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Little Feet

Toddler Class Newsletter



New Class Theme: 1/27 - 2/14

LOVE

We are celebrating love in our classroom! XXOOXXOOXXOO

Ideas to try:

- Painter's tape race course on floor for cars or kids (works great with an obstacle course!)
- Make mailboxes from cardboard boxes, cereal boxes or such for each person, put by bedroom doors with name label and/or picture of person. Make valentines and use junk mail and have your little letter carrier deliver the mail.
- Cut pictures of favorite things out of magazines.

CLASSROOM SONGS



Meet a Friend

Today we are going to meet a friend, meet a friend, meet a friend. Today we are going to meet a friend and we'll be friends forever.



Three Green Frogs

Three green and speckled frogs, sat on a speckled log Eating some most delicious bugs. Yum, Yum One jumped into the pool, where it was nice and cool.

Now there are two green speckled frogs. Glub, glub



Willabee Wallabee

Willabee, wallabee, wooAn elephant sat on you.Willabee, wallabee weeAn elephant sat on me.Willabee, wallabee, wedAn elephant sat on Fred.

In the classroom you will find:

ART/ FINE MOTOR

We will writing/drawing valentine letters and putting stickers on them.

Try:

- Helping your child make lines on the paper
- Have them pull the stickers off the sheet
- Make your own Valentine next to your child. Copy what they are doing.

SNACK

Cookies Strawberries Peas Fruit sauce Juice/water

Remember: Kids have to see and smell foods many, many, many times before they are ready to try eating it. Be patient eventually your child be feel comfortable enough to try a new food!

TEXTURE TABLE

The texture table will be filled with colorful noodles, hearts, laces, and pipe cleaners.

Words to practice: in, out, heart, noodle, color words, wow, uh oh

Try:

- Helping your child thread the yarn through the holes in the hearts
- Sorting hearts by colors

GROSS MOTOR

We will be going outside to explore and if the weather is yucky we will jump, throw, and swing inside.

Try:

- Drawing hearts with chalk and jumping in them
- Play chase and "I'm going to get you games."

CIRCLE TIME

We will read the story: <u>Kissing Hands</u>

In this story we will read about basic body parts. Help your child point to body parts when named in the book.

Words to practice: hands, head, toes, belly, nose, knees, chin, kiss, mama, daddy

PLAY DOUGH

Purple dough with cutters

Words to practice: smash, squeeze, push, roll, yucky, up

Try:

- Rolling the dough into tubes and shape into hearts.
- Imitate what your child is doing with play dough
- Push pipe cleaners in play dough

UPCOMING AND COMMUNITY EVENTS

- Story time at Chehalis Timberland Regional Library; Wednesdays 10:30-11:30
- Babies and Toddlers at Centralia Timberland Regional Library Saturdays 10:30- 11:30; Playdates at the Centralia Timberland Regional Library Fridays 10:30-11:30

