

# Zebra Newsletter

## September

### Dear Families,

Dear Families, Young children are amazing individuals. They will be the focus for our first four weeks of learning. Your child will be trying out the fantastic ways he/she can move, identifying his/her emotions and feelings, and learning about how to interact with others and cooperate to get things done. We will also explore curiosity and wonder to discover all that is around us. Celebrate with your awesome three-year-old as we begin this exciting school adventure.

### Math-

It is important for young “mathematicians” to learn how to identify attributes (characteristics) before they can sort and classify. Children will begin by identifying one characteristic about a friend: Paul has a blue shirt. As they begin to describe the people and things around them, we will introduce the word attributes. During this theme, children will notice attributes of color, shape, and size. They will also use position words (over, under, beside, behind) to describe an object’s location.

### Literacy

**Week 1: Physical Me**  
**Word of the Week: Awesome Literacy Focus: Letter**  
**Introduction**  
**Read-Aloud Time:**  
**Awesome Me**  
**My Body Talks**  
**Week 2: Feeling Me**  
**Word of the Week: Ecstatic**  
**Literacy Focus: letter**  
**Introduction**  
**Read-Aloud Time:**  
**How Do You Feel?**  
**Little Red Hen**  
**Week 3: Social Me**  
**Word of the Week: Sociable**  
**Literacy Focus: letter**  
**Introduction**  
**Read-Aloud Time:**  
**The More the Merrier**  
**The Enormous Turnip**  
**Week 4: Curious Me**  
**Word of the Week: Curious**  
**Literacy Focus: letter**  
**Introduction**  
**Read-Aloud Time:**  
**I Wonder**  
**Soapy Scientists**

COLOR: RED

SHAPE: CIRCLE

NUMBERS: 1,2

LETTERS: IDENTIFY FIRST INITIAL OF  
NAME

**Memory Verse: “You Are The Light Of The World” MATTHEW 5:14, NIRV**

**Key Question: Who Can Love Like Jesus?**

**Bottom Line: I Can Love Like Jesus**

**Basic Truth: Jesus Wants To Be My Friend Forever!**