

Dear Parents and Educators,

These lesson plans are designed as follow up activities based on a Valentine's Day theme. Feel free to expand on the lessons, and be creative! Remember, the point of doing a lesson is to convey information in a way that will help your children/students understand and retain the material presented.

Lesson #1

Objective:

Understanding Valentine's Day

Materials needed:

Valentine's Day book, pictures of family, and pictures of friends.

Procedure:

Read the Valentine's Day book. Then, look at pictures of friends and family. Who would you send a Valentine to? Why or why not?

Follow-up:

Have the students make a list of who they gave valentines to. Who was similar? Who was different? Compare and contrast your lists.

Lesson #2

Objective:

Learning about Valentine's Day symbols

Materials needed:

Valentine's Day book, Valentine cards, store circulars and old valentines.

Procedure:

Read the Valentine's Day book. Pass out store circulars. Have your students look to see what symbols of Valentine's Day they see in the store circulars. What pictures do you see? How many different pictures of Cupid can you find?

Follow up:

Have the students to a neighborhood walk. What other symbols of Valentine's Day that the students see? Using experience chart write down what your students saw.