



Words of the Month:

All About Me – Me, My, Mom
 ABC's & 123's – Pop, Pie, Pen
 Where I Live – Animal, Ant, Art
 Apples – Seed, Sprout, Stem



WOW... We Can't Wait to Explore!

Math: What will the Zebras do? Well, they will be measuring themselves to see how tall they are, making a list of eye colors in our class, practicing their counting and sorting skill while figuring out how many are in a group. The threes will also be practicing subtraction and addition by using their own bodies, figuring out how many blocks it takes to build a house, using apples to practice counting skills and more!

Science: Our science activities will consist of playing games of "what's missing", exploring our sensory table, going on a number hunt, placing our fingers in shaving cream to draw letters and numbers, exploring new textures and putting our hands inside our feely box to find out what's inside the box...but we can't use our hands, just our sense of touch!

Literacy: We will be making a list of our favorite things we like to do, sharing ideas with our friends, finding name cards outside on the playground, looking at pictures of homes to compare differences and similarities and practicing our writing skills using letter cards, markers and sentence strips.

Art: Our threes will be drawing their most favorite things, using a mirror to draw their self-portrait, using number and letter sponges to create, making a number mural with ink pads and letter/number stampers, creating prints with our plastic keys, exploring golf balls and cotton balls as painting tools, getting creative with apples and paints as well as painting on an easel too!

Let us Hear Your Voice...

"One, Two, Buckle My Shoe"
 One, two, buckle my shoe,
 Three, four, shut the door,
 Five, six, pick up sticks,
 Seven, eight, lay them straight,
 Nine, ten, do it again!

"The More We Get Together"
 The more we get together, together, together,
 The more we get together, the happier we'll be,
 For your friends are my friends and my friends are
 your friends,
 The more we get together the happier we'll be.



Teacher Fun Facts:

- * Ms. Jennifer has already started her Christmas shopping!
- * Ms. Ursula's daughter, Sophie, is now in Kindergarten!

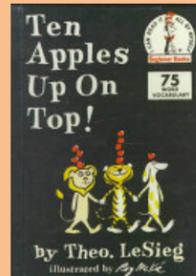
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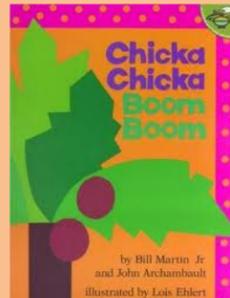
Chicka Chicka Boom Boom
 By: Bill Martin Jr.

One of the themes we always explore as the fall months approach is "ABC's & 123's", what a great story that is one of our favorites and is perfect for that theme! In our preschool classroom, we thrive on repetition and this story does a great job of it. Have you heard your child say "chicka chicka boom boom, will there be enough room?" yet? Well, if not, we know you will be hearing it soon! We love hearing the letters of the alphabet and watching the tree fill up with letters! If you haven't read this story at home, you need to, it's such a great read!



Apples Up On Top
 By: Dr. Seuss

The Zebras LOVE Dr. Seuss stories and this one fits right in! Not only do we love reading stories that Dr. Seuss has written with all of his silliness as well as listening for the rhyming words...but his apples stories is a great one for our week of "Apples"! Do the Zebras practice their counting skills with this story? YES! Do the Zebras get to practice their number recognition? YES! Do they love this story? YES, YES and YES!



Teacher Pick's

The Zebras Zip

September is here...a new season, new friends and fun activities!

Hooray for the month of September! September means that we will soon be changing our season card on our classroom calendar from summer to fall. We are excited to start wearing our fall clothes, watch the leaves change colors and all the fall activities that will be coming our way! The new month of September also brings new Zebra friends! We are happy to welcome Kailyn Sheridan, Andrew Chang, Sophia Wang, Anthony Drozd, Isabella Adcock and Ben Schaffer into our class. Did we mention that we have a field trip planned for the fall? HOORAY!

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What's Going on
 in the
 Month of September?

* Our center is closed on
 September 3rd for Labor
 Day

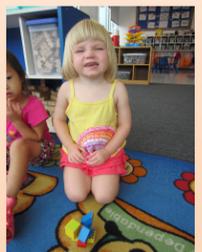
* Peter McCory's One Man
 Band Show at 10:30am

* Board of Director's
 Meeting on Thursday,
 September 20th at
 5:30pm.

September Birthday's



Andrew Chang 9/9/09



Isabella Adcock
 9/28/09