



STEAM MAY LESSON PLANS

Teachers: Mrs. Carlberg and Mrs. Jacobs

	5/5 Bugs	5/12 Ocean
WELCOME CIRCLE/STORY	Weather/Welcome Song, <i>Bug Safari</i> by Bob Barner	Weather/Welcome Song, Share favorite STEAM toy, <i>Commotion in the Ocean</i> by Giles Andreae
SMALL GROUP	Build a bug with loose parts challenge	Make ocean slime
STEAM CHALLENGE	Build a wiggle bot bug with a pool noodle and other supplies	Use household items and get creative to plan a design a 3D jellyfish
CENTERS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Insect sensory bin</li> <li>*Play dough with cooties pieces</li> <li>*Earthworm coding activity</li> <li>*Bug or not sorting tray</li> <li>*Bug measurement with unifix cubes</li> <li>*Bug in the kitchen maze</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>*Art: Ocean salt painting</li> <li>*Ocean sensory bin</li> <li>*Ocean animal memory game</li> <li>*Dress for the beach center</li> </ul>
GROSS MOTOR	Insect action cards	Ocean action cards
CLOSING	<i>There Was an Old Lady Who Swallowed a Fly</i> by Simms Taback	How do fish breathe? activity
<p>SPIRITUAL: Lord, thank you for a new day. Please go before me and clear the way. Thank you for protecting me. Thank you for guiding me. Thank you for loving me. In Jesus name, Amen.</p>		