

The Little Giraffes 2011 Handprint Calendar



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The calendar was updated for 2011
by [A to Z Teacher Stuff](#)

Overview:

Cover – Space for handprint and child to sign name and date under poem
Second Page – Add a photo of the child under the poem

Handprint Art

January – Snowflake

February – Heart

March – Leprechaun

April – Umbrella

May – Tulips

June – Butterfly

July – Fish

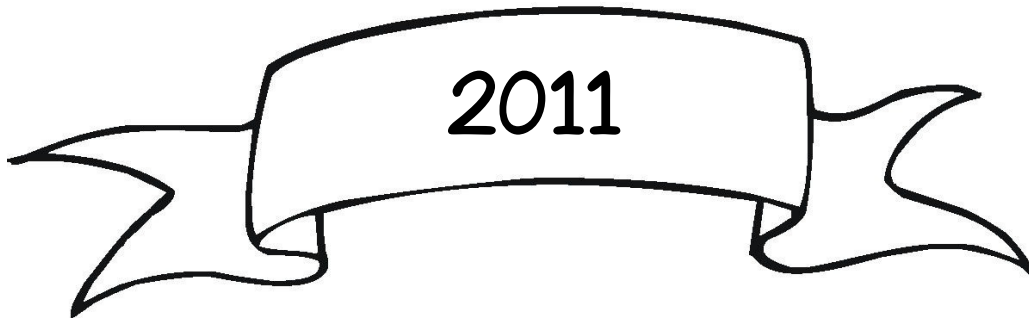
August – Sun

September – Apples

October – Pumpkin/Jack-o-lantern

November – Turkey

December – Santa Claus



I know you wipe some away
But these handprints were made to stay.
So keep them forever, a treasure they'll be.
A special "I Love You" for you from me.

The Hands of A Child

by Amy Ethridge



When you look at the hand what do you see?
There are just some lines most would agree.
But take a closer look this very minute
And notice the treasures that are found within it.
The hand can be so many things,
From tulips to beautiful butterfly wings.
A Santa, an apple, even a heart,
A pumpkin, an umbrella, that's only a start.
The hand can be snowflakes that fall from the sky.
The hand can be a leprechaun trying to hide.
It can be the sunshine to brighten the day.
It can be a fish swimming away.
It can be a turkey strutting along,
Whatever you make it, you can't go wrong.
Just take a little time to look and see,
Where these hands came from,
And you'll surely agree
Your child, the artist, reaching his goal,
Created this for you with body and soul.
Keep it and use it 'till the time has passed.
Then put it away so the memories will last.

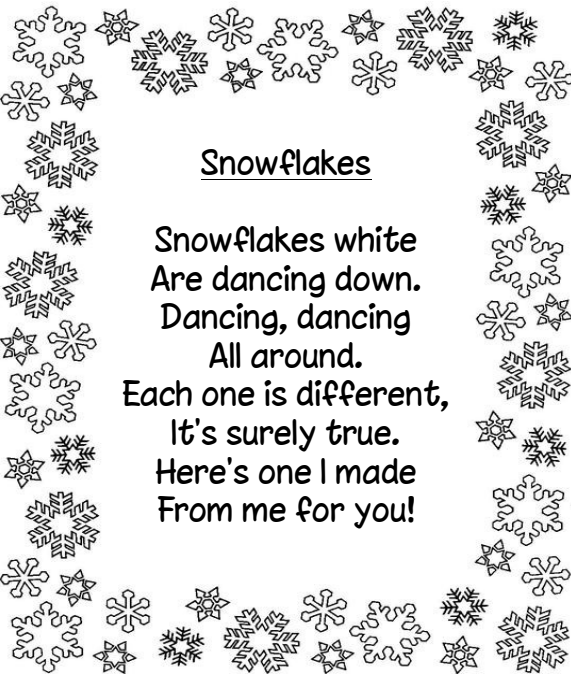
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Snowflakes

Snowflakes white
Are dancing down.
Dancing, dancing
All around.
Each one is different,
It's surely true.
Here's one I made
From me for you!



