



# March Madness



It's madness I tell you, madness! This year is passing by so quickly, it's already March! We are starting the first week of March by learning about animals that live in the wetlands like frogs, dragonflies, ducks, fishes, and turtles. Friends will be fishing through our sensory pond looking for lettered fish. They will be using poles with magnetic tips to try and catch all of the fish. Friends will get experiment and observe what happens to food coloring when placed in salt water vs. fresh water.

Bring out your green everything because the second week of March will be all about St. Patrick's Day! Friends will discuss why we wear the color green and what leprechauns and shamrocks are. Friends will go on a leprechaun, lettered scavenger hunt to find the sneaky leprechaun each letter will give us a clue to where the sneaky leprechaun is hiding. Friends will also use their fine motor skills to dip a carrot into orange paint and trace the first letter of their name with the carrot.

Wave goodbye to winter and say hello to spring! The flowers are blooming, the birds are chirping and spring is here to stay. Our third week of March is dedicated to the season of spring. We will be focusing on the colors in the rainbow, flowers and bugs. Friends will be sorting parts of a flower that include leaves, stems and petals and creating their own flowers. Friends will be using their artistic skills to create their own birds using a paper plate, shredded colored paper and feathers.

"What's the weather? What's the weather like today? Is it sunny, is it rainy, or cloudy out today?" Our last week of March friends will learn all about the weather and seasons. Together as a class we will do a science experiment to understand what clouds do. We will have a jar filled with water and friends will take turns adding shaving cream to the top of the jar. After adding shaving cream friends will each receive a turn to drop in food coloring and we will see what happens to the water in the clouds! After our science experiment friends will learn about the water cycle and how it happens. Friends will have the opportunity to sequence the water cycle felt pictures in order after discussing it in our book "The Water Cycle at Work" by Rebecca Olien.



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## Star of the Week:

3/4-3/8 - Barrett  
3/11-3/15- Emilia  
3/18-3/22-Eve  
3/25-3/29- Lucas

## Reminders:

- March 10<sup>th</sup> Daylight Savings
- March 13<sup>th</sup> Family Night  
5:30-7:00
- March 17<sup>th</sup> St. Patrick's Day  
Don't forget to wear GREEN
- March 20<sup>th</sup> is the First Day of SPRING
- April 1 -5 - Closed for Spring Break
- Please remember to sign your child in/out daily.
- Please take home any projects found in the art folder!

We are so grateful for all the support and participation from all of our parents in the Green Room!