





# Nature Immersion Weekly Connection

Week of:	<b>August 20–24, 2018</b>
Conscious Connection	Children are great imitators, give them something great to imitate.
<b>Wish Wells</b> 	<p>Sending well wishes to Ms. Carmen who's been feeling under the weather this week. We hope she finds her voice soon. Zoey has been wondering and asking Ms. Carmen where she left her voice.</p> <p>If you know anyone that you'd like us to send well wishes to, please let Ms. Carmen know so that she can add them to our weekly recap.</p>
<b>Celebration</b> 	Welcome Jenson Pruss to our School Family!
<b>Birthdays</b> 	<p><b><u>Happy Birthday to August School Family Members!</u></b></p> <p>Karl 8/6/14</p>
<b>NI News</b> 	<p>As a reminder, please keep in mind that drop-off begins at 9am. Unless you have previously signed up for Before-Care at 8:30am.</p> <p>Remember to label your child's belongings: snack containers, lunch boxes, water bottles, backpacks, etc.</p> <p>Parent Jobs: We are still in need of parent helpers for the following positions: Playdough Parent, Garden Coordinator, Volunteer Coordinator, Laundry Helper, Seamstress, Pet Helper (2x),</p> <p>Help us build our classroom library and your own at the same time. Scholastic offers great quality books at affordable prices. Our class receives points and free books for every order placed. If you'd like to place an order, go to <a href="https://clubs.scholastic.com">https://clubs.scholastic.com</a>. Our class code is T244Z. The next order will go through on August 31st.</p>
<b>NI Recap</b>	<p>This week we talked about families, what it means to be part of a family and how that translates to being in a School Family. We named our School Family the Friendly Fireflies and learned a new song for keeping it safe. We began decorating our school family banner and worked on a cooperative art project using recycled pouch tops. We continue to enforce our routines and rituals as we talk about keeping ourselves and others safe.</p>

<p>Afternoon Atelier</p>	<p>This week in Nature Immersion we created friendly fireflies by decorating Popsicle with markers, attaching pipe cleaners for the wings and then google eyes on the head. We also made necklaces out of our colorful assortment of beads. The children worked on stringing their beads and counting how many they were adding. We also had a painting project in which we used cardboard as a paintbrush and the students collaborated on one piece of paper to make one complete work of art. The children also worked on using glue sticks and gluing different shapes on construction paper to create different flowers and the sun. We had a wonderful time exploring different kinds of mediums and concentrating and using motor skills!</p>
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