

APRIL

April Showers bring May flowers

Important Dates:

- April 5:** Early Release; 12pm
NO After School
- April 8-12:** Spring Break
NO school
- April 26:** Mystic Aquarium Visit
- April 29:** SBS Open House /
Curriculum Fair 6:30-8pm
- May 1:** Family Night at Little Angels
6-7pm; All are welcome!

Reminders:

Please remember to have your child bring a coat into school each day. The mornings are going to be chilly and that is our recess time so we want to make sure everyone stays warm!

Please have your child in sneakers every day, preferably ones that do not have shoelaces

Shining Stars of April:

- April 4: Dominic**
- April 5: Scarlet D.**
- April 18: Scarlet T.**
- April 19: Khaleesi**
- April 25: Liam Ma.**
- April 26: Kensie**



Find the beauty in spring

With April here, we're hoping for warm beautiful spring days ahead! We look forward to more outside time as we push through towards the end of the school year already!

Over April break, I encourage all of our families to continue working with your child on the writing of their names (first & last), using our Friday morning work papers that hopefully have been cut into flash cards to help them associate words that start with particular letters, continue practice noticing our sight words through their daily at home reading (our words currently are: a, I, the, and, to, it, and is), and continued work on other fine motor activities like cutting and coloring. I hope you and your families have a wonderful, restful break!



What we're working on in April:

This month of school our themes will be Spring and continuing our Dr. Seuss unit.

April 1-5

Religion: God Made Animals
Clifford: Spring Brings Babies
Letter: Ww

We will continue Dr. Seuss readings and projects this month. We will be reading Fox in Socks and creating a craft to connect with it.

April 15-19

Religion: God Made Birds
Letter: Xx

We will be reading Dr. Seuss's Oh The Things You Can Think and create a craft to go with it.

April 22-26

Religion: God Made Butterflies
Clifford: Be an Earth Day
Detective
Letter: Yy

We will be reading Dr. Seuss' Hop on Pop and create a craft to go with it.

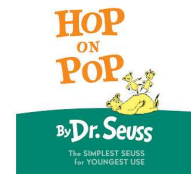
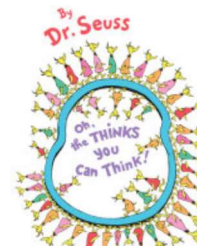
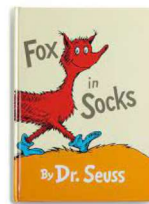
April 29-May 3

Religion: God Made Fish
Letter: Zz
We will be reading Dr. Seuss's ABC book and be creating a craft connected to this.



The Reading Corner

Find out some of the books we're reading each month as a class in the newsletter to also read at home or have discussions with your child about. Reading is so important for children at this age and we encourage you to read to them daily.



Parent Corner

If you are planning a staycation this upcoming vacation or looking for ideas for this summer. I found two great websites. One is dated from last year but has amazing places listed and wanted to share with all of our families.

<https://connecticutexplorer.com/spring-break-in-connecticut/>

<https://mommypoppins.com/connecticut-kids/spring-activities/>

[things-to-do-on-spring-break-in-ct](https://mommypoppins.com/connecticut-kids/spring-activities/things-to-do-on-spring-break-in-ct)