



WE ARE EXCITED TO START A NEW YEAR IN THE WRANGLER'S ROOM!

It's a very exciting time. As we get ready for Pre-K and all the new things we will learn, we will be working on assessments to know where we are and what we need to work on.

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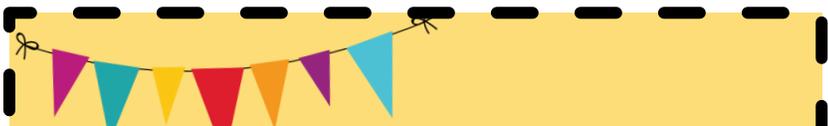
In these winter months, we will talk about winter animals, time and calendar, kindness and equality. Wranglers will learn about diversity by participating in an egg activity, in which we learn how we all look different on the outside, but we are the same on the inside. We will also touch on other winter topics such as weather/seasons (brrr it's getting chilly) and winter holidays. Our students love doing free art which allows them to express themselves and explore their creativity. Over these next few months we will be doing free art using tactile items such as ice (for painting!) and slime to create a neat snowy scene.

For spring I am excited to discuss plant life and how vegetables and flowers grow. Our class will do a bean plant science experiment where we will put a bean inside a bag with wet cotton balls and watch it grow. We will measure it, learn about the growing process, and plant it in our own pots once it has sprouted.

As the weeks pass, we will continue to focus on our weekly board. We use the weekly board to learn about our letter, number, color and shape of the week. Be sure to ask your Wrangler which ones they are learning about each week. Another important part of our routine learning is enhancing our students fine and gross motor skills. Wranglers do this by practicing to hold pencils (and crayons) properly, using scissors, and coloring inside the lines.

These next few months will be full of excitement while your child is learning and growing. We can't wait to continue watching them grow and hit more milestones in their life.

-Ms. Miriam -Ms. Jada
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HEALTHFUL HABITS

It's very important, as our Wranglers gain a greater sense of independence to teach health habits. Our Wranglers learn about caring for themselves by brushing their teeth, eating more vegetables, having good personal hygiene, and learning about our human body. Each Wrangler will create a healthful plate to learn about the food pyramid and for an extra dose of learning math will be included as we discuss the portions of the plate and "bigger" or "smaller" servings.