

## Farm to Summer Week

**June 24 – 28, 2024**

### Pre-K Activities

Monday, June 24	Tuesday, June 25	Wednesday, June 26	Thursday, June 27	Friday, June 28
<b>What is Farm to Summer?</b>	<b>Gardening &amp; Physical Activity</b>	<b>Cooking &amp; Tasting</b>	<b>Locally Grown in Meals &amp; Snacks</b>	<b>Literacy, Music &amp; Movement</b>
<p style="text-align: center;"><a href="#"><u>Farm Babies</u></a></p> <p>Watch the video with your children. Talk about the animals in the video. See if they can recall the names of the mother, father, and baby animals.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><a href="#"><u>Make Mud</u></a></p> <p>Go outside and put about a cup of dirt in a plastic resealable bag. Add a little water to make mud and close the bag. Lay the bag down and have your child use her finger to write letters or numbers in the mud.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><a href="#"><u>Eating the Alphabet</u></a></p> <p>Help your children label different foods at your child care site with the first letter of the food by having them write the letter on a piece of paper or sticky note to place on the food item.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><a href="#"><u>Fruit and Veggie Sort</u></a></p> <p>Use fruits and vegetables you have at your site (real, canned, play food, or pictures). Instruct the children to put the fruit in a group and veggies in a group. How many are in each group? Which group has more/less? Discuss other ways the food could be sorted.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><a href="#"><u>Garden Yoga with CALi</u></a></p> <p>Click on the link to practice garden yoga poses with CALi.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><a href="#"><u>All Around the Farm</u></a></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><a href="#"><u>Good Morning, Farm Animals!</u></a></p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><a href="#"><u>Down on Grandpa’s Farm</u></a></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><a href="#"><u>I Can Move My Body Like Anything</u></a></p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><a href="#"><u>Purple Stew</u></a></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><a href="#"><u>The Animals On The Farm</u></a></p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><a href="#"><u>Cock-a-Doodle-Dooooo</u></a></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><a href="#"><u>Food on the Farm Dance</u></a></p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><a href="#"><u>Go Bananas</u></a></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><a href="#"><u>Happy Dance</u></a></p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><a href="#"><u>Farm Animals and Their Sounds</u></a></p> <p>Children will LOVE the sounds the farm animals make as they go behind the barn doors to meet typical animals found on a farm. After watching the video, have the children close their eyes or turn away from the screen and play the video again. Ask the children to identify which animal makes the sound they hear.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><a href="#"><u>Lola Plants a Garden</u></a></p> <p>Ask your children to draw a picture of a garden. Say, “Tell me about your garden? What would you grow in your garden?”. Write their responses, saying the words as you write them.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><a href="#"><u>Let’s Plan a Meal</u></a></p> <p>Ask the children to help you plan, serve, and eat a colorful meal. Discuss the types of plants the food items came from before it was available in the store for purchase.</p> <p>*Help the children incorporate the June <a href="#"><u>Harvest of the Month</u></a> features eggplant and tomatoes.*</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><a href="#"><u>Plants Feed Me</u></a></p> <p>After listening to the book, ask your children to name the plants they eat. Together, make a list of the plants (or plant products) you have in your site to eat.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><a href="#"><u>Up, Down, and Around Gardening Book</u></a></p> <p>Ask the children to move with you like the plants do in the book. Replay the story, listening for the position words as you move together, “up, down, and around.”</p>

*Post pictures of you and your children participating in Farm to Summer Week activities using #GAFarmtoSummer*

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