

September 5, 2017

Dear Parents,

Welcome to the 3's class! It was so nice to meet all of you at Open House. We are looking forward to working with and getting to know your children.

Our first unit will be "The Colors of the Rainbow". We will start by working on the 3 primary colors - red, yellow and blue. Red will be our first color this week. We will read Clifford the Big Red Dog by Norman Bridwell and sing a song called "Red, Red, Red" that will let us know several things that are red. We will be trying red apples for snack on Wednesday and Thursday.

On Wednesday, we will celebrate Violet's birthday. On Thursday, we will celebrate Jessie's birthday. On both days we will make our WLPS muffins. Happy birthday Violet and Jessie!

With each color we talk about we will be asking the children to bring in something from home to share. We will display all of these objects and chose one to paint for our Colors of the Rainbow book. During sharing time your child will tell his or her friends about what he or she brought in. Then they will put the object in the middle of the circle. After everyone has shared we will let our friends have a chance to touch and look at what we brought in.

We would like for each child to bring in a change of clothes to either be left in their cubby or carried in a back pack. This is just in case of an accident. Also, we have several riding toys for the children to use. In order to use them, they will need a helmet. Please make sure that your child's name is written on their helmet as many look alike.

If you have any questions about anything, please feel free to ask me or Mrs. Garrett.

Have a great week!

Mrs. Hollenbeck

Let's work at home: Discuss with your child the three primary colors. Look for these while shopping at the grocery store or reading your child's bedtime story.