

MARCH NEWS



A NOTE FROM MS. BECKY & MS. MADDIE

Will March come in like a lion or a lamb? We'll be making our predictions and will find out today, as we leave the month February behind. For a short month, February was filled with lots of learning and festivities. We did groundhog art and found that the groundhog did not see his shadow. We celebrated the 100th day of school, the Lunar New Year, Valentine's Day, Connor's 5th birthday, Read Across America with Dr. Seuss week, had a dentist visit, and talked about weather predictions for March. We learned all about patterns & started the theme, Magnets, as well as, learned about the letters Qq, Vv, Mm, and Yy. Over the past few months we've completed six class books for our library. They will start coming home this month, and rotate each week so the children can share them with their family.

OUR LEARNING FOCUS

In March, we will finish our unit on Magnets as we learn more about the forces of push and pull, followed by Science Experiments for two weeks. Our focus letters this month are li, Xx, Zz, and Pp. We will concentrate on Easter & preparing for our April Art Show towards the end of March. As always, basic skills to get us ready for kindergarten are integrated into all of our themes. We will also transition to signing in to a smaller space on the chalkboard, and completing as a group our Daily Class Story during Morning Meeting to focus more on sight words. It's exciting to see some of the children starting to put the letter sounds together to make words. Every child learns at their own pace, so for some this will just be an introduction.

IMPORTANT DATES

March 10- Last day for Scholastic Book orders
March 10- Daylight Savings time starts
March 18-22 Parent-Teacher Conferences
March 29-April 5 Spring Break No School
April 5- School Resumes

CLASS REMINDERS

1. Please check Dojo for the link to sign up for conferences.
2. Check Dojo daily for our class story.
3. Children may bring in just one stuffy for the week if staying for nap.