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Dear Parents of Blue Door,

Hi ! This week we talked about Thanksgiving: What are we thankful for ? During Circle Time the teacher asked each child what they are thankful for and a lot off the children said they were thankful for their toys. When asked who they were thankful for all the children responded mommy and daddy. We also talked about the most common things seen during Thanksgiving are Turkeys 🦃 . When asked what sound does the Turkey make that all made the sound “gobble gobble”.

This week we had our Turtle dance music class and the children had a great time dancing and moving along to the music. I did send a video where the children were sitting very nicely and listening to a story.

For art , the children loved making Turkey 🦃 handprints . The teacher painted the palm of their hands brown and their thumb and the other fingers were painted a different color. As we were doing this activity each was asked the color that their fingers and palm were being painted. Do a dot paper plate turkey was also lots of fun. The children decorated a small paper plate using do a dot markers and then glued the turkeys head to the plate and added the nose to their turkey. Paper plate pumpkin pie was lots of fun for the children to make. The children were given a small paper plate that was cut into a pie shape. They glued orange construction paper squares to it and then for the crust they glued brown construction squares. They did a great job. This activity is for their journal.

For story time they heard these stories : The Pumpkin Countdown, The Very Hungry Caterpillar, Pete the Cat: The First Thanksgiving, The Pilgrims First Thanksgiving, Eight Monkeys Jumping On the Bed, Hands Are Not For Hitting, and Clifford’s Thanksgiving.

As always on the playground we have a blast but also practice our gross motor skills . This week we jumped in place, threw the ball, rode the tricycles, had a basketball game and went up the slide stairs .

We had so much fun with Mrs. Clarice this week. She brought in rhythm sticks and the children had a great time playing those sticks. Jungle animal fun is always a blast. Clarice brought in different jungle animals and the children sang along with her. They enjoyed the Walking Through the Jungle Book. I hope you are all enjoying the videos and pictures that are sent through Bright- wheel.

We would like to thank the parents that brought in something for the Thanksgiving feast. The children really enjoyed themselves and it was delicious.

Please remember to wash your child's blanket and return it to school nice and clean. Please remember next week we are closed Thursday and Friday . The teachers of Blue Door would like to wish you all a very Happy Thanksgiving 🦃

Enjoy your time with your family 😊

🦃 Have a great weekend 🦃

Mrs. Cindy

Mrs. Luz

Mrs. Kasey