

Bobbie Noonan's Child Care Palos Hills

Pre-Kindergarten News

for the week of 8/28/23

- Theme All About Me
- Introduce Bold Beginning Reading Story #1 "Taffy Apple" / Story Words Taffy, Apple, Run, Jump, run, jump / 1 & 2
- Expressive Vocabulary articulate to speak in a clear, effective way bashful embarrassed or shy around people
- Bits of Intelligence Dinosaurs
- Fable The Boy Who Cried Wolf



Language Arts: It will be an exciting week in Language Arts. The children will be introduced to "Taffy Apple" – the very first of the Bold Beginning Reading Stories! Students who can successfully read the story to the teacher on their own, as well as be able to identify all the vocabulary words out of context, will be allowed to take the story home. We will also begin a new unit of study on "All About Me." Everyone will be given the opportunity to discuss what makes them special, their likes and dislikes, and tell about their house and family. The banners we make at home will help give the children a visual reminder of how we're each unique in our own way.

<u>Concept:</u> In concept we will continue counting objects and estimating. One of the children's favorite activities, the tactile bag, will be used throughout the week. The children are shown different objects that are placed in to a bag. Then they will close their eyes and be asked to pick an object that I tell them without looking. This activity promotes critical thinking and we love using descriptive words to say what the object feels like. We will continue comparing and contrasting two different objects.

<u>Craft & Writing:</u> This week the children will continue to work on readiness papers. As the numbers 1 and 2 are introduced, the children will learn how to print these numerals correctly. The boys and girls will also practice working with scissors as Mrs. Tiffany reinforces the cutting rules.

Important Dates:

September 4......School closed/enjoy Labor Day!

Parent Reminders:

If you are sending anything in your child's back pack that would require our attention, please let us know. Thanks!