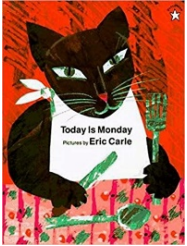
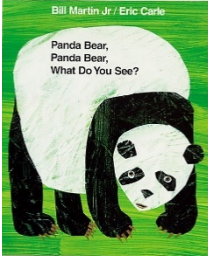
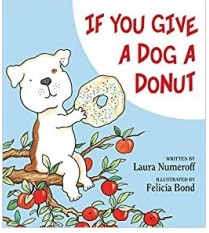
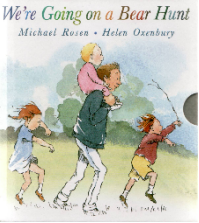
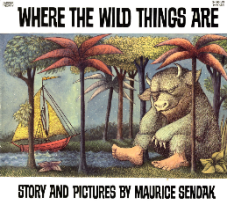




Parent Extended Learning Opportunities

Week of April 27- May 1st, 2020

Focus: Language and Literacy Development

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<h3>Story Reading</h3> <p>Story time is a great way to bond with your child and to build your child's comprehension skills!</p>				
<p>Recommended Reading: "Today is Monday" By Eric Carle</p>  <p>Use this link to hear the story read aloud.</p> <p>Parent Tip: Involve your child in meal planning. Discuss the weekly menu and eat together every night as a family.</p>	<p>Recommended Reading: "Panda Bear, Panda Bear, What do you See?" By Bill Martin Jr/ Eric Carle</p>  <p>Use this link to hear the story read aloud.</p> <p>Parent Tip: Play "I Spy" inside of your home with the focus being "colors".</p>	<p>Recommended Reading: "If you Give a Dog a Donut" By Laura Numeroff</p>  <p>Use this link to hear the story read aloud.</p> <p>Parent Tip: Discussion: What did the dog eat throughout the story? Now discuss what dogs truly eat.</p>	<p>Recommended Reading: "We're Going on a Bear Hunt" By Michael Rosen and Helen Oxenbury</p>  <p>Use this link to hear the story read aloud.</p> <p>Parent Tip: Calling all actors! Act out the story. Use hand gestures. Get up and move around.</p>	<p>Recommended Reading: "Where the Wild Things Are" By Maurice Sendak</p>  <p>Use this link to hear the story read aloud.</p> <p>Parent Tip: Make your own Max and draw, write, or paint about a time you felt like a wild thing!</p>
<p>Virtual Field Trips</p> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The first 100 Days of Mei Lun and Mei Huan How to Mail a Letter How to Write a Comic Book 		<p>Music and Movement</p> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Good Morning Song ABC Animal Train The Animal Song Letter Sounds: See It, Say It, Sign It!
<h3>Outdoor/Indoor Play</h3>				

Play is a natural way for young children to discover and make sense of the world around them.

Infants: Diapering is a great time to bond with your child. Talk to your child about the steps it takes to change their diaper, name the items used, etc.

Toddlers: Sit with your child and look through a magazine or book of pictures. Point at the pictures and name each one.

Preschoolers: Take a nature walk, collecting various things along the way (e.g. rocks, sticks, leaves, etc.). Use these items to spell out your name.

Infants: Use Real Words: When talking to your infant, use real words spoken in a soft, sing-song way instead of using “baby talk” or simply making silly noises.

Toddlers: Enjoy a day outside by running, jumping, and climbing.

Preschoolers: Use chalk to write sight words on the sidewalk. Have an adult to call out each sight word as the child uses water to erase them.

Infants: Cuddle up with a good book-- sit in a soft spot and hold your infant in your arms as you read to them.

Toddlers: Play a game of sponge target. Draw a target with washable paint on a plastic surface. With a wet sponge, aim for the bull’s eye.

Preschoolers: Take an outdoor walk, have your child document what they hear on a sheet of paper.

Infants: Use your infant’s name often to show them how much you care for them.

Toddlers: Identify the Feeling: Take an old magazine and cut out pictures of children displaying various emotions. Sit with your child and talk about how the children are feeling.

Preschoolers: With adult supervision, ride a bike or scooter around the block.

Infants: Babbles and Coos: copy the sounds your infant makes.

Toddlers: Enjoy a game of freeze with music.

Preschoolers: Have an ice cream taste test with a few of your favorite flavors. See if your child can guess the flavor based on the smell and taste.

ADDITIONAL RESOURCES

Join Dolly at Night!



Dolly and her Imagination Library will inspire you to help the children in your community to Dream More,

Learn More, Care More and Be More!

[Link](#)

Parents



Article: [“Read Early and Often”](#)

Video: [“Literacy with Love”](#)

[Launching Young Readers Series](#)

Article: [“How to Introduce Toddlers and Babies to Books”](#)

Video: [“Teach Kids About Germs Using Glitter”](#)

School Age



[10 You’ve Never Heard of: Creature Countdown](#)

[AdaptedMind](#)- Learn K-6 Math and Reading

[The Power of Water](#) – Discover how water shapes landforms

[Language Castle](#)- Creative ideas for playing with grandchildren

