Pre-K families!

Thank you for your continued patience and support! I appreciate the feedback and photos, please keep it/them coming.

This week we wrapped up the letter, "w", "#23", color "white", and shape "square", and moved to the letter, "x", #"24", color "blue", and shape, "rectangle". I will continue to prerecord morning circle and work time videos daily. I'm hearing positive feedback with prerecording versus "live", so we'll keep that going. I think a weekly "live" check in is fun for the kids and we'll continue with that as well. We're going to set up a live check in next Wednesday, instead of Friday, to help break up the week and see friendly faces sooner. Mrs. McLeod will have a phonics lesson Thursday which can be found under the "morning circle channel". I loved seeing photos of the fun specialists activities this week – walking rainbows (science), students getting outside to log time for PE, students making homemade play-doh (art) and forming our letter and number of the week with it, and of course joining in for sing-a-longs (music). We continue to upload stories in the "story time" channel for your student to watch when it's convenient. I'd like students to continue working in their journal every day – to include our letter, number, and shape of the week, their name, and a picture of something that is our color of the week, or whatever they want. In religion we've been working on our station of the cross mini book and hearing short stories on each station (see work time videos).

Next week we'll start with the letter, "y", number "25", color "yellow", and shape, "pentagon". We mailed materials home for the next 2 weeks so keep an eye out for those. The worksheets you'll be receiving will be worked on daily in our "work time" videos so please be sure to save them in order to spread out the work a bit. Mrs. McLeod put together a fun "planting" activity including seeds and a journal to "log" observations, so that will be fun (included in info being mailed home). Next week the students will be making their own instruments in music (FUN), creating rain in a jar for science (you'll need shaving cream – the foamy variety, a clear glass/jar, and blue food coloring), and continuing to log movement for PE.

Thinking of you all and missing your students. Thank you for leading their learning at home, we couldn't do this without you!

Best,

Julie