



Viera Children's  
Academy

August 2022



## VPK Newsletter

### VPK NEWS

Thank you for choosing Viera Children's Academy's VPK program, where learning is hands-on fun!

We would like to take a moment to introduce our VPK teachers to you. Ms. Kathy and Ms. Julia are the Seahorse Room teachers. Ms. Salma and Ms. Nona are the Starfish Room teachers. Ms. Amber is the Seagull teacher. Ms. Vicki is the Stingray Room teacher and Ms. Cinda is the Shark Room teacher. Our team is overly excited to start another year!

We are always accessible by phone here at the school or by email. You can email us at:

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We hope that we can work together and have a great year!

*"The littlest feet make the biggest footprints in your hearts!"*

### WELCOME TO VPK

Welcome to Viera Children's Academy Voluntary Prekindergarten Program! We are confident that you have made an excellent choice and we assure you that we will make every effort to ensure your child's VPK experience is the best it could possibly be.

In our VPK class, we use a research-based curriculum called "High Scope". This VPK approved curriculum offers a wealth of activities that will give your child the very best preparation for Kindergarten.

We add themes to the curriculum to make it all the more enjoyable for the children. A vital component of the curriculum is your involvement.

Again, welcome to Viera Children's Academy. We are glad that you are apart of the VCA Family.

**"Everyone is welcomed with a warm heart at VCA."**

## Upcoming Theme

Week of 8/15: All about Me  
Week of 8/22: Feelings and Emotions  
Week of 8/29: Community Helpers

## *VPK Homework*

Homework will begin the second week of school. We will begin sending home the pink D'Nealian workbooks that you purchased. All homework will be sent out through the Procure app. Please visit our website, as we update monthly. Homework is due daily. Show and Tell is due on Thursday each week. Our show and tell will be related to a subject that we are working on in class. We encourage you to work with your child on these projects. Please do not do it for them.

## Cooking News

We will have cooking/science projects once a week. This will not be possible without parental help. A class Wish List will be emailed to you through a Sign-Up Genius link. Thank you in advance for your continued support!

## JUST A REMINDER

Please bring your child to school on time. It becomes a distraction when you bring your child in late. AM classes must arrive at 8 AM and PM classes must arrive at 12:30 PM. When your child enters the classroom, please have them put their blue homework folders in the basket in the classroom. Then they will place their lunch box and bag in their personalized cubby. Next, they will wash their hands and sign in on the sign in sheet. Then they will pick a table to play tabletops until circle time.

## *Parent Corner*

Learning does not just happen by sitting down and doing an activity. Learning is all around us. While you are at the grocery store you can ask your child to find letters on the boxes, ask them what shapes they see, what color is that fruit or vegetable? Learning is everywhere, make it fun and your child will never know that they are learning!