hemisphere, fall begins on September 21, and in the Southern hemisphere, it falls on March 21.

temperature starts to get colder as it gets later in the fall.

As a time of change, the leaves on the trees turn colors and eventually fall to the ground to prepare for winter, growing thick to protect themselves. Some animals will start to migrate somewhere warmer before winter starts.

Some animals are harvested in fall, including pumpkins, playing outdoor sports in fall, as well as outdoor activities like hiking and raking.

People start to dress warmer in fall, with sweaters, jackets, and scarves.

Some holidays are celebrated in fall including Rosh Hashanah, Dia de los Muertos, and Thanksgiving.

W?

When the leaves change color in the fall, they are becoming green and hide their color.

in the summer, the chlorophyll causes the leaves to be green. They love to pick them, and decorate them.

teacher guide

SCIENCE CENTER for FALL

GETTING STARTED

Fill your center with lots of fun materials that your kids can use to investigate and explore fall. Don't forget to include some books and vocabulary cards.

SHARING TIME

- Have the students who went to the science center that day tell the class what they discovered or observed and any questions they may have. We have a list of open-ended questions in this unit.
- If a child makes an exciting discovery in the science center, you can ask classmates to join you near the science center so your little scientist can share their findings and enthusiasm in just a short minute or two.
- Use a sign or chant that designates it is time for the kids to congratulate the scientist and return to their center. It can be as simple as a flat bump, high five, thumbs up, or a saying like, "Good Job, Good Job, Hey!"
- Your student's enthusiasm in the science center will entice others to go there tomorrow.

science center

QUESTIONS TO ASK for FALL

SCIENCE talk

- What is the weather like in fall where you live?
- What months are part of fall where you live?
- Why do you think we have seasons?
- What do you like about fall?
- What do you dislike about fall?
- What do you wear during the fall?
- What holidays do you celebrate in fall?
- What types of things do you do in fall? Can you draw a picture of one?
- What does outside your window look like in fall? Can you draw a picture of it?
- What do trees look like in fall?

How would you know _____?
Why do you think that _____?
What else might have caused _____?
How can you explain your findings? Recall in your own words.
How was it different than _____?
How will you know if _____?
Do you think you could _____?
How did you decide _____?
Can you tell me about that?
How does that work?
Can you draw me a picture of your findings?
What will happen if _____?
What do you think is most important?
What happened when _____?
What would you change if _____?
How is this similar to something else you know?
Can you think of another way _____?
Create a new solution.
How would you handle this problem/challenge/question?

science questions

FALL BOOKS

To help with the planning of your Fall Unit, we have curated a list of our Favorite Fall BOOKS.

Click anywhere on the page to be taken to our Amazon Favorites.



FALL VIDEOS

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FALL SONGS

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resource lists

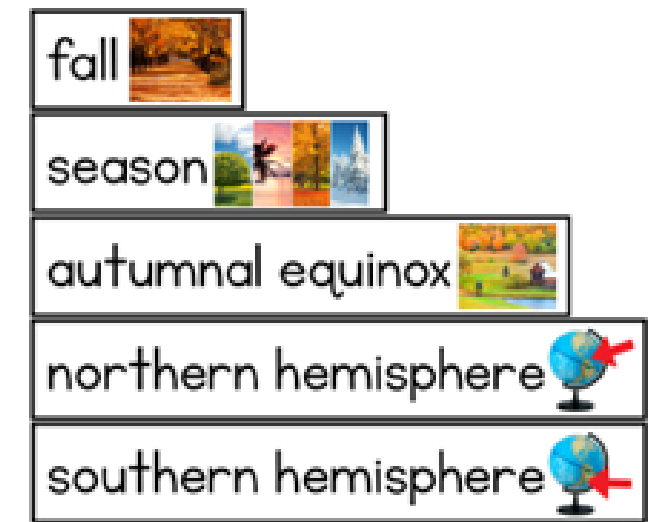
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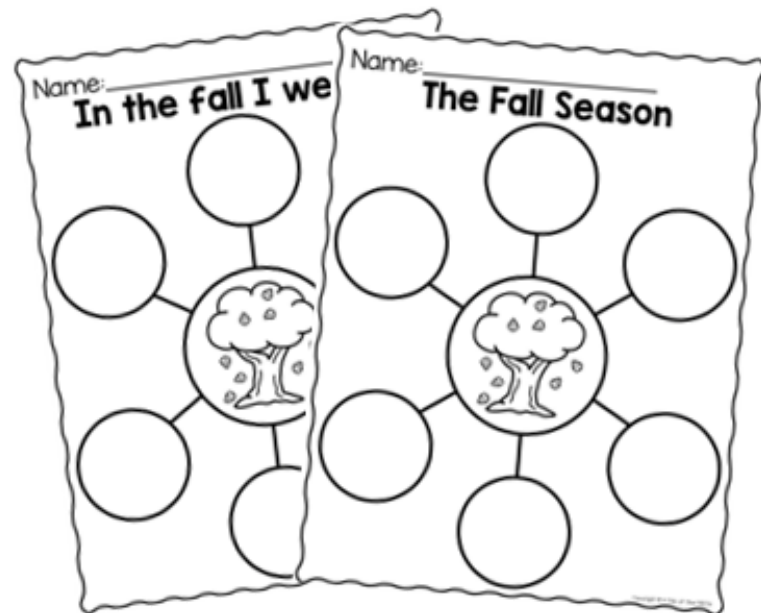
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definition posters



