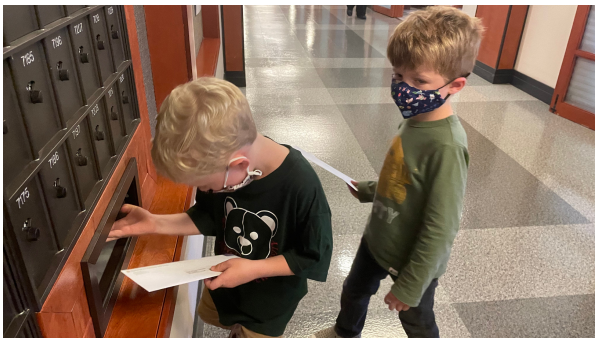
SUN BEAR NEWSLETTER

WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY NURSERY SCHOOL

Community Helpers

Community Helpers are people who live and work in our communities. They are everywhere throughout our communities – at home, at school, at the library or the store – we meet hard-working men and women who make our lives easier every day. They include: construction workers, teachers, doctors, mail carriers, vets, garbage collectors, delivery drivers, cooks, police officers, fire fighters, librarians, emergency workers, and many more.



Postal Workers:

On Monday we talked about postal workers and how mail is delivered. We wrote letters and walked to the campus post office on Friday to purchase stamps and mail the letters.

Doctors, Dentists & Nurses:

On Wednesday we discussed how doctors and dentists keep us healthy and help us when we are sick. Our dramatic play area was transformed into a doctor's office. We made doctor bags and brushed models of teeth.

Fire Fighters:

These brave community helpers keep us and the environment safe in case of a fire. On Tuesday we played with fire trucks, a fire station, and pretended to be firefighters. We created flame art with tissue paper. The Clayton Fire Department visited our school to talk about fire safety.

Construction Workers:

On Thursday we thought about all of the things construction workers build. We used real nails to "hammer" shapes into cork boards. (Great for building hand strength and hand/eye coordination.) The center of the room was transformed into a construction site complete with caution tape, big wooden blocks, and plenty of tools.

We will be learning about apples next week.

~Katie & Colleen