



Montessori Academy

OF CARRBORO

December 2016

TODDLER ROOM 2

November was a busy month in the Toddler 2 class. We had so many holidays and celebrations this month! Our teacher Ms. Lindsay celebrated her birthday, as did our friend Elizabeth! We also celebrated Veteran's Day and Thanksgiving. The toddlers also got to experience their very first Presidential Election! We had fun celebrating these holidays and events with crafts and coloring pages. We continued with our alphabet lessons and covered the letters K, L, M and N in November. The highlight of our month was definitely when we got new playground equipment! The toddlers especially love the School Bus!

Smiles, Ms. Lindsay



Children's House 2-2

Christmas is fast approaching and the excitement is in the air. The children would like to prepare a holiday concert for sometime before the a chunk of us head out of town. Please take a look at your schedules and let us know what days and times work best for you to come and enjoy the performance. We hope you can all attend. As for everything else going on this month, we are lost in space. Our study of planets, moons, asteroids, and the sun, etc may well take us through the end of the year, especially considering all the holiday related stuff we're also working on. Please make sure your child has a weather appropriate change of clothes now that the weather has gotten considerably cooler.

With gratitude,

Ms. Maddy and Ms. Brittany





CHILDREN'S HOUSE 1-2

November has been an exciting month. We learned I, J and K. For the letter I, we focused on ice and ice skating. It was fun learning how ice is made and pretending to ice skate around the room. For J we learned about the jungle and Miss Olivia came in and read us a wonderful book about jungle animals. We loved the letter K because it's the first letter of Miss Kendalyn's name. It also is the first letter of kite which had all the kids flying high with excitement. The week of Thanksgiving was focused on reading, crafts and learning what being thankful means.

I hope everyone has had a wonderful November, and we're all looking forward to an even better December.

Thank you for support and encouragement,
Ms. Hayley



TODDLER ROOM 1

In November, we introduced the letters I, J, and K in Toddler Room 1! We also celebrated Turkey Day which is known to most as Thanksgiving. The toddlers enjoyed learning ice and ice cream. We made igloos using cotton balls as our ice! We even tasted vanilla ice cream which the toddlers thought was the greatest thing ever! For letter J, we focused on the jungle and we even got a new jungle gym on our playground. We looked a book that had moving pictures of jungle animals. The toddlers loved this book and did not want to stop reading it. For Turkey Day, we made turkeys using coffee filters and markers. It was a very short week and learned a new Turkey Song. For letter K, we talked about kittens and kites. However, Kites caught our attention so much more. We made kites in class out of paper and yarn. Our toddlers ran around the playground flying their kites. We have also welcomed more friends to our class. We are excited to learn what December has to hold for us!

With Love,

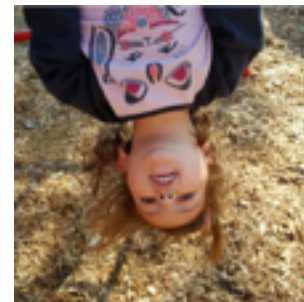
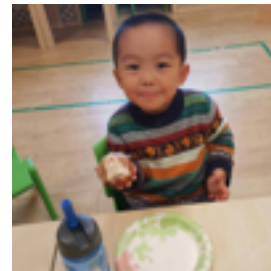
Ms. Kendalyn and Ms. Jyoti



CHILDREN'S HOUSE 1-1

Yet another month as flown by. Its hard to believe we can fit so much fun into a single month. We got to spend time with our families and we got to eat a ton of yummy food for thanksgiving! We celebrated Tessa's 3rd birthday, with yummy muffins and a walk around the sun! We learned a new good morning song and we watched as two of our very good friends Sylvie and Graham moved up! What a great month full of giving thanks and learning!
See you next month!

With so much love,
Ms. Tori and Ms. Olivia



CHILDREN'S HOUSE 2-1

We have had a busy month in Children's House 2-1. Both Alena and Cal celebrated their birthday in the Montessori Tradition of a "Walk Around the Sun". We welcomed our new Teaching Assistant, Miss Fiona to our class as well. We continue to work on our math, reading and writing skills and to learn about different cultures of the world in our geography studies. Our class has been singing traditional Holiday songs with Miss Marcia during our music lessons this month. Jingle Bells is our favorite. Miss Marlene plays beautiful classical music for us during nap time and it really helps us relax.

As we come to the end of another year we are showing our gratitude for all our families, good friends, and teachers. We wish everyone a safe and happy Holiday Season and look forward to a new year of learning and growing.

With gratitude, Ms. Marlene and Ms. Fiona



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