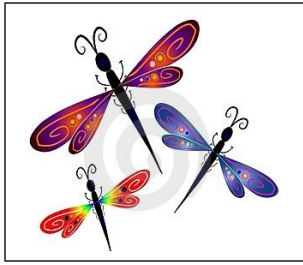


Look At What I'm Learning!!!



Mrs. Berg

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Dragonfly Newsletter



Phonemic Awareness

We have begun learning our letters and sounds. We are currently using a phonetic based curriculum called Jolly Phonics. With each letter the children learn a song. **Every Thursday the children bring in an item which begins with the letter being studied for the week.**

Letters Learned: Ss, Aa and Tt



Jesus Time

In Jesus Time we've been talking about "How to be a Bucket Filler." We have read books about how we can fill others invisible buckets. They have learned showing acts of kindness help fill buckets and makes us feel good inside.

Jesus Loves You!!



Mathematics

The children are exploring shapes. They are learning how to construct each shape. We have explored the following shapes:

Circle, Square, Triangle

We also have been working on patterning. The children are learning about AB patterns (red apple, yellow apple, red apple, yellow apple)

Handwriting Practice

The children will be learning to write their letters. Each week we will focus on a letter. We will use our Handwriting Without Tears curriculum. This curriculum gives the children a hands-on approach to writing. We also reinforce each letter with a worksheet. A practice sheet will be sent home as well. The children will also be working learning proper pencil grip.

Apple Project

We have begun our apple project. Today we made a 1-10 apple chart. We added one seed for one apple, 2 seeds for two apples, etc. We will be learning about the life cycle of an apple tree and also the seasons of an apple tree.

Thank you to the parents who have volunteered their time.

Art

The children made a self-portrait and then used watercolor paints to enhance their portraits. We have some wonderful artists.

We made an apple tree using a pompom to paint the trunk and a loufa for the top of the tree. We rolled dice and whatever the number rolled on the dice determined the amount of apples added to the tree.