

Dear parents,

The topic of this week was Presidents and the letter Ss. We started the week by celebrating the 100 days of School. The children used stickers to decorate their headbands. They also counted to 100 by ones and by ten.

During Circle time, we began learning about Presidents' Day and introduced the letter Ss. They learned the name of the first and current President of our country. We talked about the Capital, the White House and the Statue of Liberty. We discussed the elections and the different parties. In honor of this week topic on Friday they took turns in the voting booth to vote for a class President and a Vice President. Check out for pictures on Brightwheel to find out the outcome. We discussed many facts about our country's leader and the job of being a president such as: execute the laws, run the armed forces, signing important documents and flying in Air Force One.

Our students traced and colored Capital and lowercase Ss. They wrote words (sun, snake and sun.) They also wrote a sentence (A skinny skunk sneaked into school) using s words. After they drew a picture for each word using markers and crayons. They worked on scholastic Weekly Reader articles about Presidents. They traced the silhouetted of two Presidents: George Washington and Abraham Lincoln. Finally, they drew the White House and the flag. Did you know the White house has: 132 rooms, 35 bathrooms, 412 doors and 147 windows?

Journals: In their Journals they drew pictures of national symbols like: the flag, Statue of Liberty, the eagle and an oak tree.

Vocabulary words:

Bounce

Reflect

Children used a flashlights and a mirror in a dark room to see the reflection of one and two colored shapes.

Activities to do at home with your child: Help your child sort toys into different categories (vehicles, animals, food, dolls, colors and so on).

Quote

"To be good, and to do good, is all we have to do."

John Adams

Have a nice and safe weekend!

Mrs. Ana

Mrs. Marta

Ms. Ariel

