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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> APRIL 8-12, 2024
* Monday	Masterpiece Monday : 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.

CARDINAL NEWS



from Mrs. Carr, Mr. Peter & Ms. Anne

March began as we celebrated Dr. Seuss's birthday with literature abundant in rhyme. We learned we live on the planet Earth during our space week and used our imaginations as we played with spaceships, astronauts, rockets, and aliens. We also took a field trip to the Planetarium where we learned that we all see the same stars in the night sky. We conducted an experiment with paint colors learning if you mix certain colors, you get a new color. We are adding Spanish numbers Uno-Diez (1-10), and your Cardinals have been busy spelling, tracing their names. We are so proud of our Cardinals.

APRIL HAPPENINGS

April 1-5

April 8-12

April 15-19

200

<u>5 Senses "Uu", "Vv"</u>

This week we will learn about our 5 senses and their special job. The children will paint to music and create a special collage using their touch and sight.

<u>Zoo "Ww"</u>

The Cardinals will explore all their favorite animals you see at the zoo. We will have fun making animal sounds as well as creating special art.

Bugs & Butterflies "Xx"

We'll be exploring the life cycle of butterflies this week and learn how they transform from a caterpillar to a beautiful butterfly. We'll also investigate the creepy, crawly creatures that live outside.

The Cardinals will be Superheroes this week. Watch us show respect, be kind and work as a team. Children are welcome to wear special hero costumes all week!

April 22-26

April 29-May 3

Families "Zz"

Superheroes "Yy"

When we talk about families, children love to share who is in their family and what types of things they enjoy doing together. It is a time to learn that families can be big or small and as unique as each child is. For art we will create NAME art, draw our families, and decorate their house.

PARENT/TEACHER CONFERENCES

Conferences for the Cardinal class will be held Wednesday, May 8th. There will be a sign-up genius emailed for conferences in late April. Conferences will be offered to meet <u>in person</u>, will last about 15 minutes and are **optional**. We will provide a written evaluation for all children, whether a parent elects to attend a conference or not. Please see Mrs. Carr if you need a special time or date. We will have class as usual on this day.

ART NIGHT RESCHDULE!

We hope you can join us on **Tuesday, April 9th from 5:30-6:30** to create some art projects with your Cardinal! <u>Please remember to RSVP by Thursday, April 4th</u>.

