

There's so much to tell about March at the Learning Well



In Honor of Dr. Seuss' March Birthday ☺

Last month, we had so much fun
With hearts and hugs and time.
We learned about love and money things
Like the value of a dime.

We talked about our teeth
and how brushing twice a day
Will keep them clean and bright
And keep cavities at bay.

We ended the month on a silly note
With our favorite, Dr. Seuss.
We showed everyone our silly sides
And learned funny words like "floose".

We start off March with dinosaurs.
We'll sort them by what they eat.
For instance Brachiosaurus ate plants
But T-Rex loved his meat!

The color green and shamrocks
Take precedence in week two.
We'll talk about rainbows and pots of gold,
And those frisky leprechauns, too!

Then rockets, planets, the moon and stars
And all things outer space.
We'll take a ride in a rocket ship
And fly all over the place.

We end the month of March
Celebrating the start of Spring.
With bunnies, chicks and eggs
And all the things Spring brings!

Enjoy your month everyone!

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March Academic Focus

Toddler Ones and Twos

Letters: R, S, T

Numbers: 7, 8, 9

Colors: Red & Green

Shapes: Circle & Diamond



Preschool Up and Down

Letters: Rr, Ss, Tt

Numbers: 17, 18, 19

Spanish: Diecisiete, Dieciocho, & Diecinueve

Colors: Green & Yellow

Spanish: Verde & Amarillo

Shape: Pentagon

Spanish: el Pentágono

Sight Words: but, play, & like



Another fun subject for March is, of course, St. Patrick's Day and Leprechauns. St. Patrick's Day was originally a religious holiday, celebrating the life and accomplishments of St. Patrick. He was a devout catholic who, according to legend, banished all the snakes from Ireland.

Leprechauns, on the other hand, don't have quite a prestigious story. These little green fairies, shoemakers by trade, hide their gold in a pot at the end of the rainbow. Catch their eye and you can force them to show you their treasure. But! Get distracted by their tricks and look away, they disappear from sight! So, keep an eye out!

Happy St. Patrick's Day!



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- Important Dates in March
- 3/11 Daylight Savings Time
- 3/17 St. Patrick's Day
- 3/20 First day of SPRING!

A word from the ladies who care for your babies

Happy March Infant Families! We had a February full of love with your babies; and the month lent itself to lots of fun and silly window art (we hope you enjoyed them!) Nursery Rhymes and Dr. Seuss gave us great opportunities for books and songs and finger plays. We also had fun with Miss Angie, our sign language teacher, singing lots of songs with her as well. Thank you, Lucas G., for the Valentine's Day Chocolates!

Last week, we were able to get outside and your children loved exploring the play area. We also got a new friend, Ellie, who started last week and she's so sweet. We're getting lots of smiles already! Nolan began his transition to the Ones room and is doing really well in there. We'll miss him, but will peek at him

through the double doors.

March brings leprechauns, bunnies and chicks; as well as the colors green and yellow and shapes of circles and diamonds. We'll be singing more songs about spring and, hopefully, the April Showers will stay away long enough for us to get outside and enjoy more sunshine and fresh air.

Happy Spring!

LOOK WHO'S ONE!

3/17 Gianna

3/27 Tanner

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Fun by the tons in the room with the Ones

Hello everyone!

Wow -- February flew by! We loved creating different artwork last month. Hearts and Dr. Seuss lend themselves to some fun and interesting creations! We practiced using crayons and bingo dabbers on the letters Q and R. And, we had fun at our Valentine Party -- thank you to everyone who brought in yummy snacks!

Our colors for March are Green and Yellow and our shapes are the Circle and Diamond. Our themes are Dinosaurs, Shamrocks and All Things Green, Space and we end the month with Bunnies, Chicks and Eggs. We have a lot of really fun things planned.

We're planning a St. Patrick's Party on March 16th. It's a great day to show your Irish spirit and wear your

GREEN! We're also going to be hunting for treats on March 30th.

We welcome a new friend to our room this month ... Nolan P. transitions in from the Infant Room. A big THANK YOU to Luis for the tissues and the new toys and musical instruments. Our friends are really enjoying them!

We got outside last month - and had a great time getting our wiggles out! We also have new playground equipment that the kids had a blast using!

