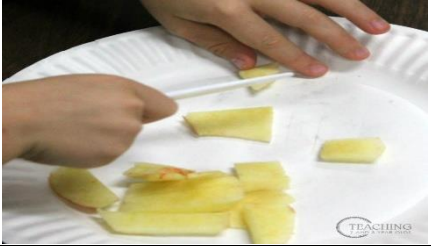
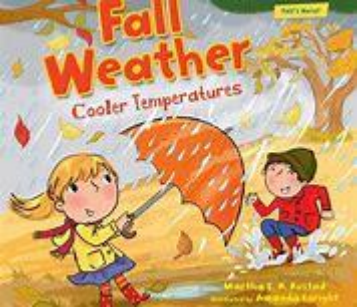


STANDARDS	ACTIVITY	HOME EXTENSION
<p><b>I. Physical Development B. MOTOR DEVELOPMENT C.</b> Fine Motor Development 2. Increasingly coordinates hand and eye movements to perform a variety of actions with increasing precision Benchmark a. Uses hand-eye coordination to manipulate objects and materials (e.g., completing large-piece puzzles or threading beads with large holes, begins to use scissors) <b>Mathematical Thinking F. MEASUREMENT AND DATA 1.</b> Uses size words to label objects 3. Measures object attributes using a variety of standard and nonstandard tools with adult guidance 4. Participates in group sorting and data collection.</p>	<p>This week the children will make applesauce by taking turns cutting apples and adding the ingredients to the crockpot. After nap we will serve the apple sauce at snack and discuss and chart the results of who likes the homemade applesauce or store bought more.</p> 	<p>Have your child help prep for the Thanksgiving meal this week by letting them help cut the vegetables using a butter knife or a nylon child safe knife. Doing activities such as this helps them build hand and finger strength along with fine motor skills to prepare them to write.</p>
<p><b>Social Studies: Standards: VII. Social Studies 2.</b> Explores changes that take place over time in the immediate environment.</p>	<p>During this unit we have been discussing changes in the weather and changes in our pumpkin Jack experiment that we started at the beginning of the unit, to explore changes that take place overtime in their immediate environment.</p> 	<p>This is a great time of year to discuss changes with your child, with the changing of the seasons and the holidays coming up.</p>
<p><b>VIII. Creative Expression Through the Arts B. MUSIC 1.</b> Engages in a variety of individual and group musical activities with more coordinated intention 2. Begins to express and represent thought, observations, imagination, feelings, experiences, and knowledge in individual and group music activities (e.g., singing, trying musical instruments or marching)</p>	<p>To engage in a variety of individual and group music activities and to explore creative expression through the arts we have added musical instruments outside for them to play along with music.</p>	<p>To let your child engage in a variety of individual and group music activities and explore creative expression through the arts create music instruments out of what you have from home and create music together as a family during the holidays coming up.</p> 