



Purple Family Newsletter April May 7- 18

We will start our days outside. Please bring a jacket for your child as the mornings can be cool.

We will continue to work on working on math skills during group times. Counting forwards and backwards, making patterns with boys and girls, finding out if there are more girls or boys in class or the same amount. The children really look forward to this time.

In Zoophonics, the children get to be the "teacher" and pick a letter to make the sound and signal. Also, I will give just the signal and the children have to guess what letter it is.

The children have been finding caterpillars in the back yard. We are starting a caterpillar habitat to watch some caterpillars grow. There will be a tank on the science table soon.

Happy 5th Birthday to Iyla!!!!

Thank you to Grandma Susan, Mallorie's Grandma for reading a great story to us.

Looking forward to seeing everyone at Mother's Day Tea. Bring a lunch and enjoy some time with your child. Hopefully the weather will be nice and we can eat outside. Lunch starts at 12:00

Switch A Roo Day is coming on Friday May 18. Drop and pick up your child at the church site. It's a fun day of exploring a new or revisiting a old place. I will not be there on this day. I will be down at the fair helping my daughter with her pig. Miss Jennifer will be there.

Activities for the next two weeks:

Blocks: Widgets

Sensory in: tractors and rice, birthday cake cloud dough

Sensory out: colored tubes and water, foam blocks and shaving cream, wood gluing and painting, washing toys, painting dinosaurs

Art in: finish mother's day, gifts, cards, flowers, and banner

Art out : mothers day banner, make your own microphone, painting, salad spinner art

Science: planting the garden, worms in the compost, caterpillars and their habitat

Math: bingo, sorting coins, dice matching, colored coin adding

Literature: Are You My Mother, Harry the Dirty Dog , Journal reading and guest reader stories

Dramatic play: Dance party

Snack:

Important Dates:

May 11 Friday- Mother's Day Tea 12:00

May 18 Friday- Switch a Roo field trip to the church. Drop off your child at the church site for the day.

May 28 Monday- No School Memorial Day

June 1 Friday- Last day of school Circle of Friends Celebration 12:30

June 25-July 27 Summer Camps

Have a fantastic week! Miss Nikki and Miss Jennifer