February



One Red Valentine

One red valentine,
 Two red valentines,
 Three red valentines,
 Four.

I'll snip and cut
 And color and paste,
 And then make
 Twenty more.

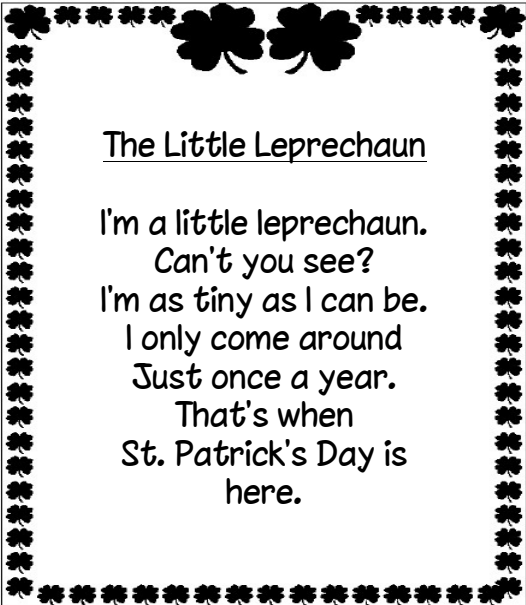


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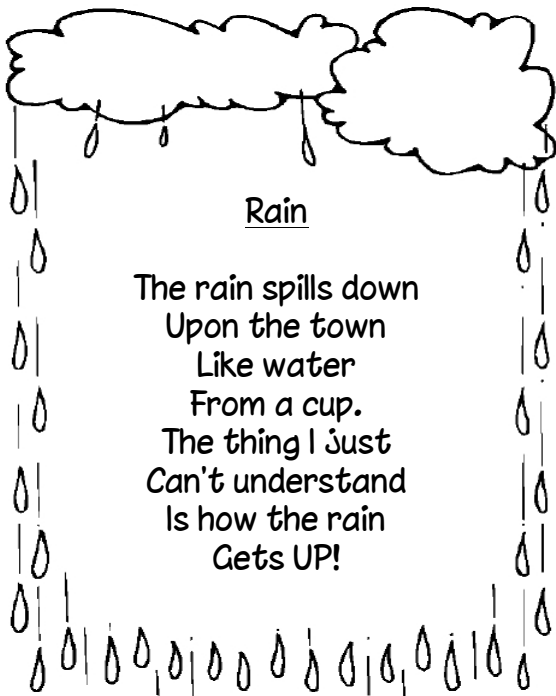
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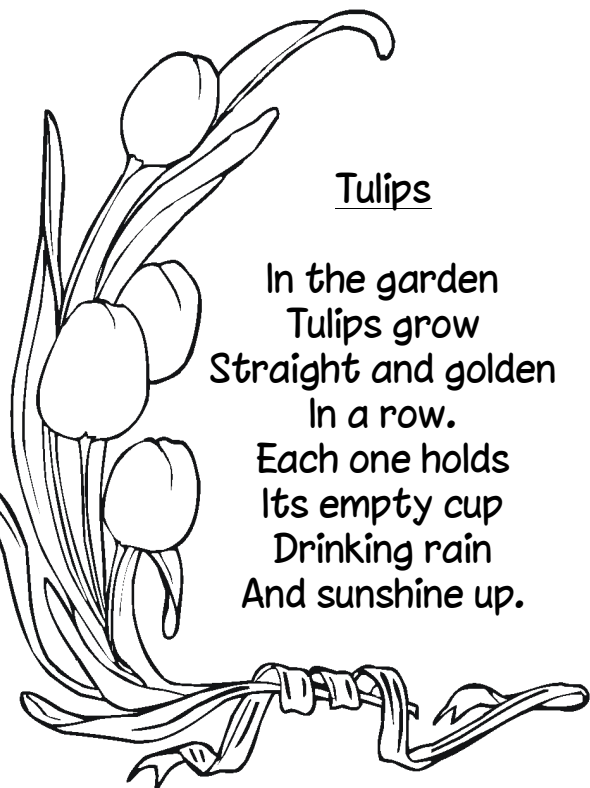
The Little Leprechaun

I'm a little leprechaun.
Can't you see?
I'm as tiny as I can be.
I only come around
Just once a year.
That's when
St. Patrick's Day is
here.

