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Dear Parents of Blue Door,

Hi! this week we learned about Insects. Some of the insects we learned about were the bee, ladybug, mosquito, butterfly, and cricket. During Circle Time the children learned that the ladybug comes in a rainbow of colors, but the color we see the most is red. They learned that the bee's home is called a beehive. When talking about mosquitoes they knew right away that the mosquito bites and that we need mosquito spray for them not to bite us. When talking about the butterfly they related back to the book "The Very Hungry Caterpillar" we read here in class and knew that the caterpillar turned into a butterfly. They were shown pictures as well of other insects. As they were out on the playground, they saw a yellow and orange butterfly fly around, We pretended to be butterflies on the playground and fly around the playground and jumped like a cricket.

For art, they had a lot of fun making a ladybug. First, they colored a small paper plate red and then used black little circles made from construction paper to represent the spots. They glued the legs, head, and eyes to complete their ladybug. In making their cricket, they glued green tissue paper to half a small paper plate and then glued the eyes, head, and legs to their plate. In their journals, they colored a dragonfly and butterfly and decorated them using mosaic squares. They were given three circles cut from construction paper which they colored black and glued onto construction paper and then glued the legs to it. They did a great job in making their ant. The google eyes that they glued onto their ants made their ants very cute.

They put together insect puzzles as well, played with the different insects we have here at school.

Parents, please wash your child's blanket and return to school nice and clean on Monday. Please make sure your child's nails are cut short. Please review colors and shapes with your child. Please, please, practice with your child on how to correctly hold a crayon or pencil. Practice makes Perfect!

Quote of the week: "There are two gifts we should give our children. One is roots, and the other is wings" By: Linda Tazzia

Thanks to the parents who brought in goodies for our Teacher appreciation lunch. Everything was delicious and enjoyed by all. We appreciate it very much.

Have a great weekend

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