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Dear Parents of Gold Door,

This week the students discussed the essential question: In what ways are things alike? How are they different?. To further explore these questions we read a few stories such as the book All Kinds of Families which told the students how many different things can be considered family. Things that are similar and things that are different can still be family. We also read the story The Perfect Color which talked about how an artist creates their own colors by mixing different colors together. As well as We Come on Time that told the students how different families arrive at school on time. While reading these stories the students were introduced to new vocabulary such as perfect, sort, endless, experiment, and similar. The students were introduced to the short "e" and long "e" sounds. They identified and practiced sounding out different words. For writing, the students wrote thank you letters to friends and family for being helpful towards them.

For math, the students learned to read and create a graph to show things in the category in neat order. They practiced with hands-on activities graphing using bottle caps and themselves to graph who is taller and who is shorter.

The students all week long prepared for their special Mother's Day gifts. They painted lovely paintings and decorated a flower pot. And they also created a personalized book made especially for the mothers. We hope you enjoyed those gifts. The students worked so hard to make for you.

We also want to thank you, parents, for the teacher's appreciation love, and support. We are a team, so thank you!

We hope you have a wonderful weekend and an even better Mother's day!

As always

Ms. Jocelyn & Ms. Adriana