

WEE KNOW SCHOOL

Each April, Early Childhood providers nationwide celebrate "Week of the Young Child". This week gives us all an opportunity to reflect on our responsibilities and the importance of promoting positive early learning experiences to children at home, school, and in our community. It is a time to recognize Early Childhood teachers and other professionals who provide programs and services to children during these key years of development. We'll celebrate each day this week (listed below) with special "all school" activities!

| " <u>WEEK OF THE YOUNG CHILD"</u><br>APRIL 8-12, 2024 |   |
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| * Monday  | <b>Masterpiece Monday</b> : Children will create a collaborative piece with a special guest artist. |
| * Tuesday   | Tasty Tuesday: We will make Graham cracker fruit pizzas.  |
| * Wednesday   | Get Out & Play: 10-11:30am Wear your Wee Know shirt today!  |
| * Thursday  | "Wildlife In Need": Will visit our school with some special visitors.                               |
| * Friday  | Pajama Day: Come in your favorite PJs, slippers, and bring a stuffed animal.                        |





from Ms. Sam, Ms. Christine & Ms. Emma

We welcomed the month of March celebrating the silly world of Dr. Seuss and we made lots of fun Dr. Seuss art! We enjoyed putting on our thinking caps to solve many mysteries and we loved exploring the colors of the rainbow. To welcome spring, the Canaries explored ladybugs and the parts of a flower along with creating some flower art. This month we also enjoyed the nice early spring weather that we received as we loved to get outside and play!

# **APRIL CONCEPTS**

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## **Dinosaurs**

"Stomp, Stomp"! Here come the dinosaurs! We will start the month off learning all about dinosaurs, what they ate, the different names and sizes.





# **Rain & Clouds**

This week we will learn all about rain and clouds. We will talk about how rain comes from the clouds and that it helps plants to grow. The Canaries will do a fun rainstorm in a jar experiment, and we will read many fun books like Puddles and Shapes in the Sky.

### April 15-19 <u>Farm</u>



The Canaries will learn all about farms such as what animals live there, what crops they grow and what farmers do. We will also sing farm animal songs and have fun with a "What am I" guessing game.

# Seeds & Plants

We will take this week to talk about different plants and flowers and learn how they grow and what they need. The children will plant some flower seeds of their own and watch them grow.

### April 29-May 3



### Insects & Amphibians

We will learn all about different insects and amphibians through many books and we will go on an insect hunt. We will discover what certain insects do for us.

## PARENT/TEACHER CONFERENCES

Conferences for the Canary class will be held on Monday, May 20<sup>th</sup> and Tuesday, May 21<sup>st</sup>. There will be a sign-up genius emailed for conferences in early May. Conferences will be offered to meet <u>in person</u>, will last about 15 minutes and are <u>optional</u>. We will provide a written evaluation for all children, whether a parent elects to attend a conference or not. Please reach out to a teacher if the days/times do not work for you.

