



UNIT 5: Ramps and Rolling, WEEK 1: Rolling and Sliding

	Day 1	Day 2	Day 3	Day 4	Day 5
Sing Together	“I Have a Good Friend” #1 (name recognition)	“I Have a Good Friend” #2 (name recognition) “Good-bye to You” (departure song)	“The More We Get Together” #1 (name recognition; opposites)	“The More We Get Together” #2 (name recognition)	“The More We Get Together” #3 (name recognition) “Good-bye to You” (departure song)
Talk Together	Sliding Experiences (prior knowledge) Roller Coaster Ride (gross motor skills)	Introduce Ramps (discuss ramps)	Move Down the Ramp (discuss objects that roll and slide)	Introduce Sliding (discuss sliding motion)	Ramp Review (review ramp explorations)
Explore Together	Down the Slide (outdoors) (observe rolling objects)	Ramps All Around (outdoors) (explore indoor ramps)	Indoor Ramp Rolling (indoors) (explore objects that roll and slide) Small Group: Ramp Races (race objects down ramps)	Build Ramps (indoors) (explore ramps)	Free Ramp Exploration (outdoors) (review ramp exploration) Small Group: Ramp Drawings (record observations)
Read Together	<i>Roller Coaster #1</i> (read aloud)		<i>Mama Zooms #1</i> (read aloud)	<i>Mama Zooms #2</i> (read aloud)	Educator’s Choice, Unit 5, Week 1 (read aloud)
Watch Together		“Roller Coaster” #1 (BTL show) (active viewing)			“Roller Coaster” #2 (BTL show) (active viewing)
Recite Together	“Feelings” (identify emotions) “The Slide” (small motor skills)		“Over, Under, Around, and Through” (introduce and act out prepositions)	“Zoom, Zoom, Zoom” (beginning sound /z/; gross motor skills)	“Down the Ramp” (small motor skills)
Draw and Write Together		We Did It! (early writing skills)			“How It Moves” Chart (chart objects that roll and slide)
Play Together				“Quack’s Apples” #1 (PEEP game)	
Learn About Letters, Sounds, and Words Together	Target Letter (“Zz”) and Word (<i>zoom</i>) (letter and word recognition) Similar Word Meanings (identify similar word meanings)	Beginning Sound (/z/) (beginning sound /z/) Word Play: Zigzag Dance (letter recognition)	Word Play: A Guess My Word (/r/) (beginning sound /r/) “Words Beginning with ‘z’” (BTL clip) (beginning sound /z/)	Bag of Sounds (/r/) (beginning sound /r/) Word Play: Word Parts (introduce word parts)	“Word Morph: zero-zebra-zinnia” (BTL clip) (letter recognition) Word Play: Rhyming Game (<i>zip</i>) (generate rhyme words) Shape and Decorate Letters (“Zz”) (letter recognition)

Vocabulary	dip, dive, down, fast, faster, feeling, ramp, roll, roller coaster, slant, slide (n., v.), slow, slower, up, zip, zoom	dip, dive, down, fast, faster, inclined plane, move, ramp, roll, roller coaster, slant, slide (n., v.), slow, slower, up, zigzag, zoom	alone, around, down, fast, faster, over, ramp, roll, slant, slide (n., v.), through, together, under, up, zoom	down, fast, faster, inclined plane, move, ramp, roll, slant, slide (n., v.), slow, up, zoom	down, fast, faster, move, ramp, roll, roller coaster, slant, slide (v.), slow, zinnia, zip, zoom
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