## April Newsletter

I can't believe we only have two more months of school. We will be finishing up the alphabet and will keep on reviewing numbers 1-20. It is exciting to see how much progress all of the students have made since September. Cutting skills are sharp, and writing with a pencil is on point! We'll continue to challenge our fine motor skills, creative minds and problem solving capabilities.

In March, the children learned their addresses and earned their brag tags, so we are going to move on to phone numbers. They will be given a pretend/paper cell phone to dial the numbers written on the screen until they have committed it to memory. Please email me one phone number you would like them to memorize. While it would be great for them to know both mom and dad's phone number, realistically we will only have time for one. If your child already knows mom and/or dad's phone number, you are welcome to email me any other important phone number you choose. Just let me know whose number it is.

Easter is around the corner. We will have our Easter Egg Hunt on whatever day has the best weather the week before break. On Thursday, April 10, please send in 10 pre-filled eggs (no food/candy). As a change this year, we are also going to ask that you (not the kids this time) write the names of each of the kids on the outside of the egg in Sharpie. We are going to have them hunt for the eggs with their names on them. Please tape the eggs shut if they are ones that are likely to pop open. This is not a parent event, but if you haven't had a chance to come into the classroom this year, and you would like to read to the children, please reach out. I will make sure we get you in before the end of the year. Last, our Easter party will be April 17th, please look out for a sign up genius from our wonderful room parents.

Last, May will be here before you know it with our Pre-K Run on May 2nd @ 11:30am, our Mother's Day celebration on May 9th @ 11:00am, and our Storybook Land field trip on May 22nd. Field trip forms are coming soon. The last important save-the-date reminder is for Pre-K Graduation on May 30. Please be sure to read Amy's emails for graduation particulars.

## **Important Dates:**

- 4/10 Please send in eggs
- 4/17 Easter Party
- 4/18 25 Spring Break
- 5/2 PreK Run @ 11:30 am
- 5/9 Mother's Day Event @ 11:00 am
- 5/22 Storybook Land Trip
- 5/30 Pre-K Graduation

## **Growth Mindset Quote for Kids:**

"To live a creative life, we must lose our fear of being wrong."

- Joseph Chilton Pearce

## **Growth Mindset Quote for Adults**

"The problem is not the problem. The problem is your attitude about the problem." - Captain Jack Sparrow