

# COMMUNITY HELPERS

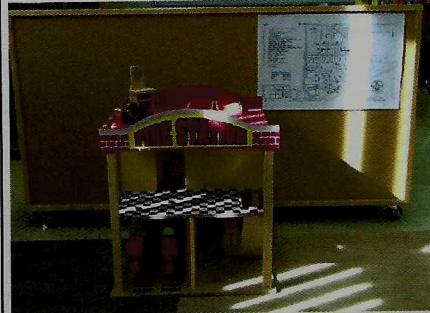
WAS PRE-K INQUIRY BASED LEARNING PROJECT 2015 - 2016



## FIRE FIGHTERS

### • INVITATION





Books and artifacts were placed around the classroom to spark the students interest in Fire Fighters and Police officers, in the hopes that it would expand their curiosity to a variety of community helpers.

#### • BUILDING INTEREST



Students spent some of their free play time pretending to be fire fighters. They used the toy people to play and also dressed up in a fire fighters costume themselves to role play.

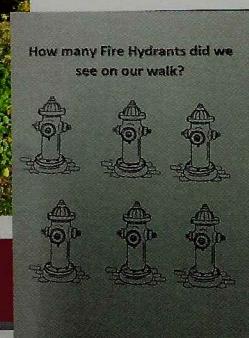
- I SPY  
OUTSIDE ...



We took a walk around the community to see how many fire hydrants we could spy.

The students told the teachers what they fire hydrants were used for.

When we got back to the school the students filled out an activity sheet to show how many fire hydrants they spied on their walk.

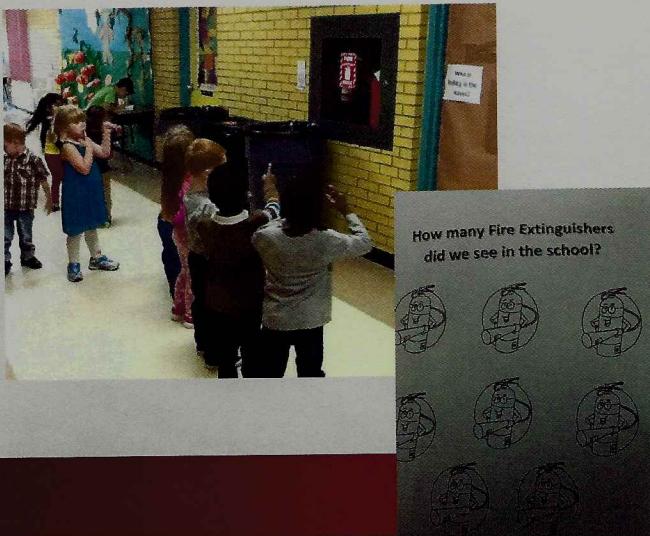


- FIRE FIGHTERS CAME TO VISIT



During Fire Safety week three Fire Fighters came to visit our classroom. They talked to us about some fire safety tips to use in the home, and sent us home with a fire safety booklet to look at with our parents! The students also became honorary Fire Fighters for the day with our sticker badges!

- I SPY IN THE SCHOOL ...



Students learned about fire extinguishers when a few Fire Fighters from the Rosetown Fire Department visited the classroom.

We then went on an "I Spy" trip through the school to see how many we could find.

When we got back to the classroom the students coloured in the number of extinguishers we found.

- STOP, DROP, AND ROLL!



During our gym time the Pre-K's practiced how to Stop, Drop, and Roll.

They also practiced how they would crawl through smoke to stay safe!

## 5 LITTLE FIRE FIGHTERS (POEM)

5 LITTLE FIRE FIGHTERS STANDING IN A ROW

1,2,3,4,5 THEY GO

UP TO THE ENGINE WITH A SHOUT

QUICKER THAN A WINK THE FIRE IS OUT

4 LITTLE FIRE FIGHTERS STANDING IN A ROW

1,2,3,4, SHH THEY GO

UP TO THE ENGINE WITH A SHOUT

QUICKER THAN A WINK THE FIRE IS OUT

3 LITTLE FIRE FIGHTERS STANDING IN A ROW

1,2,3, SHH, SHH THEY GO

UP TO THE ENGINE WITH A SHOUT

QUICKER THAN A WINK THE FIRE IS OUT

1 LITTLE FIRE FIGHTER STANDING ON THEIR OWN

1, SHH, SHH, SHH, SHH THEY GO

UP TO THE ENGINE WITH A SHOUT

QUICKER THAN A WINK THE FIRE IS OUT

## OUR TRIP TO THE FIRE STATION!



On October 23, 2015 the WAS Pre-K class took a trip to the local fire station!



