**Lesson Plan**

Nom Nom Colors

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**Story Summary**

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**Lesson Focus**

Colors

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**Activity Ideas**

**Color Cards**

Make cards that each have a different color on them. Hold up one of the cards and have children say aloud the name and one object or food that is that color.

**Colors of the Rainbow**

Talk to children about the colors of the rainbow. Have the children color or paint a rainbow and share objects or foods that match the colors of the rainbow.

*Additional activities can be found in the following pages of this document.*

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**Book Information**

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<td>nom nom, red, orange, yellow, green, blue, purple, white, black, brown, bright, vibrant, friendly, cheerful, fresh, vanilla, light, soothing, chocolate, raspberry, cherry, strawberry, apricot, tangerine, carrot, banana, lemon, pineapple, mint, pistachios, broccoli, plum, blueberry, fig, vanilla, marshmallows, licorice, fudge</td>
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<td>Special Vocabulary</td>
<td>colors, puns such as: yellow (hello); cone (can); red-dy (ready); orange (aren’t); a-peel-ing (appealing); ripe (right); mint (meant); green with envy (jealous); pear (pair); fig-ure (figure); black and white (clear, obvious)</td>
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What is Nom Nom Colors about?

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There are many puns in the story. Which one can you remember?

What does it mean?

_______________________________________________________________________________________________

_______________________________________________________________________________________________

Different colors can make us feel differently. Choose a color and discuss how it makes you feel.

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If you could paint your room any color, which color would you choose? ______________________

Why? ____________________________________________

Which color describes you best? ______________________

Why? ____________________________________________
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**After viewing the Book:**

1. What is one fun fact you learned about food and colors?
2. What is your favorite food? What color is it? What is your favorite color? What is a food that is that color?
3. There are several times in the book that words are used creatively—puns (e.g., I mint to tell you). Make a list of these words and then create a list of your own. Have a family conversation using words creatively.
4. Make a chart of the foods you eat for a week and write the color of the food next to it.
What Color Is It?

Color the food and then write the name of the color on the line below.

Child can also point to the color.

Red  Green  Yellow
Coloring, Drawing, and Writing

Write the name, draw, and color a picture of your favorite food.

My favorite food is ______________________________.

My favorite food looks and taste like _______________________________________.

Now, write a description of your favorite food. If you need inspiration, refer back to the description of the colors and food in *Nom Nom Colors*.
Nom Nom Naming Dice

How to play
1. Cut out dice and assemble with glue.
2. Roll the dice.
3. Name a food or object of the color that is rolled.
## Connecting Activity

Match the sentence from the story to the correct color. Draw a line to connect the two together.

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<td>Chocolate, like brownie chunks</td>
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<td>Orange</td>
<td>Dark and flavorful, like licorice and spice</td>
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<td>Green</td>
<td>Both are cool, like blueberries and plums</td>
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<td>Black</td>
<td>Vanilla, a light and soothing tone</td>
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<td>Brown</td>
<td>Bright and vibrant, like sundae-topping cherries</td>
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<td>Yellow</td>
<td>Fresh, like creamy mint</td>
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