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Hello Pre-K Families,

With a new unit and getting back into the routine of a “normal” school week, this week in Pre-K went really well! We started our letters and mail unit by talking about what makes a letter, and how to begin writing them. This was an introductory week, but the students really took to it! The kids wanted to keep writing letters all day! Coming home this week will be some of the letters that were written to your child. In our classroom each student has a mailbox set up, and this week we sent letters to each other and to other staff in the school. In the coming weeks our correspondence will change and we will add more mailboxes for those folks.

Here are some of the activities that we did this week:

-Shared our weekend news

- Make a Know, Want to Know and Learned chart about mail.

-Wrote and practiced the letter “L”

-Made our own design for a stamp

-Shrunk the stamp down and practiced gluing it on our mail to classmates

-Wrote our first letters!

-Used 10 frames to paste stamps on our mail and send it.

-Practiced writing in the “From” section. This was good practice for writing our nam1es.

-Talked about where mail comes from, how it gets sent and delivered.

-Discussed the good shepherd, and how Jesus calls us all to follow him.

Next week we will continue to build on the idea of letter writing and using stamps to practice counting. The mail will be sent home every Friday in the student’s Friday Folders. Thank you for emptying these and sending them back to school with your child on Monday. In class we may not have time to read all the mail aloud to each student, so reading these through at home is a wonderful way to support literacy at home. Thank you for all your support, it was a really fun week!

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