



March 2019 Newsletter

Mrs. Vaughan and Mrs. Shapiro



March is going to be a fun, busy and short month due to spring break. We have so many fun activities and projects we will be doing. We will be celebrating St. Patrick's Day (the kids should be on the lookout for Leprechauns visiting our classroom).

We will continue our lessons on patterning/rhyming and sorting as well as opposites. We talk about these on a daily basis and will continue to do so until the end of the school year. Chapel is on March 4th this month and the children will be learning about gentleness. We will have Stretch N Grow on March 12th and the class will also get to enjoy the Tap-it with Miss Stacy on March 19th.

Our letters this month are "Nn", "Vv" and "Ww". We finally make it to the number 20 and then we will do some number review. Some of our art projects include vegetable prints, painting with wax paper and doing a few St. Patrick's Day crafts.

Our sensory bin will be filled with colored pasta, St. Patrick's Day items and bean bag filler with letter cards. We will have ramps/cars/motion (simple machines) at the Science center as well as St. Patrick's Day slime and a life cycle games. In our math center, the children will be learning counting/numbers with our pot of gold number match game, clover bump counting game, shamrock sorting and rainbow number tracing.

This month we will have a St. Patrick's Day writing station. The writing station is a favorite of the class and a great way for them to learn those letters. They will also be tracing their first and last names, writing St. Patrick's Day words and writing 4 words that begin with the letter of the week. They'll have the choice to play many fun games including the cats hat beginning sound match, rainbow rhyming puzzles, leprechaun's hide and seek letters and matching uppercase/lowercase letters on gold coins.

Our dramatic play area will be a vet hospital and a space station.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to ask!

Special Reminders

March birthdays: We don't have any!

March Play-Dough Makers: The Bowling and Close families
(Green please)

Star of the Week: March 4-7 Molly McMaster and Collins Dietsch

Thursday, March 14th: **Please wear green!**

