

April Newsletter

Themes

Our themes for this month is spring. We will be exploring the ooey, gooey wonderfulness of mud through literature and we will be studying the signs of spring.

Show and Tell

For April, please have your child bring a sign of spring or something special about Easter. If they want to keep bringing it in a bag for secret sharing that would be great! The other students really enjoy guessing when it is in a bag!

Skills

We are working on 3D shapes and the number groups for the numbers 6-10. We will be figuring out combinations for each number. We will continue working on printing our numbers and letters. We will be writing in our journals and exploring reading sight words. We are working on printing our lower case letters correctly.

Wet Weather

Spring seems like it is on its way! Please make sure your child is equipped with splash pants and rubber boots. Also, if your child wears flip flops or sandals to school, they **must bring socks** to put on in the boot room. For health reasons, they cannot be walking in the hallways with bare feet. It also keeps their runners from getting smelly from being worn without socks.

Parent Volunteers

It is wonderful to have help each day. If you are unable to attend please let your child know so they are not expecting you and also **find your own replacement**. Thanks again to everyone who helps in the classroom. We are enjoying having someone to work with us. We just keep improving and improving with the extra help. Thank you to Vicky who has been working so hard to get someone for each day so that both classes are getting help.

Books in the Bag:

Thank you for the reading you have been doing at home with the take home books. The kindergartens are becoming so comfortable and confident as readers. Please remember to check the bags before returning to ensure all the books are in the bag. Just a reminder that books are collected on Monday or Tuesday of each week and news ones are sent home on Monday or Tuesday. If your return books on another day we will send a new package on the following Monday or Tuesday. Thanks again for your help.

If your child has missing library books, the break is a good time to do a search and send them back to school. I will ask Lori to send home a list with anyone who is missing a book.

Important Dates:

April 1: PCD

April 19-26: Easter Break

Have a great Easter!

