

## September Newsletter



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## **Upcoming Events:**

KAO CLOSED September 2nd

Grandparents Books and Breakfast September 6th, 8:00-10:00

Professional Development Day September 7th

Hispanic Heritage Month Begins September 15th

National Talk like a Pirate Day September 19th

First Day of Fall! September 22nd Dear families.

The new school year is kicking right off to a successful start! The children have been building new connections getting adjusted to their new classrooms and teachers. They have also been busy learning new concepts and skills through play!

This month, our infant, toddler, and two-year-old friends will be learning about colors, farm and zoo animals, and nature around us with a special emphasis on water. They will learn through building on their confidence by trying new things, expressing their creative side by painting their own zoo animals, and developing a curiosity to learn.

Our preschool friends will be exploring poetry, wordless picture books, animals and their babies, indigenous people and more! Between creating their own poem, developing their own stories to the books they flip through, and learning more about people around us, they will be some busy children!

The Character Essentials focus this month is: WE ARE FRIENDS! What a perfect month to be learning about creating new relationships and friendships with our peers. We will be helping the children work on group projects, sharing their toys and attention from the teachers, and showing empathy to others when they are upset. This could be through words, a pat on the back, or giving the individual a cozy item.

This is just the start of the year! There are many more topics and lessons to be taught. If you or someone you know is looking for educational childcare, we still have a few spaces open for the 2024/2025 school year. I hope you come check us out and see our curriculum firsthand!

Warm regards, Chassidy Jones (Center Director)