

03/26/2021

Dear Parents,

The topic of this week was "SPRING " and the Letter was "T". During Circle Time, we reviewed the different seasons and the type of weather that characterized each of them. The children also learned about the flowers and their different parts: petals, seeds, stem, and roots. We looked at different pictures of flowers and we learned that they come in different shapes, sizes and colors. The children also guessed and learned words starting with the letter T: tiger, tomatoes, tulip, thorn, throne, talk, turtle, twin, tip, toe, two, time, and much more. They enjoyed singing the song " Tootie Ta" by Jack Hartmann during music and movement.

For small group/art, the children did the following projects: they traced twice the letter T and colored both letters to be alike: T for Twin! They colored half a carton plate and glued stripes of tissue paper to decorate the classroom. They painted a small carton plate, glued sunflower seed, colored a paper with a green crayon and cut out two leaves to make a sunflower. They painted tulips using a plastic fork they dipped in different paints and applied it on the paper. Finally, they practiced writing the letter T and made the letter using Play-Doh.

During playground, we played bowling. We set 3 big bowling pins and the children rolled or kicked a ball; at the beginning, there were a lot of misses, but after several attempts, there were a lot of strikes!

We kept visiting and watering our garden. The children discovered that the our garden space was full of weeds, a wild plant growing where it is not wanted, so we removed them.

For story time, we read the following book: "Spring is Here" "Inside Mouse, Outside Mouse", "Life Cycle Sunflower", "Everything Grows" and "The Seed Bunny".

Reminder: Students of the Week

- due 04/05/21: Damien Torres and Samuel Meija

Quotes of the week:- "If people did not love one another, I really don't see what use there would be in having any spring." — Victor Hugo, *Les Misérables*

- "In joy or sadness, flowers are our constant friends." — Okakura Kakuzo, *The Book of Tea*

Have a wonderful weekend!

Mrs. Miriam & Mrs. Murielle