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Hello Orange Door Parents!

As you can see from the picture above, the students were practicing writing their names this week. Thus far, they have been practicing by tracing their names on a small whiteboard, on all of their art projects, as well as in their journals. And now we have transitioned into having them see their names written on the big whiteboard (written by the teacher), and then copying it right underneath all by themselves. Please check your Brightwheel for pictures of them doing this, some of the students wanted to write out their full names! We are so incredibly proud of them, and they all really enjoy learning. The theme of this week was St. Patrick's Day. 

Art- They made St. Patrick's Day hats with construction paper, glue, markers, and crayons. They made "pots of gold" using construction paper, glue, tissue paper, scissors, and cotton. They traced and colored the letter U, and glued mosaic tiles on it. We made Shamrock men, using construction paper, glue, crayons, markers, and sticker eyes. The students cut the Shamrocks out all on their own. They have really improved their cutting skills this year. At the end of the year, we will send home their "portfolios" which will show you the progress they have made with writing, coloring, and cutting throughout the year. On Friday, the students worked in their journals.

Circle Time- The letter this week was U. We learned about things that start with the letter U. We played songs with the letter u, and we had the students dance to Miss. Patty's stand-up sit down, and we had the students emphasize when we heard the word with the u in it which was up. They loved dancing to this song because they had to stand up and sit down numerous times, and the song got faster and faster.

Music and Movement - Ms. Michelle, the music teacher brought her drum, and the kids had a chance to play it, using a fork, which they found very interesting, and funny. We had Soccer  with Ms. Jackie, and they had a blast!

Next week we will be learning about Spring.

We hope you have a wonderful weekend!

Ms. Miriam and Ms. Melanie