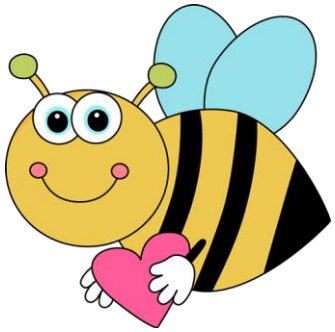
Friends Early Learning Center

February 2018



Important Dates:

February 14 – Valentine's Day
February 15 – Pajama Day
February 16 – Classroom Valentine Parties
February 21 – Preschool and Pre K Eye sight screening
March 9 – Picture Day
March 30 – Friends ELC CLOSED for Good Friday

We welcome Ms. Kellee to our part time floater staff. Kellee has experience working in child care centers including our own many years ago. She has two children of her own and is excited to join Friends Early Learning Center.

Pre-K

In the month of January we continued to study a letter each week. We also learned about Martin Luther King Jr. and Groundhog Day.

In the month of February we are going to continue to study the alphabet while also Celebrating Valentine's day and learning about Presidents day.

As most of you know Ms. Michele has temporarily join our class has her broken wrist continues to heal.

Ms. Nichole and Ms. Michele

Preschool

Our class is growing!! We currently have 15 friends. The kids are excited for our upcoming Valentine party. If you haven't already signed up, there is a sheet on our classroom counter. Don't forget we are doing decorated boxes or bags for the show and tell. The kids will leave them at school to use on Friday.
Please try and drop off your child's belongings in their cubby BEFORE bringing them upstairs. They need to have both hands free for the steps. Thanks!

Ms. Chrissy and Ms. Sara

Toddler Two

This month the twos have had so much fun. We did a lot of science inquiry with snow. Our themes have been as follows: winter, ice and snow winter clothing, and arctic animals. During these lessons, we have dressed a snowman, played in snow and watched it turn from snow to ice then, water. Our class really enjoyed watching that process.

Just a reminder, please label all of your child's belonging. Also on Friday please remember to take home ALL of your child's nap things. To be washed and returned Monday. This helps prevent the spread of sickness. Thank you so much!!!

Ms. Emerald, Ms. Katie, and Ms. Aruna

Toddler One

Hello everyone! Happy February! I, Ms. Abby, will be working with the Toddler One classroom for the next few weeks while Ms. Michele heals. Please keep her in your thoughts and prayers for her wrist.

In February our focus will be on Valentine's Day. We are teaching the children to love each other by being a good friend and that Jesus loves them.

Ms. Abby, Ms. Karen, and Ms. Marilyn

Toddler Nursery

January was a crazy month with a lot of snow. We had fun making our big snow hill and sleds to go down. We also learned about arctic animals. The polar bear was a favorite because they liked to hear the teachers roar. We made snow balls and had a snowball fight (large cotton filled balls).

Please send in a family picture and a small picture of your child. We will be doing family week soon.

Ms. Diane and Ms. Marissa

Infant Nursery

Greetings from the Infant Nursery!
We are looking forward to the end of winter. Although, it was a glorious holiday season we all had our times of sickness. Please be vigilant in monitoring your child for cold and flu symptoms. We clean and sanitize as much as possible, but plenty of sleep and cuddles at home are best. Thank you again for being considerate of other families in doing just that these last few weeks. This year our class will attempt a little Valentine's Day celebration! On Wednesday the 14th please dress your babies in pink or red. We will also do a basic craft with the babies and hope that it turns out great. This month we also sing HAPPY BIRTHDAY to Gabriella who turned THE BIG 1! If you see her around please make her feel special with a Special Wish.

Ms. Lashawna, Ms. Seph, and Ms. Ashley