



September Newsletter
Theme: Bears & Bees Letter: Bb



This week we learned the letter Bb. We discovered that there are many types of bears - Polar, Black, Brown, Panda and Koala. We talked about what each breed ate and where they lived. Each child brought in a stuffed teddy bear and they told what type of bear it was. We split up our bears and counted to see what group had the most and which had the least. We had a big group of "rainbow colored bears" for the pink, green and blue ones. They really enjoyed this activity.

Mrs. Gregory came and read us some wonderful books for story time. The children loved having her come to the classroom. She will come once a month.

We also played hide the bees. I hid bees around the room and each child was able to find a bee.

I will be sending home a permission slip for your child to have a FREE eye exam. The Nevada Lions Club will be taking a simple picture of your child's eyes and the results will be sent to Iowa City for reading. Everyone will receive the results in a few weeks. Please watch for the form in your child's tube next week.

If you have paperwork that hasn't been turned in yet—please do so by next week.

Songs and Finger-plays:

Teddy Bear, Teddy Bear Turn Around
Bee Hive
5 Little Bees
Going on a Bear Hunt
Freeze Song

CENTERS:

WOODEN BLOCKS
BUG GAME
DRESS UP BEARS
ALPHABET LETTERS
DOMINOS
LEGO'S
PUZZLES

Books:

- **Bear Snores On**
- **Don't Wake Up the Bear**
- **Goldilocks and the Three Bears**
- **Brown Bear**
- **One Bear Two Bears**

Activities:

Wrote letter Bb
Worked on lines & circles
Bear Lacing card
Marble Painted a Bee
Circle Worksheet
Water Color Painted a Bear



Sign Language:
Letter Bb
Bear