

PreK and K Reflections 4/25- 4/30, 2021

Our rhyme was It's Raining, It's Pouring. When Mrs. Trace subbed for me she used her music teacher tools to add some additional music and rhythm.

Students got to 100 on their number scrolls! They have been working on this for many weeks. They are very proud of them. One day this week we did some sensory exploration with shaving creme.



Some other math lessons this week were bead chains which enable exploring various ways to compose a number. We revisited geometric solids by making cubes out of toothpicks with pieces of gumdrops for the vertices. We also made some solid geometric solids: cube, cylinder and sphere.

We explored +1 math facts as well as continuing with various games to reinforce number sense.

Our focus on Forest Friday was on our planet earth and walking a watershed. Students started with a small sphere representing the inner core and added layers reviewing information about each layer as we went along. It was very fun to see their reaction when they cut



them apart revealing the layers they had just made. We followed that up with a walk along the watershed that runs NW off North Road near Spruce Pt. View Road. There are parts where the stream runs underground providing holes to explore. One hole was bigger and a lot of fun for many students.



One of our afternoon activities was to make seed tapes (carrots) to make life easier when planting time comes around.

We are all enjoying the warmer temperatures without snow pants, hats, and mittens!



Thank you for sharing your children,

Miss Nancy