

1. Create Weekly Thematic Lesson Plans

Sample Prompt:

Create a 1-week kindergarten lesson plan centered around the theme 'Rainforest Animals.' Include daily objectives, books to read, hands-on activities, and a simple assessment idea for Friday. (See the video with the expanded use of this technique: "Thematic Units for Kindergarten" at https://YouTube.com/@edainow)

2. Generate Age-Appropriate Stories

Sample Prompt:

Write a short, original story for kindergarten students about a brave turtle who learns to swim. Use simple sentences and include opportunities for group discussion.

3. Design Visual Schedules

Sample Prompt:

Create a daily visual schedule for a kindergarten classroom that includes arrival, circle time, centers, recess, lunch, and dismissal.

4. Create Center Activity Instructions

Sample Prompt:

Generate a student-friendly instruction card for a math center where students count objects and match them to the correct numeral.

5. Develop Behavior Charts or Tools

Sample Prompt:

Create a simple behavior chart using three levels: Green (Ready to Learn), Yellow (Reminder), and Red (Take a Break). Explain it in terms kids can understand.

6. Differentiate a Reading Activity

Sample Prompt:

Differentiate a read-aloud activity for 'The Very Hungry Caterpillar' for students at three different developmental levels.

7. Draft Family Newsletters

Sample Prompt:

Write a short weekly classroom newsletter for kindergarten parents that includes: our learning focus, a reminder about library day, and a tip for helping with letter sounds at home.

8. Simplify Vocabulary for ELLs

Sample Prompt:

Provide a simplified vocabulary list and child-friendly definitions for the theme 'community helpers.' Include pictures if possible.

9. Create Simple Rhyming Poems

Sample Prompt:

Write a four-line rhyming poem about a snowman, using words kindergartners can read or decode.

10. Make Sub Plans

Sample Prompt:

Create a one-day emergency sub plan for a kindergarten classroom focused on the letter 'S'. Include a read-aloud suggestion, art project, and transition tips.

11. Brainstorm Class Rules with Kind Language

Sample Prompt:

Suggest five positively worded classroom rules appropriate for kindergarten that emphasize kindness, listening, and safety.

12. Develop Morning Message Starters

Sample Prompt:

Generate five sample 'morning message' sentences for a kindergarten classroom, aligned with early literacy goals and current season (e.g., winter).

13. Create Phonemic Awareness Games

Sample Prompt:

Give me three fun, low-prep activities to help kindergarteners practice beginning sounds (e.g., /b/, /c/, /m/).

14. Generate Assessment Checklists

Sample Prompt:

Create a simple checklist for assessing kindergarten students' ability to recognize and name upper- and lowercase letters.

15. Summarize Classroom Observation Notes

Sample Prompt:

Summarize these observation notes into a paragraph for a student's progress report: [Insert raw notes here].

16. Translate Parent Communication

Sample Prompt:

Translate this note to Spanish for a kindergarten parent: 'Your child had a great day! They helped a friend during center time and listened well during story time.'

17. Make Movement Break Ideas

Sample Prompt:

List five quick movement break ideas for a kindergarten classroom that last 3 minutes and require no equipment.

18. Generate Songs or Chants

Sample Prompt:

Write a simple chant for kindergartners to help them remember how to line up quietly.

19. Suggest Books Based on Themes

Sample Prompt:

List five picture books appropriate for kindergarten students that fit a theme of 'friendship.' Include title and author.

20. Customize Name Practice Sheets

Sample Prompt:

Create a printable practice sheet for the name 'Sophia' with dotted letters for tracing, a place to color the first letter, and lines to write the name three times.

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