



PITTSVILLE Child Care Center

Director of Child Care Center Board Report May 9th, 2022

Infant

This month we celebrated Easter and Earth Day! Our classroom materials were Easter themed for the first half of the month and we explored various materials related to water and weather during the second half of the month! The infants enjoyed many different sensory activities including an oats and plastic egg bin, water beads, ducks in a pond, and explored light and plastic eggs with the light table. They also worked on their fine motor skills quite a bit with activities such as feeding the bunny pom poms and opening and closing plastic easter eggs. However, the infants' favorite part of the month was doing the puppet fingerplay, "Five Little Ducks," during our short circle time!



Toddler

This month our theme was Easter and Earth Day. We started the month off using our sensory bin. It was filled with plastic easter eggs, scoops and easter themed ice cube trays that we filled with different colored rice. We loved working on our fine motor skills by scooping the rice in the eggs and our gross motor skills by shaking the eggs to listen to the different sounds. That also helped us recognize most of our senses. Next we used plastic forks to paint baby chicks with yellow paint. Even though it was a little cold, we were able to go for a walk to explore the many objects outside for earth day.





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Preschool

This month our themes were Easter and Earth Day!! We had fun painting with bunny peeps and plastic eggs. We learned about the letters E and R and what sound the letters E and R make. We used dot markers to find the Capital and Lowercase letter E and R and then we created the Capital letters E and R with dot markers. The teachers hid Easter eggs around the classroom for the children to find. After we found all the eggs we opened the eggs and did the activity on the piece of paper we found in the eggs. Ex: roll like a pig in the mud. We painted paper plates with the colors green and blue for the Earth with our hands. We played in colored shaving cream and sorted animals between land and water animals.



Looking Ahead

We are looking forward to the end of the school year. We have a lot of children who will be moving up into new classrooms come June. The teachers have been preparing the children by using a developmental checklist to make sure the children are developmentally ready to move up into their new age groups. As we get closer, the children will do classroom visits and get to participate in the schedules and routines of their new classrooms before they officially move.

We continue to look for qualified staff to join our PCCC team.



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