

October 2011

the elephant's ear

**We're playing and learning
and having fun...**

♥ **Tummy time:** We are practicing using our neck muscles to hold up our heads and strengthen our neck muscles for 30 minutes every day 10 minutes at a time.

♥ **sitting time:** We used our upper body muscles to sit for short periods of time while listening to stories.

♥ **Where is the apple?** By placing different size apples on the floor we encouraged the babies to reach and explore them using the sense of by touch and smell.

♥ **Animal sounds:** we made different animal sounds and encouraged the babies to respond and repeat the sounds that they were hearing!

♥ **What's that sound?** The babies were encouraged to touch and play our colorful xylophones during music time!

♥ **Roll over:** To get the babies moving... we placed apples on the floor and encouraged the babies to reach and roll towards them!

**We love to listen to
stories...**



Remember to...

♥ **Do we have your email address for shutterfly?**

♥ **Please make sure all bottles and food are labeled with your child's full name.**

♥ **Check cubbies outside for new information from the office.**

♥ **If anybody needs helping point please let us know. we have great ideas.**

Read to me. Please

The Farm

BY: Heather Amery and Stephen Cartwright

Brown Bear. Brown Bear. What do you see?

BY: Bill Martin JR

Pet Show!

BY: Ezra Jack Keats

What's going on?

October 10 Fire Prevention

October 17 Autumn

October 24 Halloween

October 31 Farm

October 31 Halloween parade
and classroom
party



Sing. Rhyme and move...

Jack and Jill

Jack and Jill went up the hill.
To fetch a pail of water.
Jack fell down and broke his
crown.
And Jill came tumbling after.



Row. Row. Row your boat 🎵

Row. row. row your boat
gently down the stream.
merrily. merrily. merrily.
merrily.
Life is but a dream.

Apples and Bananas

I like to eat. eat. eat. apples and
bananas!

I like to eat. eat. eat apples and
bananas. I like to eat. eat. eat
apples and bananas!

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