



Friday, October 2, 2009

Dear Boys and Girls,

Well hello to all of you! I miss you so much! I hope you are all working hard, learning lots, listening well, treating each other with kindness, and playing nicely.

I am sure you heard about my ankle but I wanted to tell you about it myself. Last week I tripped over a tree root on a little hill. I was wearing my tall clogs and landed funny on my right ankle. I ended up hurting my ankle pretty bad and had to go to the hospital. The doctors and nurses at the hospital took really good care of me. They gave me an x-ray to look inside my leg and my ankle at the bones. They saw that I broke some bones and told me they had to be fixed. I stayed overnight in the hospital and the next day I had surgery on my ankle. The doctor put a big cast on my leg. You can see it in my picture. I had to stay in the hospital one more night to make sure I was feeling okay. Soon I was able to go home.

I'm home now. I'm still hurting but I am getting better. The doctor says that I have to keep my leg and ankle up in the air on pillows, so I can't walk around. I do walk around sometimes but on my good leg and crutches. There is a picture of crutches down at the bottom of the letter. There is also a picture of a wheelchair. When I come back to school I will have to be in a wheelchair for a few weeks so my ankle and leg can heal all the way.

I want you to know I miss you and can't wait to be with you again. I talk to Ms. Theresa and Ms. Patricia and they tell me you are working hard. Please keep up the good work and remember the rules. Ms. Theresa and Ms. Patricia are saving some of your work for me to see. Remember to take your time and do your best. Talk about fun things during play time, snack time and lunch. Work hard and concentrate during work time and remember that whispering voice!

See you all soon!

Love,

Miss Tara

