

Dear Family: In class today, we looked closely at nature. We drew pictures of things found in nature.

Did you know?

- Children like nature.
- Living things are part of nature. Nonliving things are part of nature.
- Plants and animals are parts of nature. Rocks and the sky are parts of nature.

Ask your child:

- Tell me some things that are found in nature.
- Explain what you saw when you looked out the window.
- Describe your drawing.

Vocabulary:

- observe – to look at closely.
- describe – to tell about.
- trace – to draw a copy of something.
- drawing – making a picture of something.
- detail – a small item.
- natural – not made by humans.

Activity:

With your child, look outside your window. Talk about all of the things you see. Discuss the things that are parts of nature. Talk about the things that are not parts of nature. Help your child draw a picture of something they see that is part of nature. Send the picture to school to share with us.