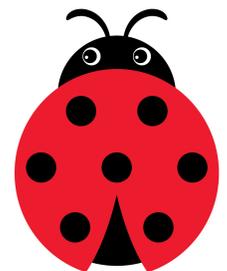




skills to determine the amount of gems our princes and princess' had on their ball worthy garments. Next, the students visited a cave and explored the world of dragons by patterning their own ferocious beasts using construction paper in an ABC color sequence. Once we reclaimed the kingdom, the class headed off to work and built their own bustling medieval city using wooden blocks and our cooperative play schemes, just like a carpenter! To conclude our historical happenings, the group became art connoisseurs and sculpted statues using lots of fine-motor development and a bar of soap. Tying into our noble learnings, the Big Friends also moved through their alphabet studies with the uppercase and lowercase letters M and N! A few linguistical standouts included sorting uppercase and lowercase monkeys into their correct trees, helping a mouse traverse a winding maze with our pincer grips for M, and honing our public speaking abilities by reporting our at home nightly news for N. Way to go Big Friends!



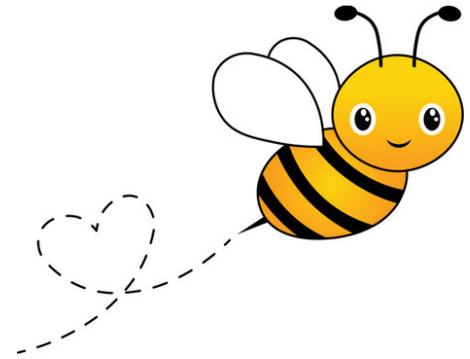
The Littles came out triumphant during our medieval findings as well! To kick off our adventure, the friends spent some time in the castle and explored the diets of the richest nobles in the land by smelling and charting our favorite spices. Once we've sampled the tastiest flavors the times had to offer, the group used their own fiery dragon abilities and our measuring cups to create their own boiling jello. After that, the class became knighted by Ms. Hunter and crafted their own mighty swords by pinching and pasting pieces of tissue paper onto a template. To finish off our crusade, the kiddos explored the ins and outs of medieval art and created their own spring time songs using rhyme techniques. In addition to our royal lessons, the Little Friends also learned about the letters M and N! Some of our favorite letter activities included implementing our numerical recognition by stamping numbers on a mushroom for M, or N is for Starry Night recreations, and using our fine-motor skills to pick up small sequin "germs"





with our Joey gooey nose slime. Awesome work Little Friends!

Now that we've returned to present times, we're ready to introduce our new theme: The Human Body! The kiddos have been asking lots of questions relating to our booboos and how our intricate organ systems operate inside of our bodies. All through April, the class will explore the importance of our 5 senses, how our tummies digest food, and what internal mechanisms keep us moving and grooving throughout the day. We're excited to get to know ourselves in and out come April!



Housekeeping

There is just one date to keep in mind for April.

Bright Beginnings NYC will be CLOSED on Friday, April 3rd for our spring holiday. We will reopen on Monday, April 6th with a regular schedule.

Next, we have space available for our Friday Reader! If you or someone you know would like to pop in and read to the group, please let us know at the door and we'll add your name to the list. Happy reading!

Just as a kind reminder, tuition payments are due not later than the 5th of each month. Thank you in advance for helping keep our systems in order!

Finally, we want to thank all of our Bright Beginnings NYC families old and new for the love and support you have all shared with us during this incredibly difficult time. We have cherished being part of the Southbridge community and having the opportunity to meet and teach so many wonderful kiddos. We are deeply saddened to be saying goodbye, but we know there's so many good things waiting for our friends on the horizon. We can't wait to end this school year on a high





and to continue to create lasting memories with you all ❤️.

Important Dates:

-April 3rd: Spring Holiday. SCHOOL CLOSED.

And with that, we've reached the end of March! We are ready for lots more outdoor adventures as the weather warms and things begin steadily waking up all around us. If you have any questions, comments, ideas, or just want to chat, please feel free to reach out to us at the door or via e-mail. Let's bring on the April showers!

Sincerely,
Bright Beginnings NYC