

# Pre K News

## What's Happening in Class?

We have begun Theme One which is "Welcome to School!" We will focus on learning the letters in the children's names. In Math, we will focus on shapes: circle, oval, and triangle, square, and rectangle. Through out the theme I will be sending home learning activities. It is important that your child completes and returns his/her home learning activities. Home learning is a reinforcement of what we are doing in the classroom and it is very important for your child's educational growth.

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### Week 1: All About Me

Children introduce themselves.

### Week 2: Let's Be Friends

Children get to know each other as friends.

### Week 3: Our Happy Classroom

Children learn that they are a community

## Questions to Ask Your Child

1. What are the names of your friends at school?
2. What story did you hear today? What was your favorite part of the story?
3. What center did you go to today? What did you do in the center? Which is your favorite center?

## Curriculum goals that pre-k is working on through unit 1

- alphabet recognition
- Encourage independence, self-control, and self-help skills.
- recognizing vocabulary words
- Encourage social interaction among all class members
- tracing activities
- Provide opportunities to express self through art, music, drama, and creative movement
- number recognition and sequencing of numbers
- Provide opportunities to begin learning Spanish

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