



BEAR CUB NEWS

What's Happening in the Classroom:

February 5, 2018

NURSERY RHYMES

Acting out stories and books encourages children to get involved in the action of the story. Part of the spirit of the nursery rhymes is that the children can be silly with the words and actions in the rhyme. Some of the rhymes we really enjoyed this past week include:

HUMPTY DUMPTY SAT ON THE WALL

HEY DIDDLE DIDDLE

JACK AND JILL WENT UP THE HILL

HICKORY DICKORY DOCK

Our goal as teachers is to engage the children in a range of activities that promote awareness of the sounds of language. We enjoyed reciting various rhymes with consistent language patterns. The children also enjoyed role-playing in the book corner while reading a book to a friend.



VISITING THE SOLAR SYSTEM

Our Bear Cub class took a trip to outer space last week!

We enjoyed the **SPACE** prop box, as it allowed the children to pretend to visit the planets dressed in full space suit gear. In addition, computer keyboards were set out to simulate the electronic devices utilized in a spaceship.



Additional News:

Valentine Update

Our Valentine celebration will occur on Wednesday, February 14th. The children should bring their valentines to school and we will pass them out during our party. The decorated valentine box will be brought home with your child where he/she will open the valentines. We will have a special snack to enjoy with our friends at school that day.

BOOKS ON TAPE



We have three new headphones in our Bear Cub classroom. The headphones hook up to our “boom box” that allows children to listen to the selected book and read simultaneously! **BIG HIT IN OUR CLASS!**

Mark Your Calendars:

Magic House: February 15th 6:00-8:00 PM

No School: February 16th- Professional Development Day

No School: February 19th- President's Day

**Have a great week!
Katie and Marsha**

SWE LOVE OUR MUSIC TIME WITH ROBERT!

