

Puppy Dog Kindergarten March News Notes

We returned to our study of the states. This time we focused on the Southern states. In the state of Kentucky we talked about the Kentucky derby and the amazing names of race horses. "Hair On Fire" and "My Biscuits Are Burning" were are favorites. In Tennessee we had to stop at the Grand Ole Opry for some country music. We dreamed about striking it rich in Arkansas' diamond mines and becoming an astronaut at space camp in Huntsville, Alabama. In North Carolina we recreated Kitty Hawk and flew our own airplanes. In Georgia we ate peaches and sang about goober peas. We saved Louisiana for Mardi Gras and celebrated with a king's cake. We ended our unit with a Florida beach party. We danced the limbo, surfed to the sound of the Beach Boys, and relaxed in the sun with a Popsicle.

The next unit was a return to our timeline; however, this time we focused on clothing throughout the ages. We began in Early Times and looked at animal hides and how you could cure leather. In ancient times we noted cloth was woven from animal fur and plant fibers. The Kindergarten classes joined together for a medieval lunch. We ate with our hands and sang a troubadour song. A merry time was had by all!