

Helloooo Room 5 Parents!!

Happy Friday and I am very excited to see you tonight! We will begin promptly at 6:30.

We had SO.MUCH.FUN. reading the book Mix It Up by Herve Tullet this week that we then did a little experiment of our own using some prior knowledge about mixing colors. We poured some 1% milk into a large tupper and then started with one drop of blue food coloring. Then, we took a Q-Tip dipped in some dish soap and pressed firmly on the drop of color. WHOA! The soap and milk combination caused the blue to ripple. Next, we added some more colors in order to make some purple ripples, some orange, and even some magenta! Why did this happen? Would it be different if we used whole milk? What about water or even half & half?

So many NOT boxes, so little time! We continued this week with our exploration of buildings and using boxes. This week, however, rather than diving in head first without a plan, we decided to get a little more organized for possibly a better outcome! The kids decided to either sketch a new blueprint of a different structure or use their original blueprint and make out of the boxes. If the class was working in partners or groups, they assigned themselves different responsibilities! For example, one group had an architect, a general contractor, and a plumber! Come take a look at what we have so far (hopefully tonight)!

Our class really enjoys getting to partner up with the other classes in the school and getting to know one another a little better. So earlier this week, our class got together with Ms. Bia's and Mr. Foti's class to conduct an UBER interesting experiment-OOBLECK! We wanted to create a substance that was similar to what we think another planet's surface is like. We will definitely be trying this one again because it didn't quite turn into what we expected!

That's all for this week and I hope I see some of you tonight! Have a super fun weekend and Go Bears & Blackhawks!

-Ms.Anna