



Building Blocks Learning Center

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Welcome Spring.....well at least it's SUPPOSED to be! We are anxiously awaiting "lamblike" weather and some playground time! Since we didn't get the ❄️ snow ❄️ the kids were hoping for - how about some sunshine and warm breezes, please!?!?

We'll begin our month with a study of Baby Animals, Insects and Bugs! Appreciation for the living things of our world sets the stage for focusing on our planet and how we can do our part to take care of it during Earth Week! We end the month by getting our "juices flowing" (hint, hint 😊) and celebrating our MOMS!!!!



Chicks Galore!

Our Chick Hatching Project has been a HUGE hit and an 'Egg-celent' experience!! The children thoroughly enjoyed taking care of the eggs, holding those fluffy little peepers and watching them grow before their eyes!! Our fluffy little friends will be flying the coop soon and heading back to the farm!



Spring Weather Reminders

Please be sure that your child comes to school with a **weather appropriate jacket and sneakers or spring rain boots**. We'll take advantage of nice weather days by doing many activities outside, like our PreK Nature Walk! Keep in mind that "here on the hill" we often have a breeze blowing and, while the sun is warm, there is still a spring chill in the air. **Spring is also a good time to change over the spare clothing that is kept in your child's backpack**. You might be surprised to see how much they have grown! In spring we often need to change pants due to mud or spills rather than potty problems. Also, we would like to remind parents that while the fresh-air is delightful, **hanging out of the car sunroofs during arrival/drop-off times is not a great idea!** Please keep your child, seated

in their car seat until the car is completely stopped and it is your turn to remove your child from the vehicle. Thank you!



Circus Summer Camp Week

Just a reminder that camp registration/fees are due on or before May 1st! We are SO excited that many of you have already signed up! We are feverishly getting the projects ready, preparing TONS of games and fun activities - JOIN US!!



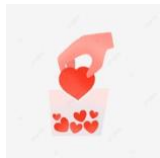
Scholastic Book Orders

A special thanks to all our families who have supported our book club this year. Your purchases have helped us accumulate points which allow us to purchase many valuable books, games, and manipulatives for the children to use at school. The April book club order has already gone home and is our last flyer for the school year. Look for great summer reads!



PreK Field Trip

Permission slips for the PreK - Peace Valley Nature Center field trip will be coming home mid-April, for a May 12th visit. The trip will be an exciting walk through the paths of the PVNC park and trails, where the children will learn about the 'Homes and Hideaways' of animals in our area. Details and special instructions will be included in the flyer. See you there!



Monthly Donations

We COULD NOT be any more grateful for incredible donations! It helps our tiny little school SO much! Thank you! This month, we could use: magic eraser sponge cleaners, cleaning spray and wipes (Lysol, Clorox, etc). Thank you again!!



Upcoming Events

As we are fast approaching the end of our school year, there are many upcoming events and celebrations that we KNOW you don't want to miss.....or have to arrange schedules to attend!! Special flyers, notices and invitations will be coming home with important details - stayed tuned!

April:

- 3rd - PreK Progress reports distributed
- 5th - NO SCHOOL
Parent/Teacher Conferences
- 6th-10th NO SCHOOL/SPRING BREAK
- 11th - Classes Resume
- 21st - Last (for the school year) Scholastic Book Order due

May:

- 1st - Camp Registration due
- 3rd - Step Two - Mother's Day Celebrations 10am (Mommies only)
- 3rd - PreK - Mother's Day Celebrations 1pm (Mommies only)
- 4th - Step One - Mother's Day Celebrations 10am (Mommies only)
- 23rd - Step One Graduation Day (10am)
- 24th - Step Two Class Graduation Celebration (10am)
- 24th - PreK Class Graduation Celebration (1pm)
- 25 & 26th - Last Day(s) of school for all classes

June:

- 5th - 8th
Summer Camp - Circus Fun!
(Optional)
Mornings (9am-12noon)

BBLC 2023-2024

There are still a few seats left in our Step 1 and 2 classes for next year. If you know of anyone interested in preschool classes, please tell them to give us a call as soon as possible. We'd love to show off what we do here at BBLC!

Many thanks to all our families who have been our greatest form of advertisement. Visitors that tour our facilities are quick to mention current families that have recommended us! We could not continue what we do without you! Thank you!



*Spring has Sprung and Sunny
Days have begun!*