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In April 2024, The Place for Learning

During April 2024, children enrolled in our classes learned about:

- Color Recognition
- Learning cough etiquette
- Shapes
- Grace and courtesy- Sharing and Caring
- Practical Life- learning about healthy lifestyle
- Language- Focusing on letter's L & M.
- Learning about Spring
- Learning about the ocean

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Dear Friends and Families,

The Place for Learning engaged with the following themes throughout the month of March:

Theme: Puddle Play

There are many changes in nature during spring. The pitter-patter of April showers may be followed by thunderstorms, mud puddles, sunshine, and rainbows. Friends explored all the changes spring had to offer in this theme.

Theme: Sail Away

Children loved pretending to sail across blue waters, floating toy boats in the water, moving to sailing songs, and much more in this aquatic transportation theme.



Practical Life

Children developed socialization skills, as well as language skills through play. This prepares children to build independence and life skills.



Apple Cutting: Friends are becoming independent and use an apple slicer to cut her apple.



Life Jackets: Children learned about ways to be safe in the water.

Practical Life: Continued



Puppet Play: Friends are learning to play with puppets to foster their imagination when telling stories.



Practical Life: Continued



Friends play in the kitchen with Ms. Melinda. Preparing to serve her up something yummy!

Language and Literacy

Language and Literacy development is essential to children because they build skills to communicate and develop vocabulary.



Letter M: Friends are learning about letter M and all things that start with M.



Spring Weather: Children talk about what spring weather is like.



Calendar: Ms. Nyla introducing April to friends.



Boats: Friends learned about all the different kinds of boats.



Introducing Letter M: Ms. Noelle introduced letter M to Caterpillar friends.



Boats: Friends explored boats and recited a song

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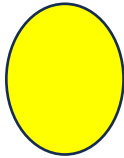
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Book List:

Where are the Eggs? By Grace Lin

Weather by Joe Rhatigan

Color/Shape:



Vocabulary:

These are words that we have been practicing throughout the month along with pictures of what they are.

Rain, Puddle, Mud, Sailboat, Life Jacket, Lighthouse

Below is one of the songs we sang to the children. Parents, extend the learning by singing it at home:

Honey Bunny

Sung to "My Bonnie"

We're sailing across the blue water.

The wind in our sails make us go,

We're sailing across the blue water.

The water splashing below.

Sailing, sailing,

The wind in our sails make us go- heigh-ho!

Sailing, sailing,

The wind in our sails makes us go.

Sensorial

Children learn to develop a foundation of their senses to better adapt to the world around them through exploring their five senses.



What Floats? Friends explored which sea animals sink or float.



Sensorial: Continued



Sparkly Clean: Caterpillar friends worked together to wash materials.



Math

Children discover early techniques of mathematics by learning through counting, repetition, and number recognition. Children are learning to identify numbers.



Math Zingo: Friends played math zingo to help them count and recognize numbers.



Math Continued:



Rainbow Rollers: Children rolled a ball through the different colors of the rainbow and counted how many colors they made it through.

Science

Children explore through observing and curiosity to discover science.



Water Sounds: Friends explored water sounds.



Making Mud: Children made mud together.



Puddle Possibilities: Friends discovered how puddles are made.

Science Continued:



What floats? Friends explored water and floating materials.

Art

Children use their creativity through arts and crafts to foster their imagination.



Rain on the Grass: Friends did a rain in the grass are project.



Rain Painting: Friends made beautiful pictures with watercolors.

Art: Continued



Sailing Sailboats: Friends used ric rac to make ocean-like marks on their artwork.



Wear-a-Life-Jacket: Friends made a puppet wearing a life jacket.

Book Club

Teachers read to children and the children interact with books to help them with their literacy and imagination.



Book Club Continued:



Fine Motor



Making Dots: Friends were introduced to making dots.



Gross Motor



Friends enjoy playing together in gym and under the parachute outside.



Yoga with Ms. Lucy

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