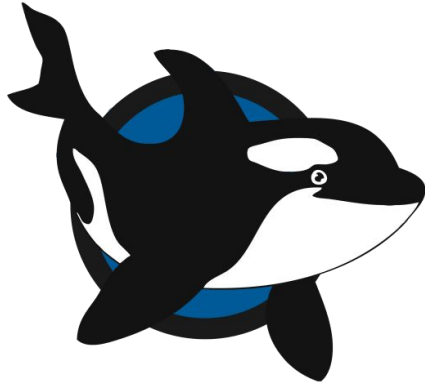


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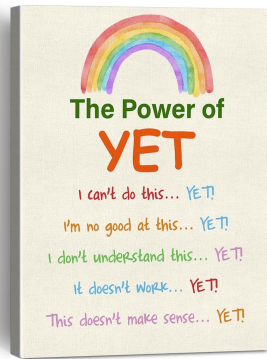
South Whidbey School District



What is South Whidbey School District's ITK program?

- ITK is a classroom for any child who turns 4-years-old by August 31st.
- ITK prioritizes serving children who have had limited preschool experience, qualify for free or reduced lunch, dual language learners, and students who may receive services on an IEP
- ITK is a no cost, 5 day a week program - 8:30-3:00 p.m. (Wednesdays 1:30)
- ITK uses research-based curriculum that is developmentally appropriate for 4-year-olds
- SWSD bus transportation and meals are available for ITK students.
- ITK is taught by a certificated South Whidbey School District teacher

If you are interested in the potential of your child participating in the ITK program for the 2024-2025 school year, please complete the attached survey. South Whidbey staff will then reach out to families who meet qualification for the program to discuss enrollment. Please complete this survey by May 31st. We will accept our first round of applicants in mid-June.



I am a Warm Demander

Lisa Thomas, M.Ed. - ITK teacher

"Warm demander" teachers expect great things from their students, convince them of their own brilliance, and help them reach their potential in a disciplined, structured environment.

1. Believe in the Impossible
2. Build Trust
3. Teach Self-Discipline
4. Embrace Failure

Our Classroom Community

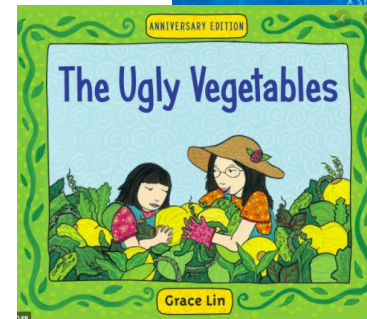
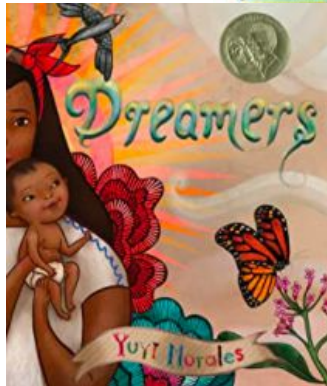
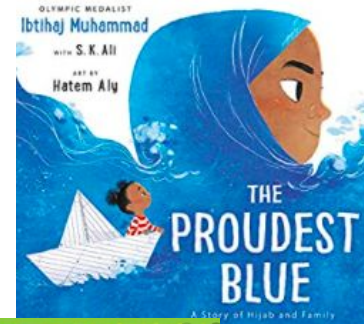
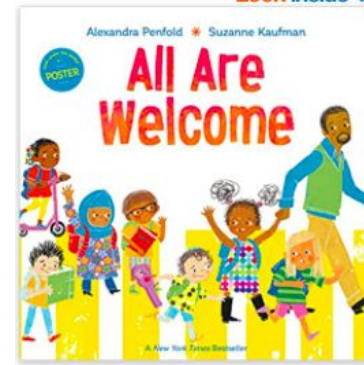
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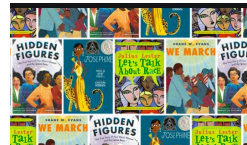
Resilience

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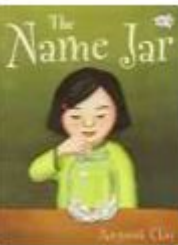
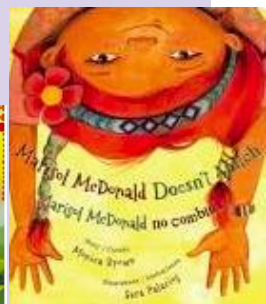
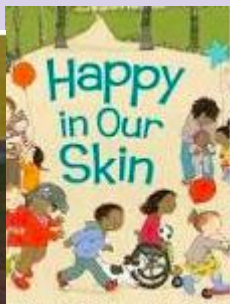
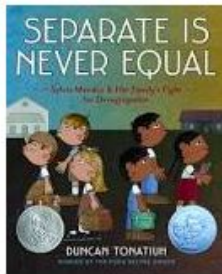
Social Emotional/Ethnic Studies

Universal Design for Learning (Inclusive)



"To love all children, we must struggle together to create the schools we are taught to believe are impossible: Schools built on justice, love, joy, and anti-racism."

-Betina Love



Daily Schedule

Time	Weekly (except Wednesday)
8:25-9:15	Slow Start - Play to Learn
9:15	Morning Circle Read Aloud Lesson
10:00	Snack
10:15	Outside Time
11:00	Learning Centers
11:45	Free Play Time
12:15	Lunch (12:30 on Fridays) (Fridays Farm 12:10-12:30)
12:45	Quiet Time
1:30	Outside Time (Dismissal on Wednesdays)
2:30	Snack/Pack Up
3:00	Dismissal

If you are interested, please fill out the following survey:

[ITK Survey](#)



Questions?

If you have questions, please feel free to email.

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