

Lowville Classroom News

February 5, 2019



In the Classroom

What a strange couple of weeks with all the snow days and delays. Hopefully we will see more normal weeks of school weather wise and get back to a regular routine.

We continued our study on trees. The children learned a new song to help them learn the different parts of a tree such as trunk, branch, limb and roots. ***The Green Grass grew all around, all around and the green grass grew all around....*** Have them sing it to you.

Every day children are signing themselves in on their attendance cards to practice printing their names. Encourage them to practice at home.

Children have also been weighed and measured to see how much they have grown.

Nutrition

Mrs. Moshier always enjoys when children help her. One child came into the kitchen at arrival and helped cut up peaches and cantaloupe then helped cut pancakes into strips. Two children helped put names on the tables.



Mrs. Moshier had empty baskets with different colors on them. Each child was given a fruit or vegetable. They had to say what it was and where it grows. They then had to put it into the correct colored bucket.

Books We Read

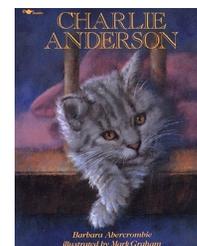
Trees, Trees, Trees
Charlie Anderson
Growing Trees

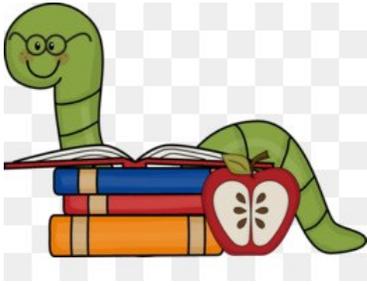
Up-Coming Dates

Feb. 6th & 13th- Parenting Curriculum 3:30-5:00

Feb. 14- Class Trip to Library

Feb. 14- Valentine's Day Party



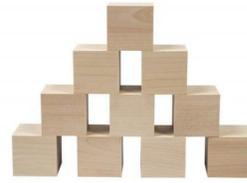


Literacy

Children have been choosing books, pointing to the title, identifying the front and back of the books and where to begin to read the text. They have been using the pictures on the pages to make up their own stories.

They have been working on letter sounds to help with their emerging reading skills. At morning meeting the teacher will have the children listen for the first letter sound in their names and children have to think of who she is referring to.

Children have been working on their own book entitled Trees. They colored pictures, cut them out and arranged them in order.



Mathematics

Children worked on comparing and measuring. An object was placed on the floor, children had to guess how many blocks or dinosaur bones were needed to measure the same length.

Children also worked on counting skills and grouping items according to a certain number.



Science

A variety of items were placed in the water table. Children experimented with them and had to decide whether it sinks or floats.

Microscopes, binoculars, and colored cylinders were available for children to touch and investigate.

We learned about an Arborist which was a new word. Ask your child what this person does.