



# NIBBLES FROM THE BUNNIES

January 2020

## CLASSROOM HIGHLIGHTS

Happy New Year and Welcome Back. We hope you had a restful and relaxing holiday break and you were able to enjoy some special time with your families. During the month of December we enjoyed talking about our holiday traditions. It was very exciting to share our decorated snowflakes with our friends at group time.

During the month of January we will be focusing on the following themes: Penguins, Jan Brett and Winter.

## TIDBITS

Have you ever wondered about the language the Bunny teachers use in the classroom? For example:

- \* "This is a teacher (mom, dad, etc.) choice"
- \* "It is time to leave now" (as opposed to "Do you want to go?")
- \* "Let's make a plan..."

These statements are how we use declarative language. For more examples please see the handout on Bunny Sign-in table.

## WELCOME

Welcome R.J. and his family to the Bunny Room. He will be joining us on Mondays, Tuesdays and Thursdays.

## REMINDERS

Please remember to label all outerwear with your child's name and check spare clothes box for seasonally appropriate clothing.

## FAVORITE ACTIVITIES

Color sorters  
Snow and construction trucks  
Watercolor painting  
Hammering golf tees  
Decorating votives with colorful cellophane  
Sand table with measuring cups and funnels  
Puzzles

## FAVORITE BOOKS

Don't Wake up Mama  
The Jacket I Wear in the Snow  
Owl Babies  
Are You My Mother  
The Napping House  
From Head to Toe  
5 Little Monkeys Jumping on the Bed

## FAVORITE SONGS

I Love You  
Everybody Do This  
If You are Happy...  
Head, Shoulders, Knees and Toes  
Hat Song  
Jingle Bells

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Happy Birthday to McKenna and Poppy.

## UPCOMING

TCW will be closed January 17<sup>th</sup> for TCW Professional Development and January 20<sup>th</sup>, in observance of the Martin Luther King Jr. Day.