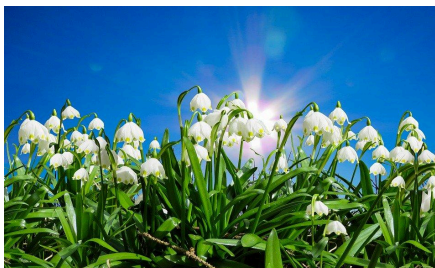


APRIL CALENDAR 2024



<u>LEARNING DOMAIN</u>	<u>CURRICULUM</u>	<u>MONDAY</u>	<u>TUESDAY</u>	<u>WEDNESDAY</u>	<u>THURSDAY</u>	<u>FRIDAY</u>
						29 Closed for Staff In Service Day
CLOSED FOR	SPRING BREAK	1 CLOSED	2 CLOSED	3 CLOSED	4 CLOSED	5 CLOSED
Approaches to Learning	Week of the Young Child	8 Music Monday: Bring in your favorite music	9 Tasty Tuesday: Cooking TBA	10 Work Together Wednesday: Cooperative Group Activity Zachary's Pizza Bike Day!	11 Thursday: Art & Creativity Project	12 Friday: Family Fun Stories. Write a family memory that your child remembers & share it!
History Social Science	Keep America Beautiful Week Letter Rr	15 Bring in a recycled item for Art Define Nature	16 Lesson on Reduce, Reuse, & Recycle	17 Nature Colleague	18 Name Ways to Keep our Planet Healthy	19 Earth Day: pick up garbage, weed the planters
Cognition: Math	Mathematics Week Letter Ss	22 Bring in an item starting with Letter Ss Passover begins	23 How High Can You Count? Trace/Write Numbers	24 Practice writing/tracing Letter Ss	25 Passover plate	26 Play Counting Games
Social & Emotional Development	Be Kind to Animals Week Letter Tt	29 Bring in an item starting w/Letter Tt	30 Tree painting			

APRIL NEWSLETTER 2024



Dear Families,

This month our curriculum themes focus on the Week of the Young Child, Keep America Beautiful (including Earth Day), Mathematics, Passover, and reviewing and identifying Letter Rr, Ss, and Tt. We are CLOSED the first week of the month for Spring Break.

The second week of April celebrates the Young Children, which focuses public attention on the needs of young children and their families, and the need to recognize the early childhood programs and services that meet those needs. We will celebrate this week by having the children participate in a variety of activities such as music, cooking, art, cooperative play, and literature.

The next event we will recognize is Keep America Beautiful Week, which includes Earth Day. Earth Day originated in the 1970's to promote a clean and safe living environment for humans and wildlife. It reminds us to help in small ways to keep our Earth clean such as: turning off the lights when they're not being used, turning off the water when brushing our teeth or soaping our hands, reducing waste, recycling, composting foods, and donating or reusing household items whenever possible. Additionally, if we can use public transport, walk or bike to our destination, use solar panels for energy, or buy vehicles that are electric, a hybrid, or use less fuel. These are many of the lessons we can share and show our children, which will help our planet.

The 13rd week of the month we will concentrate on the learning domain of Mathematics; counting, building, patterning, adding, subtraction, and quantities. We will also recognize the Jewish holiday Passover which commemorates their liberation from Egypt.

Please note, with warmer weather we are starting Bike Day again. It's a day the children may bring their bike/scooter and helmet to school to ride in the upper parking lot. **Please label your child's bike and helmet and leave it next to the benches near the restrooms.**

DATES TO REMEMBER: WE ARE CLOSED MARCH 29th FOR A STAFF IN SERVICE DAY AND THE FOLLOWING WEEK APRIL 1-5 WE ARE CLOSED FOR SPRING BREAK.