

PreK News You Can Use

Wheels: Investigation 2

Week of: March 29, 2021

Reminders

Early Dismissal: April 21, 2021

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Wheels

Conscious Discipline Empathy

Conscious Discipline teaches children to name their emotions, regulate them and then solve problems. This starts with our ability to offer empathy when a child is in a state of upset. Empathy is what allows children to take responsibility for their actions instead of projecting their fear of being "caught" by resorting to anger and blame.

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What We are Learning

We talked about how wheels move and how we can make our own wheels. We learned that a pinwheel is a wheel.

Looking Ahead

Next week we will talk about how we use wheels and how they help us. Our vocabulary will include race, vehicle, vehicle names, e.g., motorcycle, bicycle, taxi, bus, wheelchair, stroller, stretcher, wagon, crane, wheel-related sports, e.g., motor sports, inline skate races, roller derby, wheelchair basketball and cycling.

Fun Things to Try at Home

Talk with your child about any wheels you see around your home and neighborhood, such as car wheels, tractor wheels, rolling pins and wheelbarrows. Create a list of wheels you find.

Vroom Tip:

Tell your child stories or sing with them in the tub. You can talk about favorite family memories or make up stories with your child as the main character. Bath time stories and songs make bathing easier and more fun for both of you.

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