Dear Parents,

We have gotten off to a very good start of the school year. The children are enjoying the Creatures Theme. On September 9th, we will be starting our new 4 weeks of our Badge Curriculum.

9/9/19-10/4/19                PBL: Insect World
Primary Badge: That Bugs Me
Intermediate Badge: Bug Guide

The children will work in arts, crafts, STEM, Reading and imagination. Wellness activities keep them engaged and active with their peers and staff.

I would like to remind Parents to check our Parent Table regularly for Program information and near future Workshops.

JOIN US for our STEM Workshop!!
When: September 19th   Where: Media Center   Time: 5:15PM

Attendance in BASA: West

The BASA Academy Program is an academic based program which requires the students to be attending each day checking out no earlier than 5:47 PM. We want every student to get the maximum benefits from the program. If your child is continuously absent, picked up early, or picked up late, they may be asked to leave the program. If your child is absent or not attending on a specific day, please let us know. This is for the safety of your child.

Three reasons every father should read to their child and not just moms:

1. Dads provide a different set of skills to their children. When mom and dad read to their children, it positively impacts their learning. When fathers read to their children, the child’s verbal skills can increase by up to fifteen percent, which does not typically happen when just moms read to them.

2. Children are better behaved. Studies show that when fathers read to their children and share other caregiving responsibilities with mom, their children have better attachment, they have high self-esteem, and show better social competence. The time fathers spend with their children builds their literacy skills, the child has better impulse control, shows a greater ability to take initiative, and are more empathetic.

3. Children do better academically. When dads model the importance of literacy to their children, they perform better in academic endeavors, and have higher scores on standardized achievement tests.