

Family Spotlight: Education for the Entire Family

We have been members of the CMU Children's School family since the fall of 2016, and it has been an absolute joy since the first day. Chudi fell in love with the school from the moment he walked in; we just knew that it was the right place for him. Our early education experience caused us to focus on math and reading skills at home, and we were eager for an environment that introduced Chudi to other skills that didn't come naturally to us, such as arts, science, music, and technology in a way that is fun and accessible to a preschooler. The Children's School program has been perfect for improving Chudi's weaknesses, while challenging him to continuously grow in his strength areas. We reached out to a lot of families who had attended the Children's School prior to our enrolling. Our main concern was that the limited hours of the school was going to be very strenuous on our work schedules. The consensus was the same from all the parents we consulted. "The schedule is very hectic, but the education and experience the child receives is more than worth it." We listened to their advice, took the plunge, and are so glad that we did.



While we knew that Chudi was going to receive a great education, we didn't anticipate how much we were going to learn as parents, or how warm and amazing the educators were going to be. Dr. Carver and the entire team devote an incredible amount of time to providing parents with materials and opportunities to learn about child development. We now have a place to go with all the questions we have about raising our child, and we are confident that they will point us to the right resources to meet our needs. Every staff member that we have encountered has responded to all our needs and has made specific accommodations for our family's unique context. All the teachers have been so warm, happy and inviting; they treat Chudi like he is special in his own way. We couldn't be happier that we chose the Children's School for Chudi.



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Book Fair Update

Once the online sales for our December 2016 Book Fair were included, our total rose to \$6,000.00, which means our library will be getting almost \$900.00 in books. This event is by far the most successful book fair to date. Thanks to everyone who helped organize the event, as well as to everyone who shopped for books!

Lost and Found

We have accumulated quite a collection of jackets, barrettes and other items of unlabeled children's clothing. If your child is missing anything, please look in our lost and found area in the hallway or send a note to your child's teacher with a description and we will see if we have it!