



# Montessori Academy

OF CARRBORO

October 2017

## TODDLER ROOM 2

The new school year is off to a fantastic start in the Toddler 2 class! Our class got right back in the swing of things with our Circle Time and Montessori World Cycle. We have started learning the letters of the alphabet and learned about words that start with "A." The toddlers also learned the sign language signs for "more" and "all done." We've been enjoying doing lots of crafts including coloring, Dot-A-Dot paint, and even using plastic bottles to paint with! We have started doing weekly Yoga classes, and the toddlers are doing so well with the yoga movements. We hope to have just as much fun in October as we did in September!

Smiles,  
Ms. Lindsay and Ms. Katema



## CHILDREN'S HOUSE 2-2

The smell of Fall is in the air as our class expands with children moving up from Children's House 1. We're excited to welcome Finley and Ryan this month. We'll be doing lots of messy activities so please make sure you send your children in school appropriate clothes and keep in mind the outside temperatures can vary quite a bit this time of year. We'd also like to invite all parents to participate in our school activities. If you wish to lead a fun activity or simply come in to read to the children, we'd love to have you.

With gratitude,  
Ms. Maddy and Ms. Laura





### **TODDLER ROOM 1**

The month of September has been full of learning for the Toddler Classroom! We have been learning our alphabet, numbers, colors, and shapes. We had music/dance and yoga class each week. The kids have loved yoga so much that we have incorporated some of the music and movements into our everyday circle time. This month we focused on the letters A, B, and C! We are now able to recognize those letters and even some words that start with each letter! We did plenty of crafts this month pertaining to each letter including apples, acorns, bumble bees, and cacti!! It was fun learning about each craft and what we were making! We welcomed our new friend Isa, and she has been a great addition to our classroom. We look forward to another great month in the toddler room!

With Love,

Ms. Amanda and Ms. Chelly

### **CHILDREN'S HOUSE 1-2**

This September we have focused on letter A through D. The class has learned a few new circle time songs about being crisscross apple sauce and focusing on the teacher as well as a new fall song that everyone loves. D has been the most fun letter to learn so far because as we know, dinosaur starts with D. Every other week, we try to have one day where we focus on learning about a new place around the world. We have learned about Afghanistan and Canada so far! The kids are getting extremely excited for Halloween and have already begun planning their costumes.

Thank you for support and encouragement,  
Ms. Hayley and Ms. Taylor



## CHILDREN'S HOUSE 1-1

A brand new school year means lots of fun in CH1-1! So far this school year we've covered letters A-E. We've also been learning about numbers, shapes and colors. As always, we enjoy our Montessori Work Cycle, and we have lots of fun stretching and moving during yoga class and dance class! We have also been exploring our creative sides with plenty of different arts and crafts projects! We hope to have just as much fun in the month of October!

With so much love,

Ms. Tori and Ms. Jessica



## CHILDREN'S HOUSE 2-1

This month in CH-2, the class continues to work on their challenges while exploring new ideas and singing new songs. Several of the challenges that the children are working on include their writing skills, reading skills and simple mathematics.

In addition, they are doing Science Day and enjoy learning new topics such as how water and oil don't mix and about static electricity.

With gratitude,

Ms. Fiona and Ms. Tracey



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