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Dear Parents,

This week the topic was: "Numbers". The children practiced counting from 1 to 20 and to recognize numbers. During circle time we played games with the numbers and the teacher would ask the students to find the number inside the classroom and then say it out loud. We also do the calendar every day. Every child had a number to sit on and to remember for future days during circle time. Also, we sang songs about numbers and had our children participate in activities that were related to the topic.

ART/SMALL GROUP: Orange and Rainbow door had different activities to do with numbers. Some days we practiced tracing numbers. We also made a book of numbers by using, construction paper, markers, crayons, mosaic squares, and glue. The children also made a train by tracing the numbers on each 10 precut squares. While doing art the students traced and decorated the letter "Nn". We also practiced numbers by telling them how many letters were in their name.

GARDEN: The children enjoy going to the garden to water and observe the tomatoes. They also explored with magnifiers insects they found outside.

The following books were read this week: "The Noisy Counting Book", "Quack and Count", "1,2,3 To the Zoo", and "1,2 Buckle My Shoe". These are the books we read along with the books from the lesson plan.

In addition to our music class with Miss Clarice, the kids really loved their new dance class with Turtle Dance Company. They had a chance to follow the instructor on a big screen outside. We can't wait to participate again next Wednesday. In addition to the Jungle Gym, this is another way that families can celebrate birthdays at school. Click [here](https://kidsforkidsacademy.com/in-school-fieldtrips-birthday-celebrations/) to learn more.
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Our next student of the week for Rainbow is: "Leonardo Cabrera". Orange door student of the week is: "Diego Hernandez". Please bring in a poster on Monday with pictures of him, his family, and what he likes to do, favorite food, color, etc. Then we will have him present the poster to the class.

REMINDER: We suggest cutting your child's nails, so we don't have any accidents while we are all playing together. Please bring family pictures, 4 x 6 inch, so we can put every student's family on our "Rainbow family binder". Thank you. Please don't forget to take blankets home on Friday to be washed and returned on Monday.

TIPS: We encourage you to ask your children everyday what they did in class. Also read with them the lesson plan of that week and ask them questions about it to reinforce them the activities of the week at home.

HAVE A GREAT WEEKEND!

Rainbow door teachers: Mrs. Zamira & Ms. Mireya.

Orange door teacher: Mrs. Miriam & Mrs. Carolina