

# Star Class News

March 5, 2010

## Celebrations

- Brooke slid down the tall pole on the playground for the first time!
- We have a new friend Ryan with us in the star classroom!
- Happy Birthday to RAUL! You have lots of energy and great ideas. We are happy to have you in our class.



## Awakening the Senses

This month, the star class will study our five senses as follows:

Hearing and Sight (weeks 1-2)  
Smell (week 2)  
Touch (week 3)  
Taste (week 4)

This week we began learning about sound (vibrations, sound can travel, sound bounces). We were noisy scientists-- making salt jump, creating waves, and funny instruments. YCon phones (yogurt container) are now the main form of communication on campus. We also looked at some artful books. We will continue our study about our sense of sight and then get "smelling" next week.



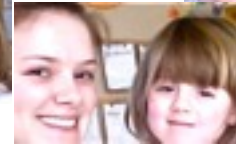
Here is a little song you might like to sing at home (to the tune of "Head and Shoulders, Knees and Toes"):

"My senses help me learn about the world, about the world. My senses help me learn about the world, about the world. Eyes and ears and a mouth and a nose, and skin that helps me when I feel my warm clothes."

\*You can substitute pretty, scratchy, cool, wooly, etc. for warm.

## Notes and Reminders

- Sharing/Show and Tell Day is every Tuesday. Parents and other special people are included. Come on in!
- We need to put a halt to the spread pesky illnesses; please **wash or sanitize upon entering** the building.
- Please remember **not to bring any nut products** to school-- severe allergic reactions will occur if certain individuals have contact with nut products. Thank you!
- Please take home items to be laundered and water bottles every Friday.



Arianna and her mama are saying goodbye for the day.

## NEWSLETTER

We want to invite you to contribute helpful household hints, recipes, funny parenting stories, or suggestions to the newsletter. We will also invite the children to share their ideas and talent in the newsletter. Please submit them to [karmaymiller@yahoo.com](mailto:karmaymiller@yahoo.com) or bring in a copy.

**Please send Karmay an email if you are not receiving the newsletter--thank you.**

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Thank you,

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