



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!

“WEEK OF THE YOUNG CHILD”
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.

CHICKADEE NEWS

from Mrs. Friend, Ms. Rylee & Ms. Emma



We welcomed the month of March celebrating the silly world of Dr. Seuss and his birthday and made collages for our many-colored days. We enjoyed exploring rainbows. Our friends sponge painted giant rainbows. The Chickadees were intrigued with our rainbow experiment where colors walked from cup to cup via absorption (paper towel) to mix and make new colors. We enjoyed finally getting outside this month- we love getting fresh air. We started searching for signs of spring and determined it is on the way!

APRIL CONCEPTS

Shape: oval **Color:** orange & white **Numbers:** 1-10 **Letters:** E, B, F, P

April 1-12

Birds

At the beginning of April, we will fly into Spring with a study of birds. We will talk about where they live, the eggs they lay, and how birds protect their eggs. The Chickadees will watch for southern migrating birds to return to Wisconsin, like the Baltimore Oriole. We will use our binoculars for birds watching and observing their different beaks and feathers.



April 15-26

Seeds & Plants

For the next two weeks of April, we will investigate seeds and plants. The Chickadees will plant bean seeds and sunflowers to get ready for summer. We will measure and observe the growth of sunflowers and create a giant flower for our classroom. We will also prepare for our special **V.I.P Tea Party** that will be on **Thursday, April 25th** from **8:40-10am**. A special invitation will follow.



April 29-May 3

Dinosaurs





We will march into the month of May learning about dinosaurs. The Chickadees will dig and uncover fossils. We know this will be a class favorite.



PARENT/TEACHER CONFERENCES

Conferences for the Chickadee class will be held on Tuesday, May 14th and Wednesday, May 15th. There will be a sign-up genius emailed for conferences in late April. Conferences will be offered to meet in person, 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 reach out to a teacher if the days/times do not work for you.



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2	3	4	5	6
Eggs & Birds 	Colton	Cooking Day Violet	Gavin	Quinn	Poppy	
7 "Week of the Young Child" Birds 	8 MASTERPIECE MONDAY Guest Artist Austen	9 TASTY TUESDAY  Graham cracker fruit pizzas	10 GET OUT & PLAY 10:00-11:30 Wear Wee Know shirt Crew	11 WILDLIFE IN NEED 10:00-10:30 Emmett	12 PAJAMA DAY  Cereal for snack	13
14 Seeds & Plants 	15 Grant	16 Great Scott-Magic Show 9:30-10:15  Jack	17 Cooking Day Grayson	18 Caden	19 Graham	20
21 Seeds & Plants 	22  Make a bird feeder Leo	23 Patrick	24 Lennox	25 V.I.P Tea Party 8:40-10am 	26 Griffin	27
28 Dinosaurs 	29 Tenley	30 Val	May 1 Colton	2 Emmett	3 Violet	4