# Early Childhood

## December, 2019



## **Pre-K Students**



School	Full day	Bus students
Smart Start Classrooms	33	25
PDG Classroom	17	14



### **Academics**



**Topic:** Winter Holidays

**Big Idea:** Students will be able to identify differences in how holidays are celebrated in different cultures.

Students will explore diversity in holidays during the winter.

#### **ELDS Strands:**

Cognition A: effective approaches to learning S&EH: social relationships Physical B: fine motor skills Language & Literacy D: support to use language Creative Arts A: engage in and enjoy the arts Math A: understand counting and cardinality Science A: apply scientific practices Social Studies A: understand self, family, and diverse community









#### **Professional Development:**

- PDG Professional Development coaching from Sue Vivian
- High Quality Instruction
- Ct. DOTS training (Ct. guide for observation)
- Visit from PEIP (the prevention through early intervention program) a social emotional program with the 3 & 4 year old class.
- Early Childhood Council Meeting

Little Raiders University is NAEYC Accredited. Renewal 7/1/2023







Blake Michaels family donated a white board to his classroom.

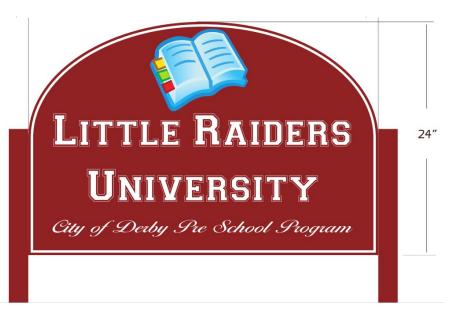




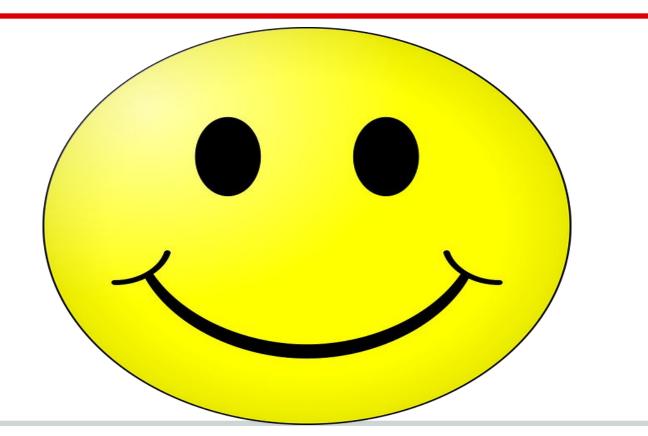
## **Culture & Climate**



- LRU Specials: Art, Library, P.E., Music, PEIP
- Monthly Derby Neck librarian comes to LRU for a 30 minute program in each classroom.
- During this time the teachers have the opportunity to take their teacher prep. time



## Thank you for your time!!



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