



Garden Room

September 28, 2007

Dear RMDS Families,

It's been a busy start to a wonderful year together! We have been transitioning into new routines at school, learning everyone's names, making new friends, and getting to know each other. The Butterfly and Cricket small groups are being formed and everyone appears to be adjusting well.

Our first theme unit is "All About Me." We are learning about ourselves; our bodies, favorite things, friends, families, and our world. Some fun activities we have already experienced include making "Kissing Hands" for our parents, discussing our hands and feet, making prints of these body parts and lots of paint exploration! We have also enjoyed making play dough in different colors, discovering magnets, singing silly songs together, and creating open-ended works of art with glue, tissue paper, feathers, color pastels, etc.

We introduced ourselves to the Spanish teacher, and look forward to having a good time with her. Lee and Caroline came to our classroom for Music and everyone had tons of fun singing and dancing with them!

Some upcoming activities will include studying "Fall," going on a Nature Walk, making ice sculptures, cooking and baking with apples, and experimenting with various sensory materials. Lots of fun to be had!

It has been a delightful experience getting to know your beautiful children and we are privileged to be their teachers. We thank you for sharing them with us in the Garden Room.

Sincerely,  
Barbi, Blanca, & Lena

Special Thanks to:

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Nikki- for the wonderful fish  
Heidi- for the soft receiving blankets  
Kristen- for the lovely doll blankets

Garden Room September Birthdays:

Jacob and Lola

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