



A Peek at Our Week

Study Question: How do doctors take care of us?

This week we will continue to follow the children's interest of caregiving but we will narrow in on their interest of taking care of babies and animals that are sick, and discuss the topic of Doctors. Specifically we will try to answer the question, "How do doctors take care of us?" We will explore this question through a virtual "visit" to the doctor's office, and continued discussions during play. We will use this topic as a way to encourage language use by inspiring your child to initiate or attend to brief

conversations or narrate their play.

Our literary emphasis this week will be an interactive e-book on PBS Kids called, Elmo goes to the Doctor.

In this book, Elmo feels sick and has to go to the doctor in order to feel better. Going to the doctor can often be scary for young children and so as we discuss going to the doctor's office it should help your child understand and become more comfortable with the concept of going to the doctor's. We have also converted our dramatic play center

into a doctor's office so your children can further explore this concept independently. In the dramatic play center there are X-Rays of different bones in the human body. We will use this center as an opportunity to practice vocabulary words related to the human body and continue to emphasize their speech goals during play.

We will also continued to practice counting with some toy dinosaurs and practice color and shape recognition with some puzzles we have.



Afternoon Class

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Optional Homework

- Practice vocabulary related to the human body by singing, "Head Shoulders Knees and Toes"
- Help your child practice saying the first letter in their name.
- Point out and label various letters as they naturally occur in your child's environment.
- Practice counting to 10.

Upcoming Events

Last Day of Class 9/29

Home Visits 9/30

Track Out 10/1-10/23

1st day of 2nd quarter 10/24

Visit Fire Station 10/28 10:00 am

Hill Ridge Farm 11/4

Class Buddies

- Daniel & Eli
- Sheamus & Armani
- Jeannette & De'Andra
- Bryan & LaVeya
- Kailey & Yaron
- Gael & a teacher