Little Brooklyn Pre-K Center

We Learn Through Play

NEWSLETTER





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Special Note

Hello,
LBPKC Families! Fall has arrived and our students are settling into learning. We are seeing freindships forming in small groups, center time and outdoor play. With our units of study underway, kiddos are begining to ask all kinds of questoins to deepen their understanding. Take a look at our 3K and 4K learning foucus' below.

Literacy Connections

Books about Balls– A Ball for Daisy by Chris Raschka, Round Like a Ball by Lisa Campbell Ernst, Yellow Ball by Molly Bang, Bounce by Doreen Cronin, The Ball Book by Joshua David Stein.

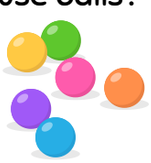
Books about The Human Body– Me and My Amazing Body by Joan Sweeny, Dem Bones by Bob Barner, My Body by Jill McDonald and Bodies are Cool by Tyler Feder.

3k Learning Focus



3K– 3K Investigation: Balls
Our 3K students will begin an exciting Balls Study!
Through hands-on activities, they'll explore how balls bounce, roll, and move while learning simple science concepts like gravity and motion. As they throw, catch, kick, and play together, they'll also build teamwork and problem-solving skills—and even create their own ball games!

Family Connection: –What different types of balls are there? How are they the same and different?
–How do balls bounce?
–How do balls roll? (...down a tube or tunnel?)
–How do people use balls?





4k Learning Focus



4K Study– The Human Body
Over the next four weeks, our Pre-K students will explore the amazing human body! Through hands-on activities, 5 senses, movement, and discussions. Children will learn about different body parts, how our bodies move, and the ways we are alike and different. We are also excited to take a trip to Ume Ume Music, where children will explore movement through music. We will also welcome a special guest, health care worker, who will share interesting facts about our bodies.
Family Connection: Families can continue our learning at home by talking with their children about how to keep their bodies healthy, exploring their five senses, and noticing how they use different body parts throughout the day. We will also invite families to join us in the classroom to share a fun activity related to our investigation or talk about their profession if they work in a field related to the human body.

Physical Ed. with Mr. Ryan

In Gym, we are practicing the routines of physical education while learning about the fundamental movement skills: gross motor, coordination, safety, and teamwork.

We started the school year by exploring equipment—learning how to safely climb and use the slide, ride bikes and scooters, and handle balls and blocks through building, throwing, and active play. Next, we will explore cooperative play through ball passing and parachute activities.

We will look at how working together helps us move, bounce, and balance balls across the group as a team.

In November, we will be exploring spatial awareness and physical control. We will practice passing balls with friends and use a parachute to bounce balls together in two main categories: individual balance and group collaboration.