



# Culpeper UMC Preschool



Learning, Growing and Loving Through Jesus

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Dear Parents,

We are off to a great start in our Friendly Frog class. It seems so hard to believe we have already completed our first month of school! Everyone is adjusting wonderfully. We are seeing sharing and friendships forming, as well.

This year your child will be learning many things about God's world, and he or she will be developing language skills with the help of many animal friends. Coloring, painting, and gluing will help develop manual skills. Stories, poetry, and music will aid the development of comprehension, language and thinking skills. Your child will also learn all the letters of the alphabet, recognize numbers 1-15, and count 1-30.

This past month during our table time we have already learned our basic shapes and colors, letters Aa-Bb, and numbers 1-2. During Bible we have begun learning our memory verses with Genesis 1:1, John 1:30, Psalms 18:30 & Psalms 139:14.

Our Centers Time has given the children a chance to explore their artistic side, pretending in the kitchen, math and building with blocks. Claire, Emily, Grace, Andrew and Brett have painted some beautiful pictures in the Art Center. Teddy and Georgia enjoyed cooking up a meal in our Pretend Center. The boys even made a great train track together in the Block Center. Lots of fun happening! Don't forget to ask your child about the songs they've been singing in circle time. They will be so proud to share them with you. We also hope they have shared their yummy experience making applesauce this past week!

This week we will be reviewing what we have learned and then moving on to letters Cc and Dd.

Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions concerning you child and thank you again for sharing your little ones with us at preschool!

Sincerely,

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