Dear Parents,

We are thrilled to observe that the children are becoming (or have already become) avid and skilled readers. They are excited about the world which opens to them as fluent readers. To support their skills and their love of reading, we are proud to house over 1,000 books in our E1 classrooms in fiction and non-fiction titles. The books are color coded by topic so that the children may find what they are interested in reading with great ease. The entirety of the universe is offered to our students. Some non-fiction topics include the solar system, weather, animals, botany, biographies, history, and poetry, as well as countries and people from around the world.

We are also proud to house a classroom library with hundreds of titles in fiction. Many of these fabulous fiction books are available to the children to borrow and take home. There is a special set of shelves from our AR Library (AR – At home Reading) that includes titles of books that are able to go home. Any children may take a book home and return it whenever he or she is finished with the book. However, if your child begins reading a book and doesn’t particularly enjoy that book, please encourage them to return it to school and exchange it for a new book. Reading should be fun and enjoyable. Naturally, the goal is to encourage the children to not only love reading for pleasure, but also facilitate their commitment to being life-long learners.

Please know if your child receives the Words in Color booklets that come home in the Friday envelope, this is another important and great way to support your child as s/he moves to becoming an independent and fluent reader. We thank you for your support in encouraging the development of the important habit of reading for pleasure. We also thank the Center Parent’s Association who so kindly donated many of the wonderful books in our collection.

Finally, we are grateful to be able share in such a special time in your children’s lives as well as work together to develop their social, emotional, and intellectual intelligences. With registration for the Center’s 2020-2021 school now open to the public, we hope to continue to have your trust and confidence in us as we partner with you in your child’s education and hope that you have secured your child’s spot for next year. Whether your child is continuing to progress through the 3 year cycle in E1, or preparing to move up to E2, please feel free to contact us with any questions you may have. We will be happy to help. Thank you!

We hope you all enjoy a beautiful weekend together!

Sincerely,

The E1 Teachers
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