Objective

By the end of this lesson, the student will learn about the fall season, including the changes in nature, colors, and activities associated with it. They will engage in art, math, science, and social studies through fun and interactive activities.

Materials and Prep

- Paper
- · Crayons or markers
- Leaves (real or drawn on paper)
- Small rocks or pebbles
- Water (for science activity)
- A comfortable space for activities

Before the lesson, gather all materials and find a cozy spot to work. If using real leaves, take a short walk outside to collect them together!

Activities

• Leaf Rubbings:

Place a leaf under a piece of paper and use crayons to rub over it. This will create a beautiful print of the leaf. Discuss the different shapes and colors of the leaves.

• Fall Color Hunt:

Go outside and look for things that are the colors of fall, like red, orange, yellow, and brown. Collect small items or draw what you find.

• Counting Rocks:

Gather small rocks and count them together. You can also sort them by size or color, which helps with math skills!

• Water Experiment:

Use a bowl of water to see what happens when you drop different items in. Discuss which items sink or float, relating it to the changes in nature during fall.

Talking Points

- "What colors do you see in the leaves? Can you find red, orange, and yellow?"
- "Why do you think the leaves change color in the fall?"
- "How many rocks do we have? Can we count them together?"
- "What happens when we put things in the water? Does it sink or float? Why do you think that is?"
- "What fun things do you like to do in the fall? Do you like to jump in leaf piles?"