

Welcome to Kindergarten



Your First Days of School at
Courtenay

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In September I will go to a new school. It is called *Courtenay*.



My school is on the traditional unceded territories of the K'ómoks people.



School

We are grateful to live, learn and play here.

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I will go in the door.



Sometimes my parent will go in with me and sometimes my teacher will come to get me.

This is the office.
People can help me here.

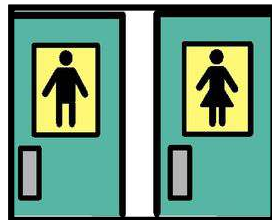


Office

This is the door to the bathroom and what it looks like inside.



Don't forget to flush and wash your hands.



bathroom

I will hang up my coat
and change my shoes.



I will see and do many
new things in my
classroom.



There will be many places to play in Kindergarten.



At Kindergarten we . . .



Listen to our teacher
and the ideas of others.



At Kindergarten we . . .



take turns speaking
and listening.



At Kindergarten we . . .



are patient and kind



and share with others.



At Kindergarten we . . .



share ideas
with the group
at the carpet

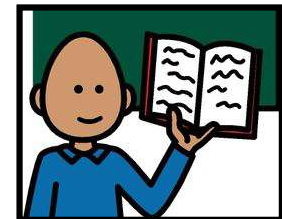


Carpet Time

and we listen to the
teacher read a story.

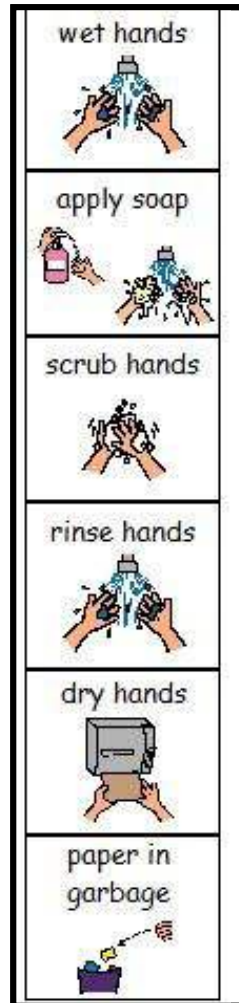


In this story
we are
learning about
gala (grizzly
bears).

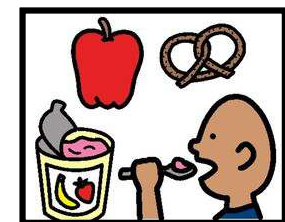


Story Time

At Kindergarten we wash
our hands at the sink



and eat our own snack
and lunch every day.



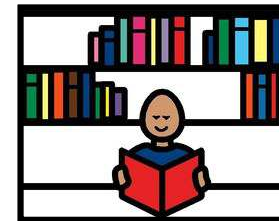
Snack

Sometimes we go to the gym, multi purpose room



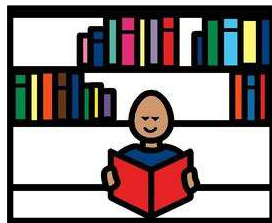
Multi Purpose Room

or the learning commons.



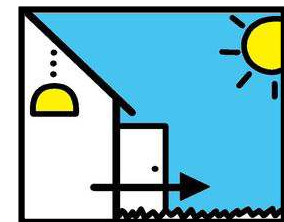
Learning Commons

Sometimes we go to
the library.



Library

We get to play and
learn outside.

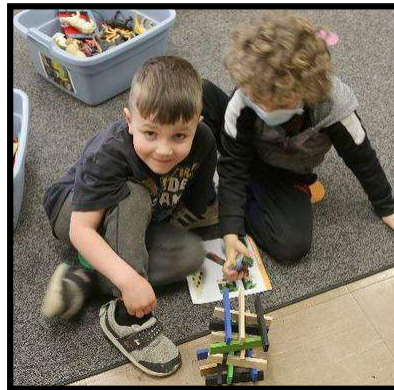


Outside

At Kindergarten we . . .



have fun!



At the end of the day, I
fill my backpack, change
my shoes,



and get ready
for home!



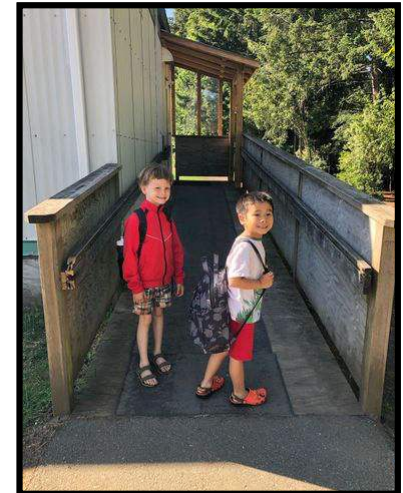
Some kids go home with an adult.



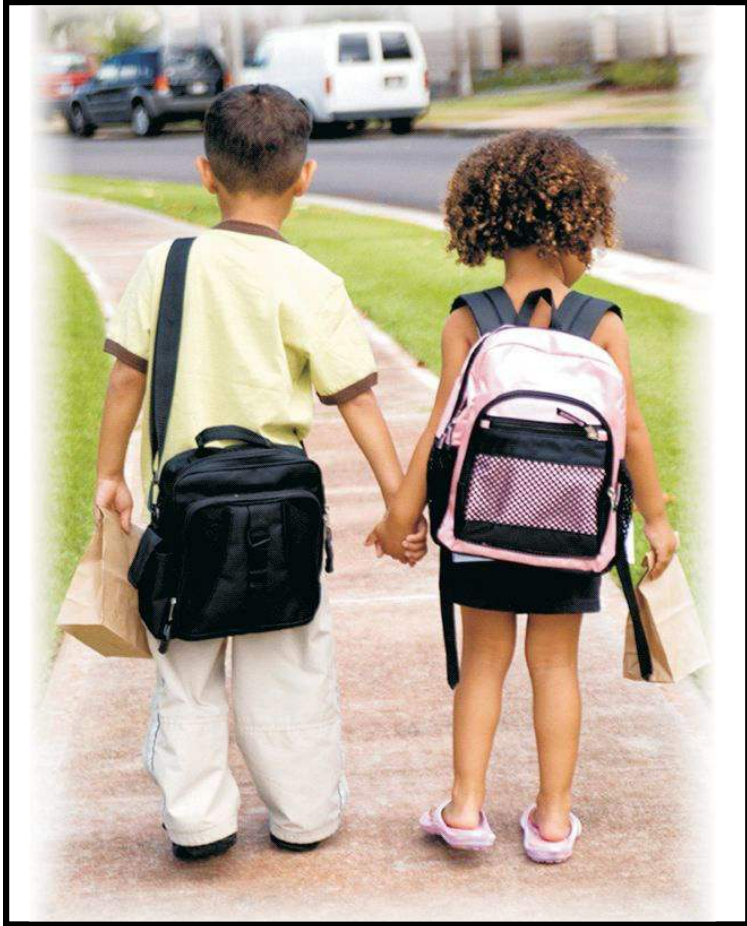
Some kids go home on the bus.



Some kids go to after school care.



When I get home, I share my day with my family!



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