

A Look Inside Our Class

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GROUP PLAY- SOCIAL PLAY

The children have been together as a group in school for a few months. In this short time there has been a growth in how they interact and play with each other.

The children are taking more interest in playing with others and involving their classmates in activities. They are becoming more socially aware. With this, comes opportunity for them to learn how to form friendships. It is so gratifying to see how the children are opening their circle to each others and communicating with them.



LITERACY & COMMUNICATION

We are creating a fall story book introducing fall vocabulary words and noticing that leaves are different colors. We have introduced the colors red, orange and yellow and will continue to notice and speak about colors throughout the day as it comes up.



Sorting leaves of different colors.

OUR WORLD

It is fall time and we are getting ready for this new season.

We spend lots of time outside so we can notice what the season looks like.

We are laying down the foundation of what the fall looks and giving the children lots of positive experiences outdoors.



We lay on the grass beneath the trees to watch the leaves falling down. We saw the leaves falling through the sky and landing on the ground.



We sing fall songs to help us learn new vocabulary words and learn about the new season

Tune: twinkle, twinkle little star..
*I'm a tree so tall, tall, tall,
Now my leaves must fall, fall, fall,
The leaves go tumbling, tumbling down,
They're red and orange, yellow and brown.*

The children all held different color leaves in their hands while singing the song.

When we came to the words that the leaves fall, the children let go of the leaves and watched as the leaves tumbled to the ground.

Here they can pretend to be like trees and do what trees do, so they can have a better understanding what the fall seasons means.