April



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Tulips

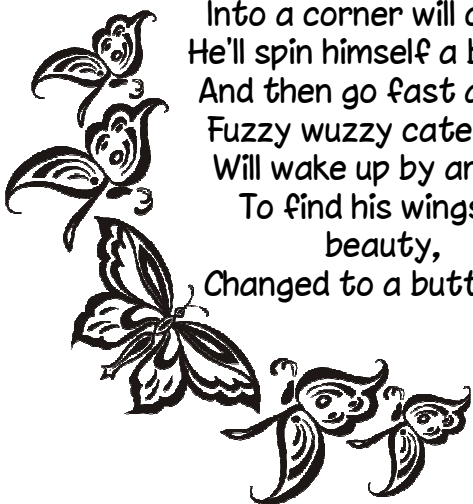
In the garden
Tulips grow
Straight and golden
In a row.
Each one holds
Its empty cup
Drinking rain
And sunshine up.

May

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Fuzzy Wuzzy Caterpillar

Fuzzy wuzzy caterpillar
Into a corner will creep.
He'll spin himself a blanket
And then go fast asleep.
Fuzzy wuzzy caterpillar
Will wake up by and by.
To find his wings of
beauty,
Changed to a butterfly!

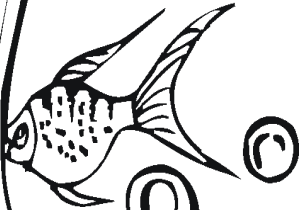


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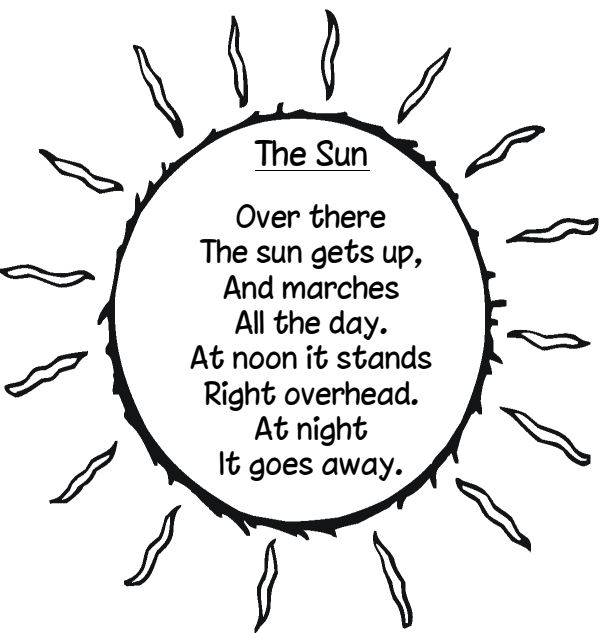
The Fish

I hold my fingers
Like a fish,
And wave them
As I go.
See them swimming
With a swish,
So swiftly
To and fro.



