

Happy Friday Parents!

Such a great week! We had lots of fun decoding secret messages that combined both math and literacy (A=1, B=2, etc.), taking some hot air balloon breaths during our transportation yoga in class, racing our new cars on our ramps and pathways, and diving into airplanes!

This week, we began talking about airplanes and jets as another form of transportation and watched a couple of really cool clips on flight. What do we know? What do we want to learn? What do airplanes and birds have in common? I put a map of the world up and we started discussing places we have been, places we want to go, how we got there, and how we would travel in the future. If you have any size boxes laying around, please bring them in for our boxcars and airplanes we'll be working on next week:)

We also began reading our first chapter book this week! The Mouse and the Motorcycle by Beverly Cleary. Ask your child about Ralph and Keith and how in the world Ralph ended up in the wastebasket (woo! new compound word!) with the motorcycle!

Bravo to your children for doing such a fantastic job during the fire drill today!

Reminders:

- Don't forget deposit Fridays! See form in Parent Notes if your child doesn't have a savings account yet and you would like to open one in their name.
- Picture Day forms are in your child's folder. Please return folders Monday.

Have a fun, warm weekend and happy reading with your children!

-Ms. Anna



