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February in Review

February was a month filled with fun, learning, and discovery. We had a blast celebrating and honoring a variety of authors for Black History Month! We had an author of the week and a book of the week where the children were exposed to the different values of each author and their stories. We also celebrated National Pizza

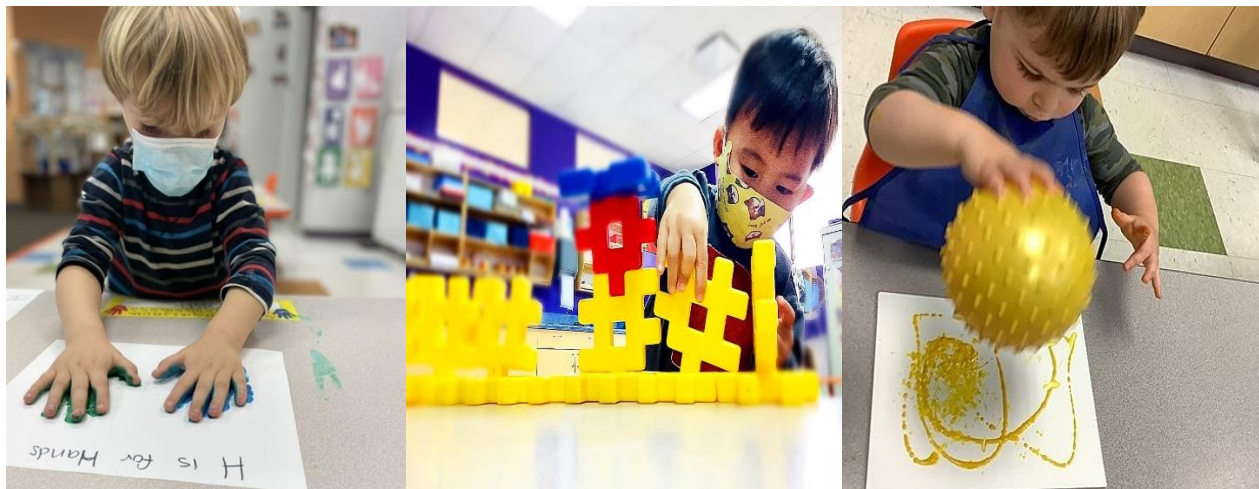
Day where the students were given the opportunity to create their very own classroom pizza with Chef Mo! They were given all of the hands-on materials such as; tomato sauce, shredded cheese, and pizza dough to create their very own yummy masterpiece. We also honored "Feed the Birds" day where students used recycled materials and birdseed to make bird feeders! Where our center is located, we are surrounded by big windows and tons of trees so the children were able to observe their creations in action. We are so excited for the spring weather to begin! Our villagers love to bring our classroom explorations outdoors and the outdoors into our classrooms too! Stay tuned for more fun-filled learning experiences at DV!



Hands-On Learning and Discovery!



Can't you just feel the innovation and creativity through these photos? We spend our days using our five senses to navigate through our activities and learning experiences. There are plenty of opportunities for individual exploration as well as group activities where we can learn and grow together. We incorporate open-ended materials to allow children to create their own visions of art, science, and even cooking! The world can literally be at our fingertips with just a splash of paint or a spiky bouncing ball. We encourage language between our educators and our villagers as well as amongst the student body as a classroom or small groups. We strive to facilitate love, warmth, integrity, and selflessness within our children as they learn how to navigate through social scenarios. Celebrating national holidays and bringing everyone together brings us so much joy as does our daily activities within the classrooms and our outdoor space. We are proud of the innovative curriculum that we provide for our villagers on a daily basis. We believe in the importance of promoting the independence of each student along with the collaboration of many friends!



Employee of the Month



🍏 MISS. KEYLA! 🍏

It is with so much pride that we recognize Ms. Keyla as our March employee of the month! Ms. Keyla demonstrates such wonderful character traits that Discovery Village appreciates her for. Keyla is a team player, she is gentle and kind and she is a dedicated employee with a positive attitude.

The children love to see Ms. Keyla no matter what classroom she is in! Keyla shows up to Discovery Village each day with a willingness to help wherever help is needed and it is so admirable and comforting to know that we have a teacher like her on our team. Thank you Ms. Keyla for all that you do for all of the children at Discovery Village and especially in the preschool classrooms. We are so proud of you for all that you do!



Reminders

Discovery Village will be **closed** on Monday, May 30th for Memorial Day.



Staff Birthdays this month:

Ms. Yasmill – March 10th

Ms. Elissa – March 28th

Quote of the Month

