

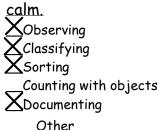
Homelinks Connecting Home and School Classroom # 4

Teacher: Shannon Seelinger	Week of: <u>09/16-09/20/2019</u>
Our Current Study: <u>Beginning the Year</u>	

Daily Questions of the week: Have you ever been sad? Have you ever been scared? What makes you happy? Did you wash your hands when you got to school? Would you like to paint today?

What we learned this week: This week the children discussed what makes them feel sad and scared and ways to feel better if they have those feelings. The children learned that sometimes when people feel sad or scared, they feel better when they draw or write about their feelings. Each child was given a journal where they can write about their feelings throughout the day or week. Some children began writing in their journal about what makes them feel happy and what makes them feel sad.

Second Steps: This week the children reviewed "Listening" in the 2nd Step Curriculum. They demonstrated the Listening Rules in a group: Eyes watching, ears listening, voice quiet and body



- XPatterning __Sequencing Problem solving XListening __Sharing ideas
- Expressing myself Letter recognition Writing Story recall Comparing
- __Eye-hand coordination Asking questions Researching __Sound recognition __Coordination

Daily questions we will explore next week: What song shall we sing today? How many fingers are on your hand? Two or five? Have you ever seen someone type? Do you know how this is used? (display a clock) What do we do after snack?

Things to do together at home: Have your child be the author and illustrator of their own family book. Have them draw pictures of their different family members and "write" why they are important to them.

Things to bring to school: If you have any empty food containers or boxes, please send them in for our Dramatic Play Lab.

Thank You, Ms. Shannon & Ms. Syasia