Dear Families:

This week, we are exploring the circle, which is a geometric shape. We have been finding circles and circle objects everywhere! We even had a “circle snack” of sliced bananas, Oreos and cucumber slices.

We have been using vocabulary words like **round**, **closed-curved line** and **never-ending** to describe the circle. We also observed that a circle starts at one point and ends at that same point.

As the children identify the various attributes of a circle, they will begin to incorporate these words into their vocabulary and access this information as they begin exploring new shapes and comparing different shapes to one another.

Circles are everywhere⎯and you can reinforce this geometric concept by asking your child to point out circles wherever you might be. “I Spy” is a great game that can help solidify the connection between circles and everyday objects. Say: “I spy a black circle that goes ‘round and ‘round and helps a car move.”

Have fun circle hunting!