

Children's Center Summer Learning Progression Academy

Launch into Learning

Summer 2021

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Launch Faculty and Staff



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Launch Leader: Teresa Treloar

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Counselor: Dewayne Williams

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Custodian: Shaunder Fowler



Johanna Giles Hubbard

Principal

The faculty and staff have worked hard during the summer months. We are excited to be back together with our returning students.

Each student has a team of dedicated professionals following an individualized educational plan to ensure the best educational environment possible. They work on communication, self-help skills, developmentally age-appropriate academics, physical management skills and socialization skills in a safe and caring environment.

Launch into Learning *CHILDREN'S CENTER*

The Children's Center School is located at 310 Madison Terrace and provides services for severely disabled students in Montgomery County, Alabama. It is a very unique school, serving students in grades K-12. Most of the students are multi-disabled, non-verbal and in wheelchairs. Other disabilities represented are severe intellectually disabled, autism and traumatic brain injury. Medical fragility is an issue that must be addressed each day as teachers and staff work with students. Communication, mobility and motor skills, self-help skills and pre-vocational skills are major components of instruction at Children's Center.

Our student-centered classrooms are based on collaboration, project-based learning, technology integration, and communication between students, teachers, staff members, and parents.

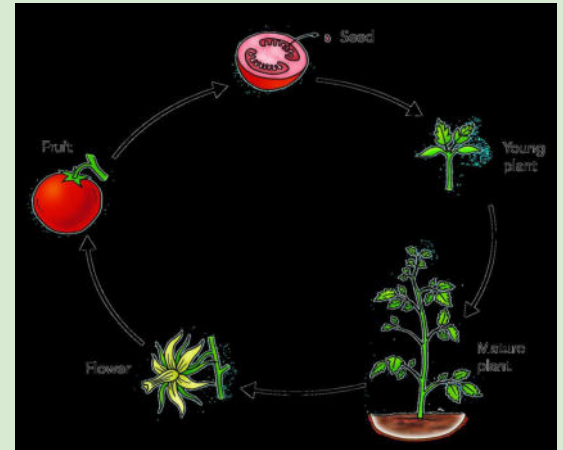
Teresa Treloar

Launch Leader



How Does Our Garden Grow?

Students participate with the entire process of gardening- setting up the raised garden beds, planting seeds, watering plants, observing the various characteristics of the different plants, watching them grow, harvesting the vegetables and eating their fruits of their labor.



Science Garden Time



J. picking vegetables
From the garden.



Mr. Philip teaching
a lesson.



DANCING



The students love watching and participating in dancing activities.

The music, movement and rhythm makes them smile, clap, sing, cheer, and move along with the beat!





Dance Time



The Tooty Ta Dance Song

https://youtu.be/PKZvyai_FCo

Guest dancer- the students loved it!

<https://youtu.be/XrTmpYEXVhA>



Rhythm and Singing

Our students love to express themselves through rhythm and singing. They listen and make different sounds with rhythm instruments. They will also sing and clap along with others as they enjoy guests' and staff members' performances.

Rhythm & Songs

Ms. Cotton and J. singing

https://youtu.be/DeHcTj_djmo

Music and Rhythm instruments

<https://youtu.be/WB833SkF9GU>



ARTS and ACADEMICS

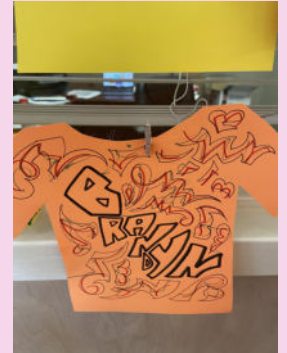
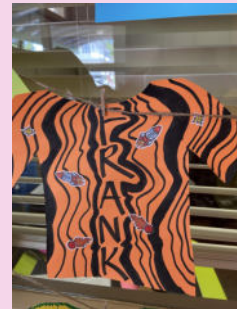
*English Language Arts, Mathematics, Science, Social Studies,
and Arts (Music, Dance, Visual, Media, Theatre)*

While incorporating academics in everything we do, students enjoy exploring different standards through various mediums, projects for self-expression, textures, and colors.

