

Our **SUPER**Week



March 11-15, 2019

Here are a few highlights from our week:

- We listened to Classical and Jazz Music, comparing them to other musical genres. As a large group, we recalled that music can be a form of artistic expression, and decided that Jazz music has a lot of personality! Using lots of zig-zags and swirls, we painted pictures using lines and strokes that remind us of Jazz music. As we listened to Classical Music, we pointed out differences between the two, including their rhythm, beat, and pace.
- We had our first DEAR Time! Each day after lunch, while the children are winding down from our busy day, they will each find a cozy spot in the room for DEAR (Drop Everything and Read!) time. Each child was given a book box to keep in his or her cubby and asked to choose five books. Three of which are “just right” books, or books that they are able to read independently. Each day during our DEAR time, we will ask the children to read quietly and independently, as we make our way around the room, sitting and reading with each child for a few minutes. This is such a great way to help increase our Kindergarteners’ reading fluency and comprehension, and they all love having their own little collection of books to take care of in the classroom!

Looking Ahead

- **Spring Break** March 15-22