



From Mrs. Sheila's Desk



Important Dates

Please remember to check your child's cubby daily!

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**March 2<sup>nd</sup>**

Dr. Suess's Birthday!

**March 12<sup>th</sup>**

Daylight Savings  
Spring Forward 1hr!

**March 17<sup>th</sup>**

St. Patrick's Day

**March 20<sup>th</sup>**

First Day of Spring

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Greetings and well wishes!

The month of March signals a time of renewal, freshness, longer days, and the anticipation of the start of spring! And while our staff stays busy year-round, with the weather slowly warming our schedules get busier.

If you have a child in our toddler through school-age classrooms, please be aware that as the weather warms, we will be participating in more and more outdoor time so make sure they are dressed in appropriate clothing, jackets, and shoes.

I also wanted to remind you that morning drop-off ends promptly at 10:00AM. If your child needs to arrive after 10:00AM, you will need to call the Center prior to 10:00AM and let us know they are still coming and what time to expect them so they can be included in attendance and lunch counts. Please be aware that arriving late should only be used in the rarest of circumstances for doctor's or other health-related appointments as necessary.

With that being said, I understand that hiccups do happen and sometimes we might move slower some mornings than others or alarms do not go off however, these cannot be a consistent pattern. Keeping a set routine with your child or children is important for their growth and development and also serves to be less of a disruption for our classes and staff.

As always, if you have any questions, comments, or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me either in my office or by calling the Center at (540) 921-4191.

Sheila

News from The Nursery

Teachers

Mrs. June, Mrs. Kirstin, Mrs. Landra,
& Mrs. Linda AKA Granny

For all our infant parents, Mrs. Landra asks for you to please make sure your child has an adequate supply of diapers and formula each week.

Also, with colder weather here, please make sure your child has spare clothes that are warmer for the season.

As always, if you have any questions, please let us know!



Teachers

Ms. Kaylee, Mrs. Krystal, & Ms. Savannah

News from The Toddlers

This month our toddler class will be learning about nursery rhymes! They will begin to recognize simple rhymes and incorporate shapes and colors to reinforce these concepts.

Ms. Savannah has a variety of activities planned to demonstrate these concepts such as making Humpty Dumpty, spiders, coloring shoes and pumpkins.

You can take time to reinforce these at home. For example, reciting common nursery rhymes such as Humpty Dumpty, Little Miss Muffet and Hey, Diddle, Diddle.

Reminders from Ms. Savannah:

*Please make sure your child has an extra change of clothes in his or her cubby in case of accidents.



News from The Two's

Teachers
Mrs. Wanda



The theme for this month is Nursery Rhymes. Children love rhyming. Each week they will identify a new rhyme and be shown examples of these and sing about them!

Be sure to take time and practice these at home! Being able to correctly use words allows children to communicate more accurately.

Please remember to swap out your child's extra clothes with warm ones for colder weather!

Teachers

Ms. Olivia & Mrs. Shirley

News from the Exploration Zone

The theme for this month is Nursery Rhymes. Children love reading and rhyming. Each week they will identify new rhymes and sing about them!

Be sure to take time and practice these at home! Being able to correctly use words allows children to communicate more accurately.

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Teachers

Ms. Rebecca & Ms. Kasey

News from Discovery Pre-K

This month Ms. Rebecca's class theme will be On the Go. Kids are on the go from sunrise to sunset. This theme is about all the way kids move with and without vehicles.

They walk, run, dance and jump. With a bit of practice, they will gallop, hop and skip. They will spend the month exploring moving.

Reminders from Ms. Rebecca:

*Please remember to check your child's cubby daily.

*With cold weather here, please label your child's jackets and hats to help keep track of them.



Teachers

Mrs. Leslie & Ms. Malika

News from Pre-K

The theme for Mrs. Leslie's class for March is "Things that move." Children will explore things that move—seen and unseen and with and without assistance. They will learn the science of how things move and build their own moving things along the way.

"On the move" will be their mantra.

Books that will help encourage this theme at home are:

Dump Trucks by Judith Janog Cohen

Earth Movers by Lee Sullivan Hill

The Little Engine that Could by Watty Piper

Trains by Anne Rockwell

Trucks by Chris Oxlade





Employee Spotlight



Ms. Kasey Grimmert

- Assistant Teacher for Discovery Pre-K
- Favorite color: Blue

Kasey has been with us for two months. When she is not spending time with family and friends or working, she enjoys four-wheeling in the mountains. Her favorite season is summer, and her favorite holiday is Christmas!



Important Reminders

Tuition is due by Tuesday of each week, unless you have made other arrangements.

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Children must be escorted into the building in morning. Please do not let them enter the building unaccompanied.

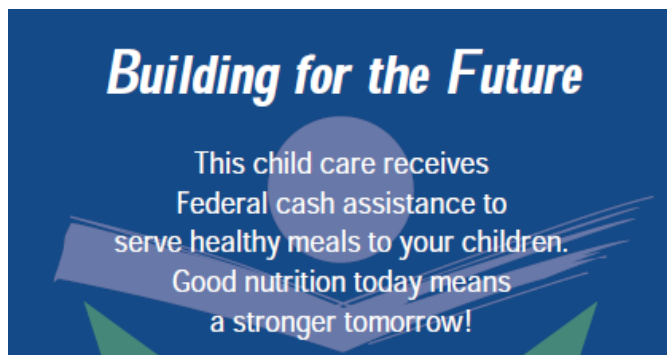
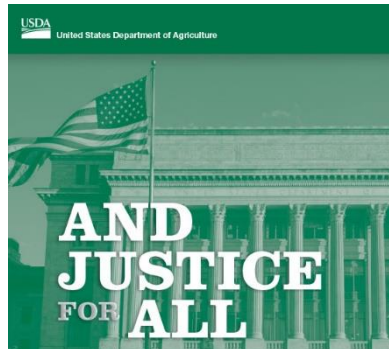
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Our breakfast time is over at 9:00AM. If you drop your child off after 9:00AM, please do not send them with breakfast as this can be disruptive to our morning curriculum time.

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Morning drop-off ends at 10:00AM. If you need to drop your child/children off after 10:00AM, please notify us ahead of time.

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*Monthly  
Inspiration:*

To the world you  
may be one person;  
but to one person  
you may be the world.

- Dr. Seuss



## *Student of the Month*



### **Liam Burdette**

Our student of the month for March is Liam Burdette. Liam is 1 year old and is in Ms. Savannah's Toddler Classroom. Ms. Savannah stated, "Liam is really sweet, loving and excitable." She went on to say, "He can be very compassionate and has improved leaps and bounds since starting in our classroom several months ago and has become very well adjusted." Congrats, Liam and keep up the good work!

