

MWF 3s - Mrs. Tickner

May Newsletter

April Recap

This month flew by so quickly! But we really packed a lot into April. The children got to witness the life cycle of a butterfly right before our eyes...it was so much fun to see the excitement as the children entered our classroom each day and immediately checked on our caterpillars to see the changes happening. We were all amazed at how quickly the caterpillars grew! We also finished introducing each letter of the alphabet, and the children enjoyed searching for new alphabet items that were hidden around the classroom each day. When an alphabet item was found, the children had to look at the first letter of the item, match it to a letter in our Alphabet Center, and place the item in the correct pocket. We loved watching the children find the hidden items and help each other! We also introduced a new activity, "Let's Tell A Story", where the children chose random items to place onto our felt board and created silly stories to tell to the class. It's been wonderful to see how much the children have grown and developed connections with each other throughout this school year!

Upcoming for May

I can't believe that we are entering our last month of school! We will continue to practice tracing letters, numbers, and shapes and work on fine motor skills. The children will be performing a special song at our Mother's Day Brunch. We will be celebrating the Week of the Young Child, which is full of exciting activities. Messy Day will include fun with bubbles, shaving cream, squirt bottles, and more! Children will wear our class color, which will be voted on and announced the week before. On Alphabet Day, your child will be assigned a letter of the alphabet and asked to dress in an outfit that represents that letter. Letters will be assigned and announced the week before. This is NOT a costume party...please keep it simple. For example, for Letter B you could wear a blue shirt and Letter C you could wear cat ears. We have so many fun days to finish our amazing school year, so please mark your calendars!

Friendly Reminders & Important Dates

- Friday 5/9 - Mother's Day Brunch at 11:00am. Please RSVP by May 2nd.
- Week of 5/12 - Week of the Young Child. Lots of fun activities such as Messy Day and Alphabet Day! Exact days are weather-dependent and will be announced on Class Dojo.
- Thursday 5/22 - Field Trip to Storybook Land.
- Friday 5/23 - Monday 5/26 - Memorial Day Weekend, no school.
- Friday 5/30 - Last day of school + End-Of-Year Picnic at 11:00am.

Mrs. Tickner and Mrs. Clark