That's it for now! Remember to turn your clocks ahead on the 11th and HAPPY SPRING!

Bringing you news from the toddler twos

Hello Toddler Two Families!

Last month, we had a blast using our different Dramatic Play areas; the Flower Shop and Bakery! We also celebrated LOVE with all our friends and enjoyed our Valentine's Day Party. Thank you to everyone who brought in goodies for us to share. We also welcomed two new friends to our room, Derek and Leah, who transitioned in from the Toddler Ones. We had some nice weather days last month - nice enough to have a picnic lunch!



This month brings new adventures as we are going to talk about Dinosaurs, St. Patrick's Day and Shamrocks. We will also travel "Out of this World" and end the month with Bunnies, Chicks and Eggs. As Derek and Leah arrive, we say 'good-bye' to Eli and Callum as they cross the room to join Miss Zerlin and her friends.

Please wear **GREEN** on March 16th for our St. Patrick's Day celebration!

Happy Spring everyone!

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We're awesome and cool in the downstairs preschool

Happy Almost-Spring Preschool Families!

Your children had a great February. Even though we had some chilly days, we were still able to spend time outside and enjoy some fresh air. We got some new outdoor toys, too, so they had new things to explore.

February was also a great month INSIDE the classroom. We had a blast with our new dramatic play centers ... a Sushi bar, Flower Shop and Jewelry store! We also created coin puppets and got a basic understanding of the value of money. Our Valentine's Day Party was a hit; thank you to everyone who donated goodies for us to share. I have to say, though, Seuss week was my favorite week of the month. I love Dr. Seuss books and all the fun activities that can be extensions of his stories.

March brings Spring and we are keeping our fingers crossed for some nice weather ... no more wind storms like last week! Speaking of warmer weather, please send in an additional light jacket or sweater for those sunny afternoons. Thank you!

Our themes for March start with Dinosaurs! We will learn their names, see just how big some of them were, and we'll talk about the difference between herbivores and carnivores. Then we get to celebrate St. Patrick's Day and all things green! Please wear GREEN on Friday, March 16th.

Next, we circle the earth in our rocket ship and learning all about space, stars and the planets in our solar system. And the month ends back on earth, learning about bunnies and chicks!

We've planned a Spring Fling for Tuesday, March 20th to celebrate the arrival of spring! More details will follow.

Just a reminder, I (Miss Zerin) will be out from March 8th thru March 16th. Miss Jasmine will be running the classroom while I'm gone.

That's about it for now! Enjoy the month everyone and Happy St. Patrick's Day!

What can we say about the upstairs pre-k?



Hello everyone and Happy March! Boy, March sure came in like a lion! We hope you all survived that crazy wind and rain storm last week.

February was a ton of fun! We really utilized our dramatic play area ... creating a jewelry store, a flower shop, and a sushi bar! (We did have to explain 'sushi' to them, and got a great response.) Your kids liked arranging flowers, "baking" cakes and selling items to their friends! We also welcomed a new friend, Brynne, in February. If you see her, give her a big Learning Well Hello!

Everyone enjoyed our Valentine parties. Thank you to all who donated treats, and helped spread the love!

Our Dr. Seuss week was fun and funny. The children just loved dressing up (Crazy Hat Day seemed to be the favorite), listening to his books and laughing at his silly words.



March is going to be another busy, busy month. We will be talking and learning about dinosaurs; and becoming paleontologists and uncovering dinosaur fossils. We will celebrate St. Patrick's Day on Thursday, March 15th **and** Friday, March 16th. Please wear your best GREEN on these days! We spend a week in outer space then head back home to enjoy some soft, cuddly bunnies and chicks.

We're hoping to get outside more and more often. Please make sure your children have weather-appropriate clothing. If one has to stay in, we all have to stay in. Luckily, last week we were able to get out quite a bit! The kids were happy to find new outdoor play equipment. Ask them about it!

We sent home a "Save the Date" for our preschool graduation. Those families who are graduating, please mark your calendars for Friday, June 15th!! Exciting!

That's about it for now. We hope you all have a wonderful month of March, a great First Day of Spring, and remember to turn your clocks (Spring Forward) on the 11th!