

Miss Lindh proudly presents the...

Peek at the Week

November 20-26, 2019

Reminders:

- NO SCHOOL - Wednesday, November 27 - Tuesday, December 3
- If your child wears snow boots to school (which I would encourage them to do daily) please send shoes in their backpacks for them to wear during the school day.
 - It is very difficult to sit 'crisscross applesauce' on their carpet squares with big bulky snow boots on their feet, plus wet boots lead to a wet classroom, which we would like to avoid.
- In our classroom we use a behavior management system of green (positive) and red (negative) choices. It is a concrete way for kids to understand what behaviors/choices are helpful to them and which can be harmful.
 - Ask your child about this and feel free to use the system at home as well. Also let me know if you have questions or would like additional details about this system and how it is used in our classroom.
- Thank you to all the grownups who attended grownup drop-in day on Tuesday, we loved giving you a chance to spend time with us in the classroom. It's okay if you couldn't make it, we understand that getting work off, or finding babysitters can be a challenge, and we hope you can join us during the next drop-in day in February.

This week we are...

- Practicing rhyming, counting objects, and recognizing numerals during our small group activities
- Learning to identify feelings in others based on facial expressions and body language
 - We will first focus on happy - what happy looks like, what happy feels like, and what kinds of things make us happy.
- Continuing to take care of babies in the pretend center, practicing important life skills such as empathy, compassion, kindness and sensitivity.

Try it at Home:

- Help your child practice getting into all their winter gear independently so that they can do it quickly in the classroom every day. The sequence we use is as follows: snow pants, boots, hat/scarf, jacket & zip, and lastly mittens/gloves.