

Leader's Guide

The Little Red Hen (Makes a Pizza) by Philemon Sturges

Objectives: In addition to the overall objectives for Book in a Bag, children will learn about:

1. The steps, ingredients and equipment needed for making a pizza.
2. "Many hands make light work" and sharing.

Lesson Outline:

1. Review supporting materials and the book, **The Little Red Hen (Makes a Pizza)**, prior to the lesson.
2. Develop lesson plan for day's activity.
3. Review supplies and equipment needed for activity. Make copies of recipes and "A Look at Our Book: Parent's Page" as needed. If desired, attach a recipe "card" to each Parent's Page.
4. Prepare evaluation tool you will use with children.
5. Arrive early – be sure to encourage handwashing before activity.
6. Read book with children. Ask questions to facilitate discussion.
7. Lead activity. Encourage all children to participate.
8. Incorporate physical activity into lesson.
9. Assist children in completing evaluation tool.
10. Distribute pages for take-home, as appropriate.

Questions to Facilitate Discussion:

- What was the Little Red Hen hungry for after her nap?
- What all was she missing to make a pizza?
- Who did not want to go shopping for The Little Red Hen?
- What ingredients did she put on her pizza?
- How many anchovies did she add?
- What did her friends help her do?
- Did everyone like the pizza?

Other Related Children's Books:

- Cook-A-Doodle-Do!* by Janet Stevens and Susan Stevens Crummel
- Pizza* by Saturnino Romay
- Pizza at Sally's* by Monica Wellington
- Pizza Party* by Grace MacCarone
- The Pizza That We Made* by Joan Holub

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