



# Edgewater Preschool



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## SPRING CURRICULUM

The following topics of curriculum that may emerge this month are: spiders, snails, caterpillars, butterflies, silk worms, and other insects.

We will continue to talk about spring and animals that hatch from eggs. 

We will also be observing the incubation of chicken eggs. The incubator will be in the office. Please stop by toward the middle of the month to see the eggs (expected to hatch at the end of April). We are also looking forward to the arrival of our caterpillars to at the end of this month

## DATES TO REMEMBER

### Park Days



Park Days this month are:

**Chipmunks & Muskrats – Monday, April 23<sup>rd</sup>**  
**Sprites & Munchkins – Friday, April 27<sup>th</sup>.**

Don't forget to wear your school T-shirt and comfortable walking shoes. (T-shirts are available for sale in the front office for \$12.)



### Week of the Young Child

**Week of the Young Child is April 16<sup>th</sup>– 20<sup>th</sup>.** Week of the Young Child is an annual celebration sponsored by the National Association for the Education of Young Children (NAEYC), the world's largest early childhood education association. The purpose of the Week of the Young Child is to focus public attention on the needs of young children, their families and to recognize the early childhood programs

providing services to them. We will have a week full of fun activities and themes for the children.

### Scholastic Book Club



Scholastic book orders are available by the entrance door and are due back on **Friday, April 20<sup>th</sup>.**

You may order online by going to <http://www.scholastic.com/clubordering>

Online activation code is: GZX8D.



### Earth Day Celebration & Spring Party

We will be celebrating Earth Day and having our Spring Party on **Wednesday, April 25<sup>th</sup>.** We will be releasing our butterflies here at school (if they are out of their chrysalises by then) to celebrate Earth day.

More information will be sent out as the event nears.



### Tanaka Farm Field Trip

Our field trip to Tanaka Farms will be on Thursday, April 12<sup>th</sup>. The cost of the trip will be \$27 per child (\$13 bus fee and \$14 entrance fee) and \$20 per chaperone; (\$7 entrance fee and \$13 bus fee).

In order to continue making these trips possible we hope to have 30 passengers on the bus for each trip.

Tanaka Farms is located in Irvine, California. While at Tanaka Farms, the children will go on a tractor ride, have the opportunity to taste fresh fruits and vegetables, and pick strawberries from the strawberry patch.



To sign up: pick up a permission slip and pay through Tuition Express by **Monday, April 2<sup>nd</sup>.** Please sign your child up as soon as possible.

### Reminders



- \* Core children must be picked up by 3:00pm.
- \*Please notify the office if you plan to take time off during Spring Break.
- \*Children go outside each day. Please, check to see that your child's "extra clothes" are weather appropriate. Please wash and return borrowed items promptly.
- \*Write your child's name on all jackets and sweaters
- \*Please check the lost and found box and the clothes hanging underneath the sign in/out books daily.
- \*Your child's sheet and blanket must be taken home at the end of each week, laundered and returned for the following week's use.

### Looking Ahead in May

- May 7<sup>th</sup>** - Permanent Impressions
- May 7<sup>th</sup>-11<sup>th</sup>** - Teacher Appreciation Week (you will receive more information prior to this event)
- May 10<sup>th</sup>** Special Lady's Tea
- May 30<sup>th</sup>, May 31<sup>st</sup> and June 1<sup>st</sup>** Sprites, Munchkin and Chipmunk Parent/Teacher Conferences
- School Closed – May 28<sup>th</sup>** Memorial Day

