E2 Classroom Activities: “Imagination does not become great until human beings, given the courage and the strength, use it to create.” Maria Montessori. One of the ways we want Center students to be able to channel their imaginations is by strengthening their writing skills. Writing can be daunting and it takes courage even to begin creative writing and research writing. Our goal is to graduate students who have become proficient in the basic process of writing so that their creativity can manifest itself. One of the ways we do this is through power writing which begins with the power paragraph. The power paragraph focuses on analysis and helps students to understand structure in a paragraph. The power concept teaches the students to organize their sentences according to different levels of importance. It stresses topic sentences, supporting sentences, transitions between sentences, and concluding sentences. Each week the level of difficulty in the lesson increases so that students are able to write more coherent, detailed, and interesting paragraphs. We believe good writers are made, not born. By building skills, students develop resources and strategies which support engaging writing. Recently, students have continued their work in Albanesi, our grammar series, sentence analysis work, math detective, and math applications. We continue in our individualized math assignments as well which include fractions, decimals, percentages, and algebra, depending on the level of the child. Students are also studying their scripts so that we can be off script as soon as possible. Such busy lives our children lead. It is exciting to see them so hard at work.
Our big class trip is this year is to Sea Camp in the Florida Keys. The dates are May 6, 7, and 8. The remaining balance of $635.00 is due November 15th.

There will be some additional costs which we will share with you closer to the trip.

Calendar 2019

October 31- Parent Coffee- 8:30am-9:00am

October 31- Halloween Parade- 9:00am

November 1- Field trip to Straz Center for Florida Orchestra

November 9- Fall Art Festival- 11am-1pm

January 22- Roald Dahl’s Matilda the Musical - Manatee Performing Arts Center 7:30

Thank You!

Mystery Math

If Mr. Flynn is 90 centimeters plus half his height, how tall is he?
Due: October 21st

What: Florida Orchestra performance

One Giant Leap

50th Anniversary of the Moon Landing

When: November 1st 10:30am
Leaving school by 8:45am

Where: Straz Center Tampa

Cost: $9.00

We will provide a snack

*Please bring a packed lunch*

My child________________has permission to attend The Florida Orchestra at the Straz Center in Tampa on November 1, 2019

We will leave promptly at 8:45 and will return approximately at 2:00pm

Please pack a cold lunch.

Yes___I am able to chaperone and can take_______children in my car.

No____I am unable to drive at this time.

Parent Signature________________________________