



Wee Welcome Newsletter

April 2023



The Easter Bunny seems to always stop here on his travels. Be sure to ask your child the Monday after if he left anything for them!



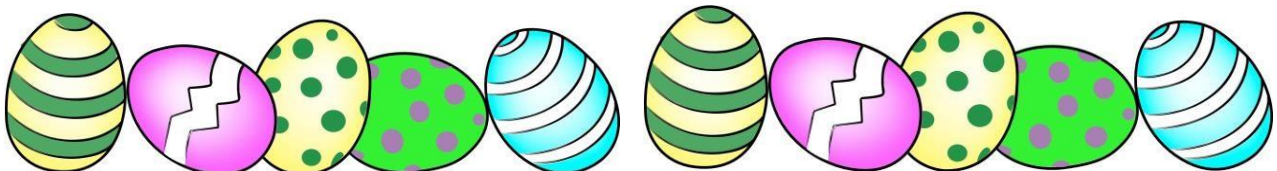
Molly – 4/1

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Esme – 4/21

Earth Day Ideas

- Bike, walk, or use public transportation when possible instead of driving.
- Turn off lights, TVs, and other electronic equipment, when not in use.
- Turn off the water faucet after washing hands or while brushing teeth.
- Reuse items as much as possible (e.g. wrap gifts in fabric scrap or recycled newspaper instead of gift wrap, pack lunches in reusable sacks and containers instead of paper or plastic).
- Recycle cardboard, paper, and plastics.
- Draw, paint, and write on recycled paper (and use recycled computer paper for your printer).
- Use fans instead of air conditioners.
- Try to buy organic foods free of pesticides and chemical additives.
- Start a compost pile for your food scraps and lawn clippings.
- Make a habit of picking up any litter you see.
- Avoid using aerosol sprays and styrofoam.
- Reduce your overall use of plastic packaging. For example, use your own cloth bags for groceries.
- purchase items that are not individually wrapped.
- Donate items that you no longer need.
- Share items such as lawnmowers and machines that aren't needed on a regular basis.
 - Clean a community area: Take your children to their favorite park, woods, or even for a stroll around your neighborhood. Pick up all the litter you can find and see who can collect the biggest bag. Take the time to explain the effects litter has on our environment.
 - Virtually adopt an animal: Check with your local zoo or other nature-oriented organization, such as the Save the Manatee Club. Your child can look at pictures and read about his or her new "pet."
 - Create a Recycle, Reuse, Reduce collage: Use "trash" (paper scraps, labels, junk mail, and other found items) and glue to create a multimedia masterpiece.



Easter Break is April 10. There will be no school that Monday.

Parents: You MUST give us a written notice if your child will be here early or staying later than what you've signed up for. We schedule our teachers according to these times. Bringing a child early may make a difference in our child to teacher ratio thereby putting us in violation of state rules. Also when a child stays later it makes a difference as a teacher has to be here to cover that time thereby causing them to stay later and missing or being late to their obligations.

Week of the Young Child is April 7-11. Watch for fun activities and be sure to ask your child what they did each day!

