

classroom news

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Literacy

We have finally completed the alphabet! We will now focus on the vowels, word families and review all the sight words we have learned. During the months of April and May we will not add any new sight words to the list, but will spend time reviewing the words we have introduced. If you feel your child is ready to learn new words, I encourage you to do so. Please keep practicing them at home.

EARTH DAY

In honor of Earth Day, Saturday, April 22nd, we will be planting a butterfly garden. Please bring in a small plant by Monday, April 17.

CLASS PROGRAM

Our Class program theme will be "Pirates." The program will be held on April 24th at 9:00am. Please have your child wear a red t-shirt and jeans that day and arrive by 8:45am.

Important Dates

April 14th - NO SCHOOL

April 24th - Pirate Program

Math

We will continue to learn the numbers to 20. We will also start working on nonstandard measurement, adding and subtracting sets. We will also review other concepts we have learned this year.

Writing

The children have come a long way with their writing since the beginning of the year. Now that we have completed the alphabet, we will go back and review the proper formation of all the lowercase letters. During our Writer's Workshop we will continue to label our pictures and start writing plans.

Science

In science we have been learning about the characteristics of the day and night sky and how one changes into the other. We will now start to learn about living and non-living things. We will also learn about the life cycle of a butterfly.