



TEDDY BEAR NEWSLETTER



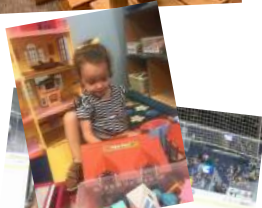
WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY NURSERY SCHOOL

Beginning of the Year Goals:

- ~Getting to Know one another and teachers
- ~Feel comfortable with routines and classroom
- ~Foster a sense of belonging & community



Each day we provide predictable routines that establish structure and consistency. We begin our day with free choice play. Children can choose different areas of the room to play in such as: housekeeping, art, science, manipulatives, writing, blocks, sensory table, and books. Clean up time is an important part of our day that teaches responsibility and organization. Next is "Circle Time" where we count the days on the calendar, sing songs and read books. We enjoy a healthy snack and then play on the playground to end our morning.



Outdoor Play

The Teddy Bears are enjoying our playground. On these sunny days, the water trough has been flowing. Your children experiment with water and sand to create sand structures using buckets, shovels, brushes, and a variety of tools. We have trucks in all shapes and sizes to keep us very busy. The swings, slides, rock-climbing wall, scooters, and trikes continue to be outdoor favorites. All of these activities build large, small, & core muscles, coordination, sense of balance, self confidence, and an appreciation of nature.

Thank you to all of the families who sent in baby pictures and family photos. Is it so fun to look up and see our WUNS families smiling back at us! More importantly, thank you for sharing your children with us! We enjoy watching them grow, change, and explore each day!

Looking Ahead...

September 25 - PictureDay 

October 5 - WUNS Open House
11:30 am - 1:30 pm

October 18 - No School: Professional
Development Day



Love, Chona & Katie