Today we learned all about Asia. We started out in a big groups to talk about the day and learn our song for the day, “Let’s Go Fly a Kite”, from Mary Poppins. We did rhythmic gymnastics using a ball, hoops and ribbons. We also created a story cloth with fabric. We glued pieces of fabric on paper to tell a story. They tell cloth stories in the Hmong culture. We used big blocks to build a wall like the Great Wall of China, and then we marched in a dragon parade! We are going to Deanna Rose Park for our field trip tomorrow, so we watched a video about the trip to Deanna Rose Park. I am so excited to ride the big charter bus! Our snack was graham crackers. We created tangrams using foam shapes and different designs, like a boat. We made kites using construction paper, streamers and yarn. After we made the kites, we went outside to fly them. And, of course, we picked out pictures for our digital scrapbook. Another busy, fun day at camp!

Today: Thursday June 22, 2017—Asia

Tomorrow: June 23, 2017—Field Trip to Deanna Rose Park

Tomorrow we will take a field trip to Deanna Rose Park in Overland Park, Kansas. We will meet at the regular camp building and get on a big bus to go to the park. On the bus we will sing all of the songs we have learned during the first week of camp. Once we arrive at Deanna Rose, we will walk around and look at all of the animals. We will be eating popcorn for snack. Then we will get back on the bus and come home ending our day by singing the camp song on the bus.

Asia Fun Facts:

Asia is home to the highest (Mount Everest 8,848m) and lowest Dead Sea (-395m) points on Earth.

Asia has a population of over 4 billion people or better than 60% of the world’s population. This many people standing side by side holding hands would reach around the world at the equator more than 100 times.

Asia is the largest continent by landmass and human population. The area of Asia is larger than the land area of the moon. (44.6K sq km – 37k sq km respectively.)
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