

Letter of the Week

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Daily Resources

Use these resources to support your discussions and activities!

Books	<i>Green: Seeing Green All Around Us</i> by Sarah Schuette <i>Green</i> by Laura Vaccaro Seeger <i>Green Eggs and Ham</i> by Dr. Seuss <i>Blue Hat, Green Hat</i> by Sandra Boynton
Songs	10 Green Bottles (bit.ly/1AXTqtp)
Videos	ABCmouse.com "The Letter G Song" https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LCAMvnCx2X8 Storybots "Gimme G" https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5dgZQPn29WM Olive and the Rhyme Rescue Crew – Letter G https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=jVAcO9P3GOs

Activities

Create opportunities for discussion during activities! Encourage child to say the letter often!

Monday	Introduction – "G" While coloring, introduce the letter to your child by drawing "G" and "g." Use phrases like "This is the letter 'G' – it is the seventh letter of the alphabet. It sounds like 'g.' Like green!" Let older children practice tracing and/or writing the letter. My Alphabet Book – G is for Green <i>Supplies:</i> construction paper, glue, Green mosaic printable [attached 1] Let child tear green construction paper into small pieces. Child glues paper onto the printable in whatever pattern he/she likes to create a mosaic. Insert finished picture into the seventh page of <i>My Alphabet Book</i> .
Tuesday	Green G's <i>Supplies:</i> Green construction paper, scissors, glue, Letter G printable [attached 2], green crayons/markers, green paint, green embellishments (glitter, ripped paper, etc.) Let child decorate the letter "G" from the printable however he/she likes using paint, crayons, glitter, etc. Practice saying the letter name and sound. Remind your child, "This is the letter green, green starts with 'G!'" Cut out the "G" and let your child glue it to the construction paper. Hang up to the "G" somewhere where your child will be able to see it throughout the week.
Wednesday	Green Seek-and-Find <i>Supplies:</i> gallon bag/basket/bucket Take a basket, bucket, or gallon-size plastic bag into the backyard or a local park. Have your child point out and collect green items.
Thursday	Playing with Our Food – Green Froot Loop Necklaces <i>Supplies:</i> Fruit Loops, bowls, string Have your child sort Froot Loops by color, pulling out all of the green pieces. Let your child string the green Froot Loops onto a piece of string to create an edible necklace.
Friday	Green Magazine Hunt <i>Supplies:</i> old magazines, scissors, glue, "Green G's" project Help your child flip through old magazines to find pictures of green things. Let your older child cut out the green things they find, or cut out the green finds for your younger child. Have your child glue their green items on the back of their "Green G's" project from the beginning of the week.
Weekend Fun!	Green Bath <i>Supplies:</i> green glow sticks, green toys, green food coloring Have fun with a green bath this weekend! Put a few drops of green food coloring in the bathtub, then throw in some green toys and household items. Have even more fun by making your green bath glow in the dark—just toss some green glow sticks in the bath and turn out the lights!

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