

## **Ask Me About**

## Week of 1/22

\*Nonfiction books! We are learning how important our preview is! Using the pictures can get us to access what we already know about a topic and to start to generate questions about it.

- \*Partner talk. Ask me how I use the last page of a book to help tell my partner what my topic is all about. Ask me what I do if the last page doesn't summarize it for me. (write my own last page!)
- \*Writing How-To books. I'm learning to write detailed steps to help teach someone something.
- \*How I label my pictures to make them diagrams to help teach my reader.



- \*Shapes! We are once again learning about shapes. We are noticing shapes in the world and in different orientations.
- \*Teen numbers. We are learning that teens are "1 ten and some more". 14 is 1 ten and 4 more.
- \*Our buddy time! We got to create a boat out of tin foil and see if it floats. Then we tested how well it floats by seeing how many pennies it could hold before sinking! Check out the pictures on our website!

\*Our Cultural Arts program "Suds!" We had so much fun learning how bubbles are made, why they are always spherical and even how to play catch with bubbles! There are pictures of this on our website too!

\*Things to practice at home: recognizing teen numbers, crossing the decade (knowing what comes after 39, 49, 59, etc so I can keep counting) and sight words! We want to know these words in a snap!