TLOT DRAFT

Stems & Leaves EARLY CHILDHOO weekly overview

Day 1

Lesson A: Coloring Celery Science Lesson B: Stem Investigation **Activity: Sipping Stems (Science)**

Journal Prompt: Draw a picture of a plant with a stem.

Day 2

Lesson A: Up & Down Stems Lesson B: Stems We Eat - Tasting **Activity: Cylinder Hunt (Math)**

Journal Prompt: Draw a picture of a stems

that you can eat.

Day 3

Lesson A: Mystery Touch & Feel Lesson A: Leaf Investigation **Activity: Leaf Prints (Art)**

Journal Prompt: Draw a picture of leaves on a plant.

Day 4

Lesson A: Sink & Float

Lesson B: Leaves we Eat - Tasting **Activity: Leaf Letters (Literacy)**

Journal Prompt: Draw a picture of a leaf you can eat.

Day 5

Lesson A: Tea Tasting

Lesson B: Stems Connect Roots to Leaves

Activity: Garden Kitchen (Nutrition & Fine Motor)

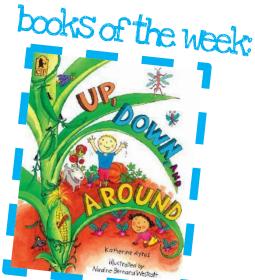
Journal Prompt: Draw a picture of the food

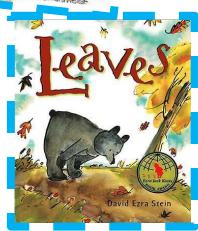
we cooked today.

Grow Gardening Resource: Plant a Featured Crop

Food Exposure: Dilly Spinach Dip with Celery Sticks

Brain & Body Boosting Movement: Red Light, Green Light







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Family Engagement: Send home edible stems (like celery) & leaves (like baby

spinach) to try. Ask families to look for opportunities to eat other edible stems & leaf

vegetables. Ask each family to notice stems and leaves growing around their home!