

Bobbie Noonan's Child Care Tinley II Pre-K Newsletter August 28 - September 1, 2023

Theme:

All about Me

Introductions:

Letters Cc and Dd Numbers 1 and 2 Story #1

Reading words:

Taffy, Apple, Run, run, Jump, jump

Vocabulary:

Clamor – A loud noise

Fable:

The Boy Who Cried Wolf

Moral:

If people think you tell lies, no one will believe you.

Language:

This week we will be able to talk about ourselves. For our theme of "All about Me," we will talk about our likes and dislikes. We will learn the finger play "10 Little Fingers" and we will listen to stories that relate to our theme. The children will be introduced to the letters Cc and Dd along with their phonetic sounds. This week we will begin our reading stories. Story #1 is Taffy Apple. When your child can successfully read the story on their own, they will take it home. This is a great accomplishment!

This year we will be doing show-n-tell when we introduce letters!! Show-n-tell will be on different days each week when we introduce new letters, so you will need to check the newsletter for the days! This week show-n-tell will be on Thursday, August 31st. Your child may bring in <u>ONE</u> item that begins with the letter Cc and <u>ONE</u> item that begins with the letter Dd. <u>These items must fit into a gallon zip lock bag, labeled with your child's name.</u>

Concept:

In concept time we will continue working on estimation and counting activities. The children will be introduced to the numbers 1 and 2, along with the letters Cc and Dd. Our new numbers and letters will be reinforced with shelf jobs and review games. As a group activity we are going to work on compare and contrast using a regular fork and an over sized fork as well as a plastic apple and a real apple. We will also be doing a science activity using apples.

Craft & Writing:

This week we will be working on tracing and printing papers that will reinforce the numbers 1 and 2 as well as the letters C and D. The children will also work on papers that will focus on matching, visual discrimination and patterns. As a reminder, when you are working with your child at home, please capitalize only the first letter in their name.

Motor:

In motor time we will have fun playing a follow directions activity and a path activity using hula-hoops and the stair steps. We will also bring out the balance beam, and we will use the ball and wand. Weather permitted we will also be going outside. As a reminder, your child needs to have gym shoes for outside playtime.

Reminders:

Show-n-Tell: Thursday, August 31st

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Monday, September 4th – Labor Day - No School

There will be no switching of days for this week due to the holiday. Full tuition is due for this week.

All About Me papers are due this week!

Have a good week! Mrs. Chrissy & Mrs. Jen



My Name
Birthday
Any Siblings
Any Pets
When I grow up I want to be
Favorite Food
Favorite Movie
Favorite Color
Favorite Book
Favorite Animal