



Montessori Academy

OF CHAPEL HILL

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TODDLER ROOM

The toddlers sure are enjoying their summer at MACH! They loved digging for dinosaurs and tie-dyeing shirts. They have so much fun playing in the water on Splash Day. The toddlers have also been working on their manners and learning to share. And they've also enjoyed expressing their creativity with lots of different art projects.

Smiles, Miss Savannah,

Miss Lindsay & Miss Natasha



CHILDREN'S HOUSE #1



August has been a busy and exciting month in Children's House 1. We welcomed two new friends to our classroom, Abby and Ethan who happen to be twins! During Back in Time week we made our own tie dye t-shirts outside in the school yard, and everyone wore their tie dye creations on Dress up Friday. From wheels to trains and spinning wheels to exercise balls, we learned and experienced the movement of things that go round for Go To Keep Rolling week. For Friends and Foes week we had a great time reading and listening to many stories, including the class favorite "The Mad Tea Party" from Alice in Wonderland. We colored dragons and princesses and of course listened to Frozen's "Let It Go".

Miss Hayley and Mrs. Lysha



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CHILDREN'S HOUSE #2

Summer is all library books and playground time. We've painted and built cardboard cars, tie-dyed shirts, dug for dinosaurs and spent every Wednesday playing in the sprinkler. In the classroom, we've painted with cars, made dinosaur headdresses and examined archaic technologies like dial telephones and electric typewriters. We studied dinosaurs in detail and the history of cars. We've looked at books that portrayed one "street" in England over thousands of years from encampments to Roman times to the plague and modern skyscrapers. Fairytale week was nonstop reading of old folktales and modern adaptations. Our students love sharing stories of visiting grandparents and family beach vacations. .

Happy Summer to All,

Miss Maria and Miss Madeleine

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