Preschool One Group

March 12 - 16, 2018



Favorite Books and Authors:

<u>Author - Mo Willems</u>



Cognitive Development: Our goals are to:

- Introduce the children to the stories written by Mo Willems.
- After reading <u>Don't Let the Pigeon Stay Up Late!</u>, we will talk about why it is important to get a goodnight's sleep.

Art:

- Make an "ice cream cone" with tissue paper.
- We will encourage the children to "mood" paint.

Fine Motor Skills:

- Sponge painting.
- Shaping and molding playdough.

Special Event:

 Tuesday, March 13th - Pizza Lunch - for \$3.50 your child could have pizza, fruit and a drink for lunch; stop in the office.

Gross Motor Skills:

- Move like the animals in Greg & Steve's "Animal Actions".
- Practice throwing and catching a ball.

Social/Emotional Development:

- Talk to the children about what they are feeling and practice different facial expressions.
- Encourage the children to take turns and use "please" and "thank you".

Language Development:

Books:

• <u>Don't Let the Pigeon Drive the Bus!</u>, <u>Pigeon Wants a Puppy!</u>, <u>The Big Guy Took My Ball!</u>, <u>I'm a Frog!</u>, <u>The Thank You Book</u>

Music:

"Bop Till You Drop", "Wheels on the Bus", "Twinkle,
Twinkle Little Star"

Parent Participation:

• Be a Guest Reader! We invite parents to come and read to our group - it only takes 10 minutes. Please stop in the office to schedule a day and time that is convenient for you.