



# Edgewater Preschool



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## WELCOME TO EDGEWATER PRESCHOOL

Jack in the Pixies class!  
Mylo in the Pixies class!  
Sloan in the Sprites class!

## **HORRAY!** SPRING CURRICULUM

The following topics of curriculum that may emerge this month are: "Spiders," "Snails," "Caterpillars," "Butterflies," "Silkworms," 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 by early or mid-April and eggs are expected to hatch at the end of April. We are also looking forward to the arrival of our caterpillars in our preschool age classes!



### Reminders



\*Core children must be picked up by 3:00pm.

\*Please notify the office if you plan to take time off. Knowing this will help us grant some requests for time off for team members. You can stop by the office and let us know or simply respond to the newsletter email informing us of any days you plan on keeping your child out of school.

\*Children go outside each day. Please, check to see that your child's "extra clothes" are weather appropriate. Notify your child's teacher if you would like for them to send home your child's belongings at the end of the week, so you can check what is inside their cubby.

\*Please wash and return borrowed items promptly.

\*Write your child's name on all personal belongings. Tape and a Sharpie are located near the front door for your convenience.

\*Please check the lost and found box weekly.

\*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.

## DATES TO REMEMBER

### Week of the Young Child

**Week of the Young Child is April 12<sup>th</sup>-16<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 (see attached flyer).



### Parent/Teacher Conferences: For Graduating Children

Graduating (enrolled for Kindergarten Fall 2021) children's conference days will be **Wednesday, April 21<sup>st</sup> and Thursday, April 22<sup>nd</sup>.** Parents will have the chance to meet with Teachers Dawn (Chipmunks), Nery and Lindsay (Muskrats) to share ideas, receive information regarding their children's developmental progress and find out what their child enjoys most about school.

*Due to the current pandemic, all conferences will be via phone call or FaceTime (Apple device required). We ask that you set time aside from your busy schedule to have your full attention on your conference. If interested, we ask that you please call or email the school by Monday, April 12<sup>th</sup> to schedule a phone conference time.*

### Scholastic Book Club

Scholastic book orders are available by the entrance door and are due back on **Friday, April 23<sup>rd</sup>.** You may order online. <http://www.scholastic.com/clubordering>  
Online activation code is: GZX8D.

## School Closing At 4:00pm

School will be closing at 4:00pm on Thursday, **April 15<sup>th</sup>** for Staff Development. Please allow ample time prior to 4:00pm for parking and to take care of yours and your child's personal needs, gathering of personal items, etc. to assure that the doors are closed at 4:00pm.

## UPDATE ON APRIL EVENTS

With our current climate, the following activities/events will be canceled.

**-Spring Family Fest: Friday, April 9<sup>th</sup>**  
Due to the cancellation of this event, we will operate at regular hours on this day (7:00am to 6:00pm.) **We will not be closing at 4:00pm in preparation of the event as mentioned on our yearly calendar.**

**-Tanaka Farms Field Trip: Tuesday, April 13<sup>th</sup>**

## Looking Ahead in May

**-Monday, May 3<sup>rd</sup> - Friday, May 7<sup>th</sup> -** Teacher Appreciation Week

**-Wednesday, May 19<sup>th</sup> -** School Closes at 4pm for Staff Development

**-Monday, May 24<sup>th</sup> and Tuesday, May 25<sup>th</sup> -** Spring Picture Days!

**-Monday, May 31<sup>st</sup> -** School Closed in observance of Memorial Day

*The below events and activities are contingent on our pandemic guidelines and may be canceled.*

**-Friday, May 7<sup>th</sup> -** Lemonade Social:

-Preschool conferences are currently scheduled in the month of May. Due to the current pandemic, we are unsure if conferences will or how they will take place. As time nears, you will receive an email with further information.

