



## April 2023 Pre-K Newsletter

### SPRING INTO SPRING!

This year, more than ever, the warmth of Spring will feel like a true blessing- we can't wait for the sunny days ahead! Undoubtedly, the Pre-K kiddos will continue to blossom and bloom in the coming days!

In April we will learn about letters V, W, and X. The Pre-K teachers will be spending some one-on-one time with each child to reinforce the Pre-K skills and concepts that have been introduced.

As for math, we will continue learning about money; we will focus on recognizing coin and dollar bill values and expand on the concept of purchasing items with money. We will keep practicing counting by 1's and 2's and introduce counting by 5's. We will also introduce the concept of time and telling time.

We will go outside to run and play every chance we get! Send a light coat when the weather calls for it!

- **April 3-6: SPRING BREAK!**

School resumes on Tuesday April 11

- **April 11-13: "V" Week:**

- Learn about various Vegetables, graph our favorite Vegetables as a class and paint with Vegetables!
- Easel paint a Volcano and sing about an Old Volcano
- Bring a picture from your favorite Vacation this week. We will read about "Mudpies Family Vacation" and share about our own Vacations during circle time!
- "V" Week Show & Tell: Tuesday 4/11
- "V" Week Snack: Charlotte & Family
- "V" Week Parent Helper: Blair Clark

- **April 17-20: "W" Week:**

- Make a Walrus paper bag puppet a paper plate Orca Whale. Sing about Herman the Worm.
- Wacky Wednesday- Weds.4/19- come to class dressed in goofy, mismatched, backwards, inside out clothes & crazy hair!
- "W" Week Show & Tell: Monday 4/17
- "W" Week Snack: Ethan & Family

- **April 22-27 "X" Week:**

- Craft an X-Shaped X-Ray
- Count by 5's. Buy/sell items with play money!
- Review Pre-K concepts, working individually with each child:
  - Letters, letter sounds and top-down writing,
  - "Math Right from the Start" review and write numbers 1-5/ 1-10
  - Fine tune first name writing, introduce last name writing if child is ready
- "X" Week Show & Tell: Monday 4/22
- "X" Week Snack: Winne & Family

