

Miss Karen and Miss Cathy
Junior News-Room 5

It has been such a wonderful year with your children!

They have started becoming more social and are learning to make friends. They have figured out how to talk to a friend or teacher when something is needed and ask for help when frustrated. They are all very independent and learning they can do many things themselves. They do their own jackets, take their folders out of their backpacks throw away their garbage at snack and wash their own hands.

When children learn to try things and begin to have some control over emotions, (Patience from adults and teaching them what to say or do in a situation, helps children continue to grow in this area), it makes the process of learning things easier. They have also learned the more they do something, the easier it gets.

Please continue to foster their independence at home. Have them help you do little jobs around the house and take care of their belongings.

Continue to work on their names. Please remember to help them recognize each letter. Recognition and sounds are an important foundation that children need to learn, so writing is easier.

Have your children cut, glue projects, color with crayons, build with small manipulatives and play playdough to continue strengthening those fine motor muscles and hand-eye coordination needed for writing.

Literacy

- “Mary, Mary Quite Contrary”
- What Mom’s Do Best
- A Rainbow of My Own
- Penguins Love Colors
- Ice Cream flannel story
- Splat the Cat I Scream for Ice Cream

Dates to Remember

May 2- Wear or bring something purple for purple day

May 9- Mother’s Day in our classroom at 11:10

May 16- Wear a rainbow shirt or a color of the rainbow. Bring back rainbow activity. Information to follow.

May 23- Last Day of School
Please join us in Our Classroom at 11:00 for ice cream and a chance to say Good-bye for the summer!

This Month’s...

Shape: all of them
Color: Purple