

TBDP Mis' Shirley's Pre-K and Kindergarten Class Summer 2001

Dear FEMA:

Every year when summer comes, we devote a week of hurricane lessons for our preschool and kindergarten class.

The children learn songs about the wind, the rain, how to be prepared, take care of their pets and other things having to do with a hurricane.

The children have learned Hurricane words like storm surge, winds, evacuate, safe rooms and much more.

All the children have prepared for the possibility of a hurricane by packing their own backpack with things they might need.

In reviewing today, the children seem to know quite a bit. Just ask them, "How many hurricane categories are there?" "Which one is the worst?" "What is a storm surge?" "Where is the safe room in your house?"

I hope you enjoy the pictures. On this day we discussed how a house could look before and after the hurricane. We also talked about what might happen to the animals and objects left out in the storm.

Today after reviewing, the children received their own hurricane brochure. The parents are also receiving a brochure today; their's is from the local news channel.

Until next year.

Yours in teaching children,

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