## **ICCS Preschool News**



R is for Rocket

Pre-K has been learning all about space over the last month. Here you can see the awesome rockets they created as they learned about the letter R. These incredible students have learned the names of all of the planets and many interesting facts about each of them, made their own model of the solar system, discovered new things about the moon, did some fun creative writing about the planets and more!



**Move Those Bodies** 

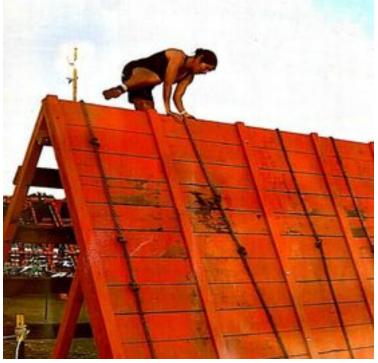
Our Preschoolers have spent the last several weeks getting to know their new teacher Miss Michele.

They have had a wonderful time engaging in many fun gross motor (large muscle) activities which Miss Michele loves to teach! Her students are building wonderful relationships and strong connections with her as she helps them to learn all of their preschool skills through engaging play experiences.



## **Developmental Highlight**

Literacy Skills - Preschool students spend lots of time engaged in activities that promote literacy. Literacy is made up of all of the skills that prepare students to read. Reading to children and helping them learn basic book handling skills, learning letters and sounds, identifying rhyming words and clapping out the syllables in word are all examples of literacy activities. You can help your child develop these important prereading skills at home by reading a bedtime story each night or playing I Spy to help them find household items that begin with a certain letter sound.



## Staff Fun Fact

Did you know that Miss Michele participates in obstacle course races? She and he husband run these fun races together on a regular basis. Very cool!



**Encouraging Words for Parents** 

"For you know that we dealt with each of you as a father deals with his own children, encouraging, comforting and urging you to live lives worthy of God, who calls you into his kingdom and glory." 1 Thessalonians 2:11-12