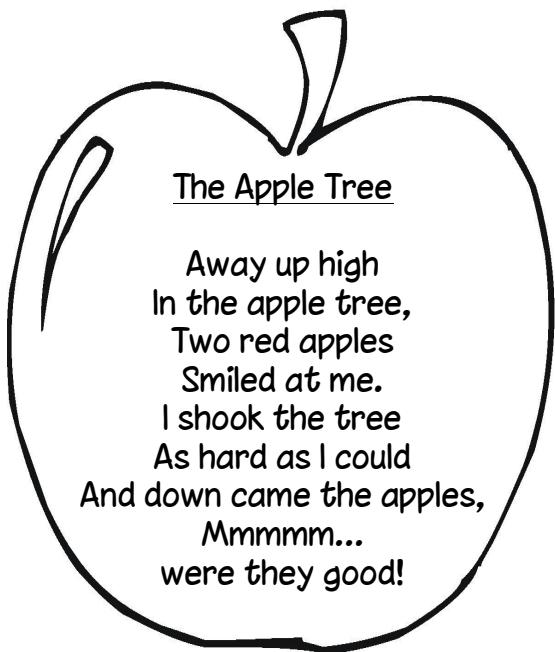
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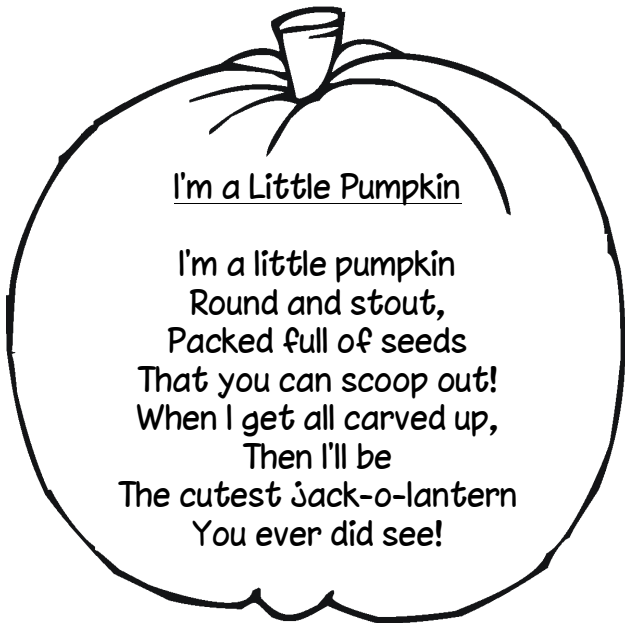
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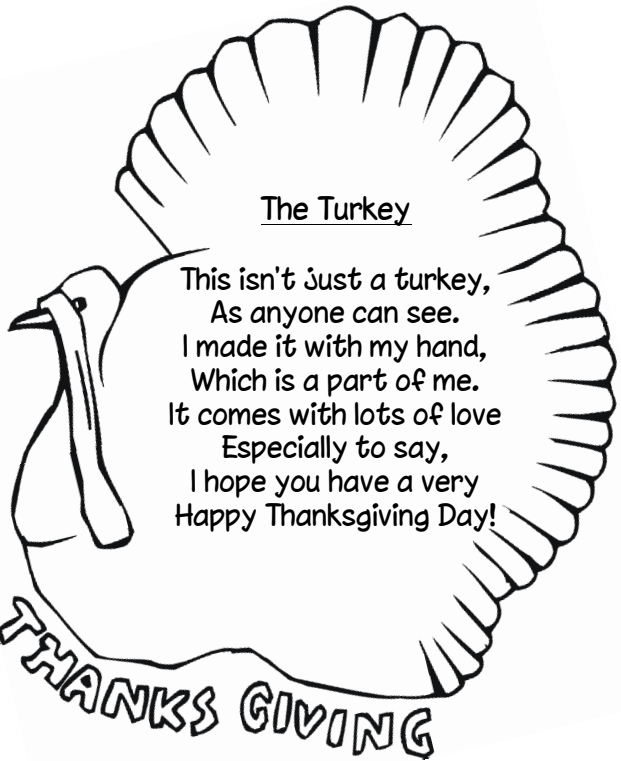
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The Turkey

This isn't just a turkey,
As anyone can see.
I made it with my hand,
Which is a part of me.
It comes with lots of love
Especially to say,
I hope you have a very
Happy Thanksgiving Day!

THANKS GIVING

November

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