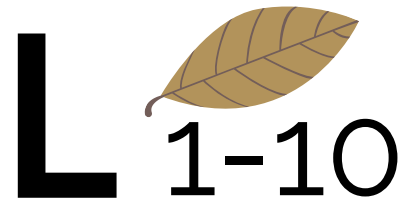


# Preschool Weekly Focus

COLOR: neutrals  
SHAPE: leaf  
NUMBER: 1-10



## LEAVES & TREES



- Letter: trace, write, recognize, practice sound, sound hunt
- Number: trace, write, recognize, count
- Talk about what to do if you are lost
- Lacing activity
- Tally marks
- [www.starfall.com](http://www.starfall.com)

### BOOKS

- Leo the Late Bloomer (Kraus)
- Library Lion (Knudsen)
- Red Leaf Yellow Leaf (Ehlert)
- Llama Llama books (Dewdney)
- The Little Island (Brown)
- Trees Leaves and Bark (Burns)

### SNACKS & FOOD

- lasagna
- lemonade
- lentils
- lime jello
- linguini

### FIELD TRIPS

- arboretum or forest
- lake
- lavender field
- library
- lighthouse

### ARTS & CRAFTS

- Draw a tree trunk on paper. Cut up a kitchen sponge into small squares and clip them on to clothespins. Let your child sponge paint different colored leaves onto the tree.
- Leaf rubbings. Collect leaves and place bottom side up on a hard surface. Place paper over top of leaves and gently rub a crayon across the surface to reveal the leaf pattern.
- Letter L lion craft ([ahappilyevercrafter.blogspot.com/2013/10/crafting-our-way-through-alphabet.html](http://ahappilyevercrafter.blogspot.com/2013/10/crafting-our-way-through-alphabet.html))



### GAMES & ACTIVITIES

- long jump, lunges, leapfrog
- Lite Brite
- talk about the parts of trees (Head Shoulders Knees and Toes for Trees: YouTube-Mr.R's Songs for Teaching)
- practice drawing straight lines with pencil, crayon, paint, or outside with chalk (draw 10 lines and count them, make the letter L, or make shapes with straight lines)

### MORE WEEKLY FOCUS IDEAS

- make a list together (a list of favorite colors, foods, or sounds, a list of family chores, or a bucket list of fun activities to try)
- any Picture Dictionary book - L words
- use neutral colors to practice drawing & coloring leaves