

Hi families! Happy March! There is a lot going on this month (Dr. Seuss dress-up day, Spring Break, Registration) so please read carefully. Have a great month!

School Closed: We will be closed March 10 - 12 for MPS Spring Break.

<u>Masks</u>: Masks are no longer required for five-year-olds and remain optional for all children. Teachers will still wear masks. Thanks!

<u>Conferences</u>: Because we are unable to hold traditional parent-teacher conferences, we have attached some "conference notes" for you. This will give you an idea of what we would talk about at conferences and how we develop goals for your child. Thanks!

Registration: We are ready for 21–22 registration! Yay! If you would like to enroll your child(ren) for the upcoming school year, please visit our website and follow the directions to register. We will not be opening up spots to new families until March 8th so you have plenty of time to register. Times will change slightly for next year. Morning classes will meet from 8:40–11:20 and afternoon classes will meet from 11:50–2:30. If you have any questions please drop us a Remind or email. Thank you!

Dr. Seuss Day: One of our favorite traditions at preschool is celebrating the works of Dr. Seuss at a party day in honor of his birthday at the beginning of March. In class, we will be celebrating on March 3rd and 4th. We have many fun activities planned for the day including ... *listening to <u>Fox in Socks</u> and decorating a pair of socks with fabric markers *listening to <u>One Fish, Two Fish, Red Fish, Blue Fish</u> and making Yink's Pink Ink Drink from the story (that's code for berry smoothie) *listening to Wacky Wednesday and dressing up wacky! It's going to be a great day! Children are welcome to dress wacky (whatever that means to them) or dress up like Dr. Seuss characters or wear pajamas or a costume ... basically, let them pick out something fun to wear! (Check the calendar on the back for your classes day) Thanks!

<u>What's New:</u> Shaun's room theme center will switch from a Post Office to a Grocery Store. Sara's room theme center will switch from a Grocery Store to a Garden Center!

We wish you all a great March! Please let us know if you have any questions. Thank you! *** Sara and Shaun Brentrup *** minotpreschool@outlook.com *** www.minotpreschool.com

