



Letter of the week "Yy"

Weekly Lessons & Activities

Monday: Complete the "Art food sensory" letter activity; let your child finger paint with yogurt on the letter Yy printable sheet

Tuesday: Complete the letter Yy activity

Wednesday: Read the eStorybook letter Yy with/to your child

Thursday: Explore letter Yy objects

Friday: Complete the letter Yy word list and tracer page

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Extension Activities and Resources

Assessment Rubric: At the end of every letter unit. For parents to keep track of their child's learning for each activity completed. This is an easy way to manage the skills they have mastered, and those they need to continue to work on with their parent.

Music: Letter Yy Song & Rhyme (for music and movement)

Infant Activity: Letter Yy exploration to build sensory development in infants.

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Monday: Complete the "Art food sensory" letter activity; let your child finger paint with yogurt on the letter Yy printable sheet

[Print letter Yy sheet](#)

Milestones:

Child builds fine-motor skills through finger painting

Child builds language and letter awareness

Child explores through textile learning



Y is for Yogurt.

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Tuesday: Complete the letter Yy activity

Activity Procedures:

Using a Styrofoam cup and about 1 foot long piece of Yarn, make a pre-made hole in the bottom of the cup. Help your child push and pull the string through the hole. You put it in and have them pull it out, then vice-versa. Next, cut up a bunch of different pieces of yarn (about 1 - 6 inches in length), and let your child glue the yarn (creating art freely) on a white sheet of paper.

Milestones:

The child builds fine-motor and hand-eye coordination skills through pushing and pulling a piece of yarn through a hole.

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Wednesday: Read the eStorybook letter Yy with/to your child

* Print and read it to your child, OR have your child sit in your lap and read it with you from the computer screen

Letter "Yy" eStorybook
(print link on website)

Milestones:

Child builds early reading readiness through storytelling and picture-word association

Child builds language and letter awareness

Child builds listening skills

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Thursday: Explore letter Yy objects.

How to Teach: Discuss each of these objects in detail, describing them to your child, saying the name of it and asking your child to tell you what letter it starts with.

[Objects List](#)

Milestones:

Child uses senses to explore "Yy" objects

Child builds comprehension skills

Child builds letter-sound awareness through words that begin with that letter

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You can choose any or all of the objects listed below to explore and teach your child. If you have other objects around your home that begin with the letter Yy, use them to explore and teach your child with.

Objects List:

Yarn

Yam (open up a can to show)

Yo-yo's

Yolk (break an egg to show)

Yogurt

Yard stick

Yard (go outside and play)

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Friday: Complete the letter Yy word list and tracer page.

[Tracer Page Printable](#)

[Word List](#)

Milestones:

Child builds early reading readiness through word recognition and beginning letters

The child builds fine-motor skills through tracing letters

The child begins to recognize letter Yy

Y y Y y Y y

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Go through this word list with your child. Write out each of the words individually on strips of white paper.

How to Teach: Spell out each word together, point to the letters as you do so (have child point with you), and after it is spelled out, have child repeat and say the full word out loud. You can draw a small picture of the larger words (nouns) next to the word written out to help with reading skills and recognition.

Word List:

yes

yarn

yet

yawn

yell

your

you

yard

Assessment Rubric:

Fill out after completion of each daily lesson. Check the box that is accurate to the learning of your child for each activity. If you checked "some" or "no" understanding; you **must** revisit those concepts with your child at another time for learning to occur and "full understanding" to be mastered.

Activity:	Food Sensory Art	Letter Activity	eStorybook	Objects list	Word list & Tracer pages
Child participates					
Child shows no understanding					
Child shows some understanding					
Child shows full understanding					

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Song and Rhyme

(Sung to the tune of "If you're Happy and you know it")

Have your child sing and do the action word that is underlined.

If you love the letter Y then yell.

If you love the letter Y then yell.

If you love the letter Y then yell out loud

If you love the letter Y then yell.

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Infant Activity

Materials needed:

Yogurt (any flavor or kind) *DO NOT DO IF YOUR CHILD IS ALLERGIC TO YOGURT OR DAIRY PRODUCTS*

What to teach:

Sit your infant in their highchair and wearing only a diaper, for this activity will get messy! Place a few spoonful's of yogurt on the tray. Model and show to your infant what to do, touching the yogurt smearing it around the tray with your fingers. Grab their hands and help them touch and "paint" the tray as necessary. Encourage them to do on own.

Milestones to meet:

Texture learning

Sensory discovery

Fine-motor development