



# PreK News You Can Use

Creative Curriculum



Mrs. DeJesus/Ms. Hardin's Class

Week of: April 29, 2019

## Reminders

- By making your child's school attendance a priority, you will be taking an important step in supporting your child's school success, and setting a good example. Remember — every day counts!
- No School on May 27th
- Students last day of school is Thursday, May 30th  
This is an early dismissal day.
- Pre-K Awards Ceremony May 20th at 8:45 am
- Please stop by the office if you bring your child after the bell rings.

## What We Are Learning

This week we concluded our "Reduce, Reuse, and Recycle," study. We read the book "Don't Lose It, Reuse It!"

We discussed ways we can make less trash by reusing some items.

Ask you child to tell you about something that can be recycled.

## Looking Ahead

Next week will begin our final preschool study, "Getting Ready for Kindergarten". We will discuss how kindergarten and pre-school are alike and how they are different. We will reflect on our year together and discuss our favorite memories and what we learned.

## Conscious Discipline Corner

### Top 5 Tips for Promoting Early Learning

1. **Play** Provide opportunities to play. Play is essential to healthy brain development.
2. **Turn off the TV** The types of behavior to succeed in school are completely different from those fostered in television.
3. **Talk-Talk-Talk** Read and talk to your child. Phonemic awareness of sounds comes from listening to the human voice. The sounds that your child hears wire their brain with the first building blocks for reading.
4. **Be a Super Model** Model the joy of learning and discovery. Let your child see you writing and reading.
5. **Connections on the Outside Build Connections on the Inside**  
Connections with the people in their lives boosts your child's brain potential, helps build strong bonds and encourages cooperation.

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## Fun Things to Try At Home

### **Are you a sound detective?**

Try playing the following game to help your child with letter sounds.

Use the question "what sound do you hear in the word \_\_\_\_\_ that is missing in the word \_\_\_\_\_?"

### Word List:

ball-all	stoop-soup
start-star	shrug-rug
clasp-class	flat-at
crab-cab	plant-plan