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Dear Parents,

Our topic for this week was Natural Resources and letter Yy.

We learned that natural resources are things that come from nature and used in everyday activities. We discussed the top natural resources and what they are used for. Water, air, and land are important for all living things. Soil, wood, salt, oil, natural gas, coal, and iron among many others, are also natural resources.

We also introduced new vocabulary words such as clay, minerals, rocks, sand, conservation, and recycle! We loved talking about rivers, lakes, the ocean and we explained why we recycle and how to separate garbage to be recycled.

The children also traced and colored letter Y. They used construction paper, markers, crayons, and pencils. They also wrote a sentence using words that start with the letter Y. "Yarn is yellow". We made a nature collage, using leaves, flowers, sticks, and other objects found in nature. In their journals, the children drew things that they can recycle and wrote "Recycle".

Books we read:

Earth's Natural Resources by Raquel Martin

I Am Water by Jean Marzollo

Our Land, Water and Air by Aimee Cable

The Yak Who Yelled Yuck by Carol Pugliano

Saving the Earth and Can Kids Save the Earth?

Quote of the week:

"Our greatest natural resource is the minds of our children"

-Walt Disney

Have a great weekend,

Mrs. Ana

Mrs. Marta

Mrs. Tayra