

Classroom Notes September 2020

September 11, 2020

Dear parents of the toddler community,

Your toddler had a beautiful first week of school! Miss Van Stray and I are so excited to have the classroom full of joy. Your child has been busy getting use to his new routine, and happily exploring the classroom. Miss Van Stray brought some beautiful flowers to plant outside and some kids were very interested in helping planting it and watering it. Your child is showing interest on keeping the environment clean, by mopping, using a sponge to absorb the water on the tables and dusting.

Every child has some personal items to work in the classroom, as their own crayons, paint, scissors and paint brushes. The painting area has become very busy these days and your toddler has made wonderful pieces of art.

Your child has also constantly washing their hands through the day. They have been enjoying the hand washing station to complete this work.

I am attaching a few pictures for you to enjoy!

Next Monday we are welcoming a new friend into our community, her name is Anna and we are very excited to have her with us.

Please, reply to my email that you have received this email to be sure that you are included in my emailing list.

Have a wonderful weekend.

Sincerely,
Megan and Valentina

September 26, 2020

Dear parents of the Toddler Community:

This week we welcome our friend Theo. The children showed joy to have him in our classroom. We are so excited to have him with us!

The toddlers have been showing more comfort as they come in, in the morning. They are now use to their routine and enjoying themselves. Their hands are becoming busier as the days go and they are showing more independence on getting dressed, changed and choosing work.

After washing hands and using the restroom, the children enjoy a snack sitting at the table, using their own pitcher and cups. They are very diligent on getting their own water and pouring it without any help... what a joy to witness these actions!

Miss Van Stray, who enjoys cooking, brings once in a while some yummy food to share with the children. Yesterday they had the chance to try a zucchini homemade bread.

Another friend, Isaac, brought some delicious plums to share for lunch. For some children was the first time trying them and they got the experience of trying a new flavor and feeling new textures. With the arrival of fall, the children have been singing and enjoying beautiful songs and poems, both in English and Spanish, during Circle Time. It is also getting very normal to hear the children counting in Spanish with me as I call for circle time.

With the help of Miss Van Stray, the children are growing in our small garden some broccoli and spinach. Some of the children are delighted to see the plants growing.

As a reminder, we go outside every day, please send your child with appropriate clothes for the day. Also, no water bottle is needed as we provide water during the day.

Lunch.

Some of you have requested to know your lunch week in advance. I will be sending the grocery list on Wednesday afternoons.

Anna. September 28th

Theo. October 5th

Ronan. October 12th

Matthew. October 19th

Isaac. October 26th

Hope you have a wonderful weekend.

Let me know if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Valentina