



Director of Child Care Center Board Report May 10th, 2021

Infant

In our infant room we got to celebrate our first, 1st Birthday of the year. We learned to dance and move to the 'Happy Birthday' song and our friend got to pretend to blow out the candles on the play birthday cake. We are all working on different gross motor skills and most of us have mastered crawling and are working on pulling ourselves up to walk. Our monthly sensory bin was filled with oats and fun Easter themed items. We worked on holding spoons, scooping oats into plastic eggs and pouring oats into bowls. For Earth Day, we created a mess free art picture of the Earth using green and blue paints.



Toddler

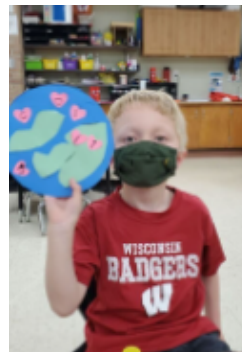
The Toddlers celebrated Easter with an Easter egg hunt. Our preschool friends hid the eggs for us and paired up with us as we went on a hunt for the eggs. We also worked on our gross motor skills with the Egg & Spoon Walk. We had to balance an egg on a spoon while walking on a line then dropped it in a bin at the end. We also worked on our team building and fine motor skills with the light cube and blocks. We ended the month learning about rain. We dropped "rain" on paper. Then made "wind" blowing through a straw and watched the "puddles" blow all over the paper. You can see our Rain & Wind Process Art on display in the hallway.





Preschool

In our preschool room, we learned about Earth Day and all about recycling. We used blue and green paint to make handprint Earth paintings. We also worked on the letters in our name by making an Earth name craftivity. Our monthly sensory bin was filled with shredded paper and different recycling or trash pictures. We searched and found the different pictures and then organized them into the correct bins by their color. For an outdoor adventure, we picked up litter around the school and park and talked about how we can keep our community clean. We also enjoyed some time playing at the park when we were all done.



School Age

In our school age room, we have been getting outside as much as we can to enjoy the warmer weather. We love to play soccer, tag, and a game called "no walking, no talking, no showing your teeth". We learned about Earth Day and how we can do our part within our own communities. Together we walked around our elementary school playground and other parts of our community to clean up garbage. We have also continued doing STEM and science experiments that involve putting objects together and working together in groups.





Looking Ahead

We completed our YoungStar consultation on April 30th. All of our classrooms had great reviews and our learning environments are filled with all the appropriate materials that are needed for each learning domain. Coming up in June, PCCC will be closed for the week of Memorial Day so that we can move two of our classrooms out of the roof construction zone that will take place in the primary wing. We will start our summer care program June 7th and will have a lot of children transition into new classrooms at this time.