

Brandon Valley School District

District Learning Plan

May 18-22, 2020

Last Week of School!

Early Childhood

Monday




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STEM DAY

GRADE: EC

DATE: Monday, May 18, 2020

<p>What do students need to do?</p> <p><u>Link to BV STEM DAY instructional video for week of May 18-22, 2020</u></p>	<p>STEM Day</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Read or listen to “Dreaming Up” by Christy Hale to spark interest on building up using a variety of materials (PDF attached). https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=WvVILpzYfs0 • Using materials around the house (legos, blocks, plastic cups, deck of cards, toilet paper rolls, etc.) have students practice building up. • Have students choose a material and build up as far as they can (think of a tall tower). Then have them measure their structure using pipe cleaners. • Challenge students to build up a 2nd time using a different material to see if they can build a structure even taller. Use the pipe cleaners to measure again. • Discuss which structure was taller and maybe why they think that is.
<p>What do students need to bring back to school?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Students are not required to submit evidence of completion; however, they may submit participation photos or short videos to their teachers. • Please feel free to share a video of your child building up by clicking on the following link or scanning the barcode. https://flipgrid.com/e8a75a3f  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Students should submit (to their respective teacher) any required 4th quarter distance learning assignments not previously turned in.
<p>What standards do the lessons cover?</p>	<p>Goal CD-9: As a result of their explorations and participation in simple investigations through play, children demonstrate their ability to use scientific inquiry by observing, manipulating objects, asking questions, making predictions, and developing generalizations.</p>
<p>What materials do students need? What extra resources can students use?</p>	<p>Need:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • “Dreaming Up” story (attached) • Materials around the house for building a tall structure (legos, blocks, plastic cups, deck of cards, toilet paper rolls, etc.) • Pipe cleaners for measuring (could also use a pencil, marker, or other item to measure).
<p>What can students do if they finish early?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Try to use the same materials to build up, but use the materials in a different way. • Find another material to try to build an even taller structure. Measure to find out!
<p>Who can we contact if we have questions?</p>	<p>Lisa Johnson- lisa.johnson@k12.sd.us Allison Rasmussen- allison.rasmussen@k12.sd.us Kris Sellers- kristine.sellers@k12.sd.us Morgan Bitton- morgan.bitton@k12.us</p>

Notes: (OPTIONAL) Super Hero Day - Dress in honor of all the front-line workers and your parents and guardians who are rocking it as co-distance learning educators! #BVlynxdistancelearners	

Instructional materials are posted below (if applicable)

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