Fire Fighter Tammy showed the students both of the fire trucks.

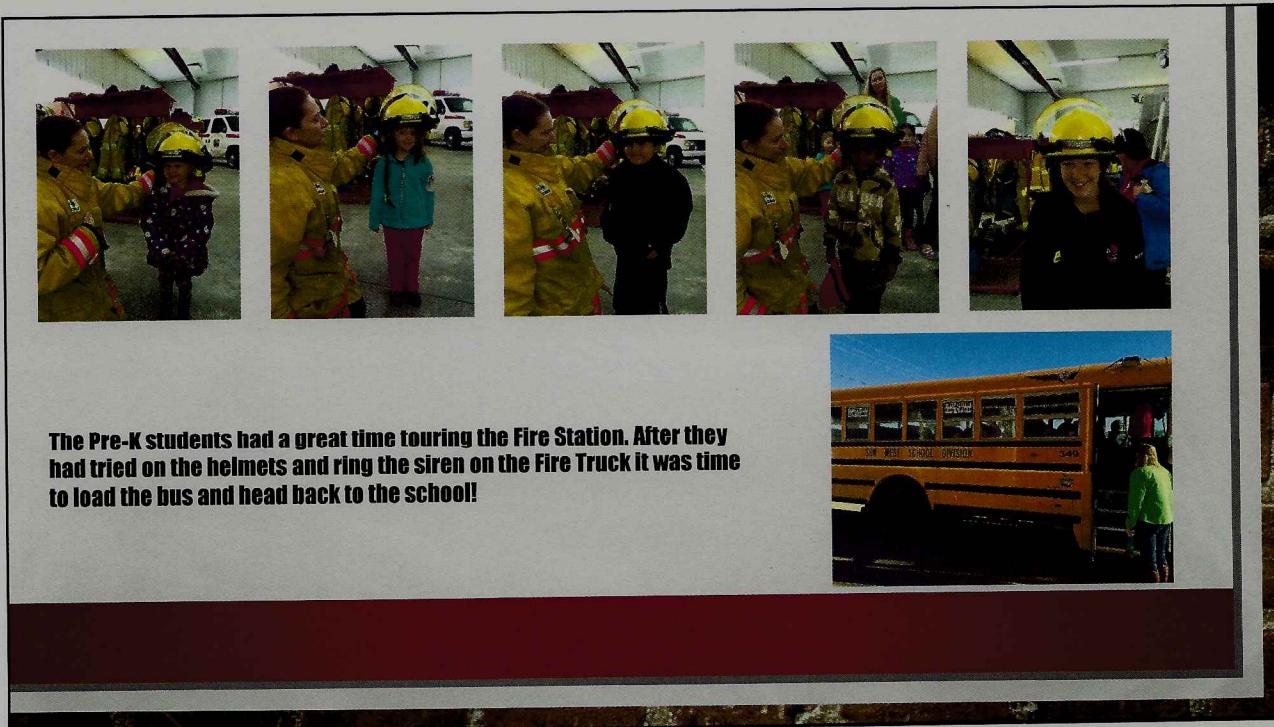
They saw where the hose hooks up to the truck to spray the water. They also got to see the big ladder at the top of the truck that can reach to the top of ever building in Rosetown!



Fire Fighter Tammy showed the students all around the station. She showed them all of the gear that she has to wear when she goes on a call, and where they keep it stored.



After she showed the students all of her gear, she let us all take a turn trying on a helmet!



**The Pre-K Students had a great time touring the Fire Station. After they had tried on the helmets and ring the siren on the Fire Truck it was time to load the bus and head back to the school!**