word wall



circle maps



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weekly question

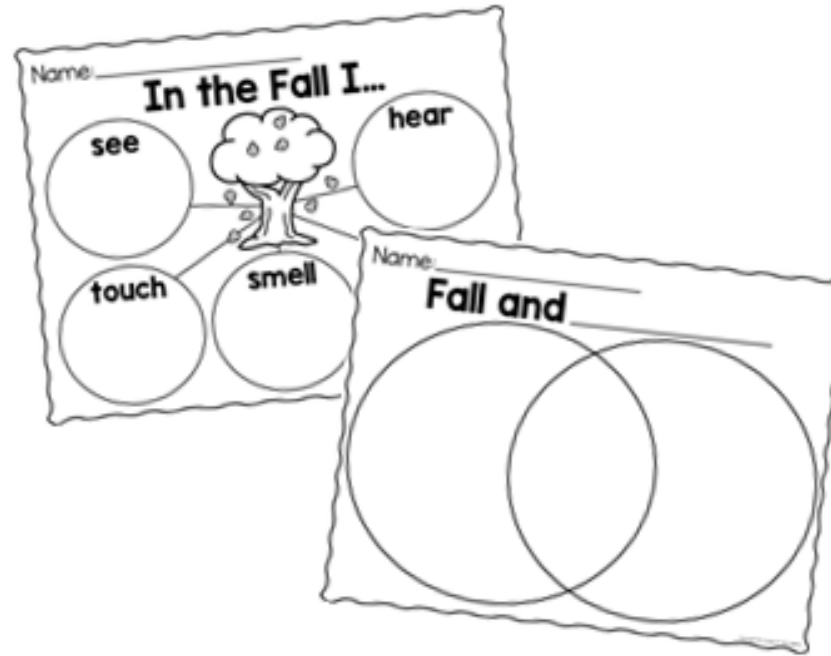


leaves reader

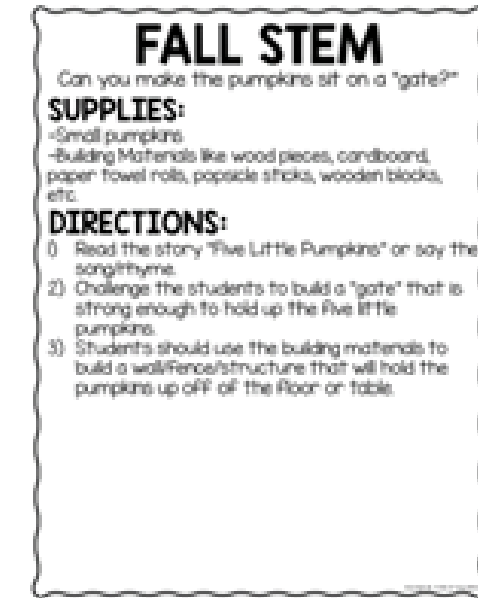
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do in fall reader



graphic organizers



STEM activity



sequencing



bingo game



fingerplay

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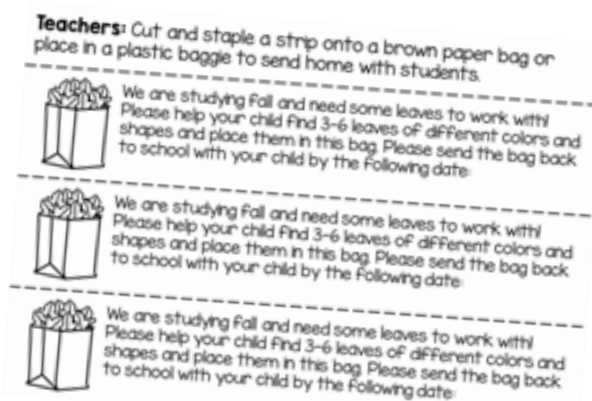
see in fall reader



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STEM & sensory bin



leaf bag



draw & write



and so much more!

Why Teachers LOVE it:



OPTIONS

- ✓ Variations for differentiating
- ✓ Printables in color and B&W



EASY TO USE

- ✓ Teacher Guide
- ✓ Lesson Plans
- ✓ Cross-curricular activities



ENGAGING

- ✓ Real Pictures
- ✓ Fun Crafts
- ✓ Hands-on Activities



What Teachers Are Saying



“A great resource for teaching about fall. I loved the topics and coordinating book suggestions. It was easy to implement and fun too.”



“This was a great resource to introduce fall vocab. The pictures were engaging and a great resource for my ELLs to build comprehension...”



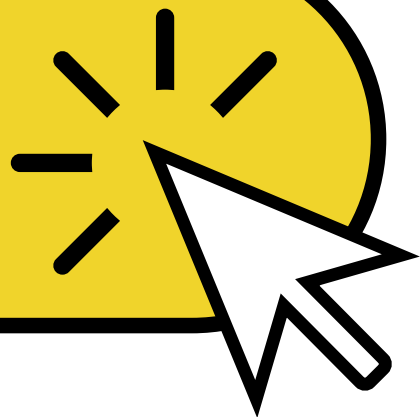
“I was specifically looking for a fall unit that discussed the autumn equinox in terms kindergarteners could understand. This is a great unit!”



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