Let the Olympics Begin!



Personalizing our "T-shirts"



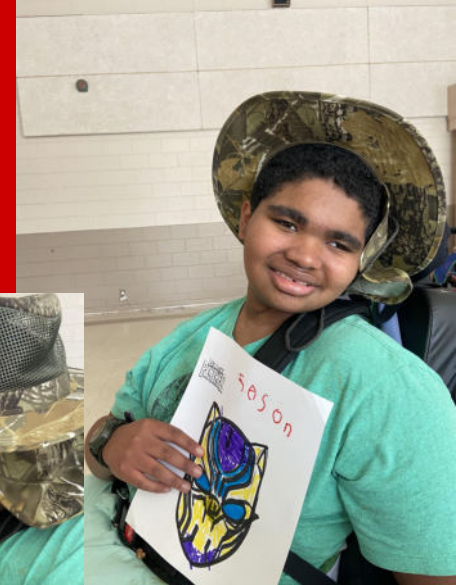
*Self-expression *Fine motor skills

*Creativity *Making choices

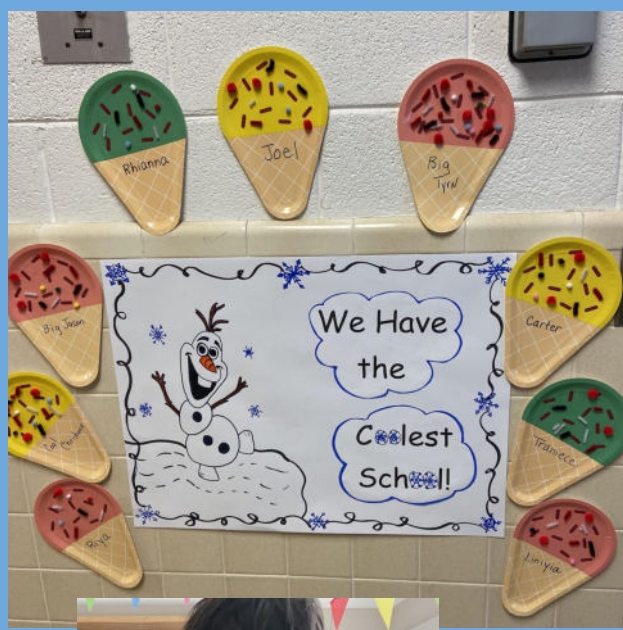
Printmaking Plants



SUPERHEROS in EVERYONE!



Textures



CLAY SALT POM POMS PIPE CLEANERS

Watercolors Acrylics Markers Glue Sponges

Interactive Technology

Students enjoy interacting with technology in the classrooms individually and socially in groups.



Exercise, OT, PT, Speech



Our students enjoy working with several therapists and interacting with classmates doing various physical activities.



Social Emotional Learning Counselor



Our students have the opportunity to see Mr. Dewayne Williams as he comes into our rooms every morning through ZOOM with morning announcements, encouragement, and grounding strategies. He works with small groups and individuals. He helps our students, teachers, and staff start the day with a productive and positive attitude.



Children's Center LAUNCH INTO LEARNING

2021 Summer School

Our school is the epitome of *student-centered* learning and it can be seen in every classroom environment. Our teachers and staff are dedicated, kind, and caring professionals who implement unique and engaging strategic teaching techniques every day to help our students work on their IEP goals. The MPS 2021 Summer Learning Program gave our children the chance to get acclimated to school schedules and lessons, developmentally appropriate challenges, and enrichment opportunities. The children's smiles, responses, and enthusiasm let us know how much they have appreciated and enjoyed Launch Into Learning at Children's Center this summer!