

APRIL

PURPLE ROOM

REMINDERS

-Label everything! We have many items that our friends may have as well.

-Please ensure your child is dressed appropriately for the transitioning weather!

IMPORTANT DATES

April 1- April Fool's Day

April 22-30- Passover

April 22- Earth Day

BIRTHDAYS

Preston Sterman- April 5th

Gianna Dillon- April 6th

Aiden Schock- April 7th

KNUFFLES

Knuffles, is our beloved class stuffed animal. Each week, one student is chosen as the 'Star of the Week' and has the opportunity to take Knuffles home for the weekend. Over the weekend, children may embark on thrilling adventures with Knuffles and capture precious moments to add into our photo album. We can't wait to see the incredible journeys Knuffles and your children will experience!

ONCE UPON A TIME

Welcome back from Spring Break! In our first week of April, we are diving into the imaginative worlds of famous authors and their books. For literacy, children will be spelling ingredients with cookie dough (playdoh), inspired by "If You Give a Mouse a Cookie." In math, children will be counting and sorting fish from "The Cat in the Hat." For science, children will learn how to give dirty animals a bath, inspired by "A Very Dirty Pigeon." And for art, children will be stamping different shades of green to create their own caterpillars, taking inspiration from "The Very Hungry Caterpillar."

In the second week of April, children will be entering the enchanting world of nursery rhymes and fairytales. In literacy, children will be putting Humpty Dumpty together by matching uppercase letters to lowercase letters. For math, inspired by "Do You Know the Muffin Man?," children will count and place blueberries on a numbered muffin. For science, children will discover shadows and light. Using their hands, children will put on a shadow show. For art, children will decorate their own beanstalks, inspired by "Jack and the Beanstalk."

In the third week of April, children will be introduced to famous artists. In literacy, children will tracing and writing famous quotes from Picasso. For math, children will be counting the colors of Matisse's snail art piece. For science, children will work together to stack blocks to create castles inspired by Paul Klee. And for art, children will be creating their own crowns inspired by Basquiat.

For the end of April, we are going to learn all about Earth Day. In literacy, children will be getting creative with gummy worms as they spell out words. For math, children will engage in sorting trash bins, learning about recycling and waste management in a hands-on and interactive way. In science, children will explore the world of compost. They'll get their hands dirty and learn how to make compost from scratch. For art, children will be using newspaper to create their own collage.