

Mrs. Heiting's Classroom Newsletter

News for 9/17-9/20

We had so much fun studying our shapes last week! Your child should be able to tell you how many sides and corners a square, triangle, and rectangle have (or at least how to find out how many they have ©). Shapes were a great theme as we were able to also incorporate colors as well!

Thank you also for sending your children with jackets/sweatshirts. We do go to recess at 10:45 in the morning and it is not always warm enough for short sleeves!

We had (and survived) our second fire drill



Our theme this week is "A" is for Apple! We will begin our study of the alphabet starting with the letter "A"!

on Thursday. The preschool kids loved walking up the stairs and being paired with a high school buddy to walk outside. It also helped soothe some of their fears and nervousness. Thank you to the older kids who helped to escort us out quickly and quietly!

As always, hope you all enjoyed your weekends! We are excited for another week!

Show-and-Tell

Thanks for all the wonderful things your children brought to share with us for showand-tell this week.

As with everything, the first time around always has some kinks to be worked out. Since some of the kiddos forgot on Wednesday I allowed them to share on Thursday. We will ONLY do show-and-tell on Wednesdays from now on (unless your child forgets ©).

This week for show-and-tell, please have your child choose something that begins with the letter "A" to share with the class. Thanks! ©

Skills we are working on...

A large portion of any early childhood program is focused on learning and improving social skills. We will continue to focus on the following and I encourage you to reinforce at home as well...

- Taking turns (ex. One child is playing with a train, another child wants the train. The first child says to the second child "When I'm done, I'll let you have the train!" And then follows through with this promise)
- Picking up after ourselves (The kiddos mantra is "When you're done playing with it, put it away!")

Feel Free to Contact Me...

I now have my email up and running. Feel free to contact me any time. I know questions often come up in the evening. Please don't hesitate to ask!

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