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The preschool classroom is ready to jump into August with more summer fun and adventures. Looking back on July we spent time celebrating America's birthday, enjoying water day, making tie dye shirts and making vanilla and chocolate ice cream in a bag. The children have been working on using team work during our summer projects! We have been able to check off many of our items on our bucket list located on the classroom door.

In August, we will continue with our summer adventures both indoors and out. If the weather cooperates, water days will happen more often. If you are able to, please leave an extra swimsuit and towel at your child's cubby. We will continue to give a couple of days' notice for future water days too. At the beginning of the summer, the children came up with things they would like to accomplish and learn about this summer. We will continue to focus on topics of learning that are of interest to them as well as the learning involved with our curriculum.

On Wednesday the 2nd, we will enjoy show and share day. Your child may bring in one item from home to share with their friends. (Items can be left in the cubby area at drop off.) Sharing can be a difficult thing for this age group, and show and share days are great practice for helping children share and learn to take turns. On August 7th and 8th, we will have bring your pet to school day. If it is not convenient for your child to share their pet with the class or if your pet doesn't do well with large groups, they may share a picture of their pet(s) instead. There will be a sign-up sheet on the parent board for times that will work for seeing pets.

On August 11th, we will do a large painting project that may get a little messy. (All paint will be washable) Please send your child to school in clothing that will be ok getting a little paint stained. The children will wear paint smocks, but the smock doesn't cover all of the clothing. On the 16th, we will have super hero dress up day. Your child may dress up as their favorite super hero or dress up creating their own superhero.

Ending the month we will have our annual preschool summer party. The children will have games to play, music to listen to, face painting, snacks and more. The preschool class enjoys this time to wrap up summer and also say goodbye to our friends that will be heading to pre-k in September!

Happy Summer!

Your Preschool Staff