# **ORANGE ROOM NEWSLETTER**

## The Academy at Westwood

April 2019

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# **HELLO Orange Room!**

Welcome to April, we have many fun activities planned for the month of April. During the first week of April, we will explore authors! The children will learn about elements of a story and will partake in many activities, such as creating Dr. Seuss' Lorax character using paper plates and feathers.

During week two, the children will learn about Fairy Tales, the children will take part in many great activities, such as making their own Troll Puppets with paper bags to further investigate the story of the <a href="https://doi.org/10.1007/jhpe-10.20

Week three of April will be our Spring Break! When we return forweek four, the children will talk about Earth Day and the many different ways we can protect and nurture our planet. The children will have the opportunity to contribute to the beauty of our planet by planting and taking care of their own flowers using soil, cups and a flower seed of their choice.

During the last week of April, we will dive into the children's creativity and the creativity of others by studying different artists and various types of art such as still life, Pointillism, self-portraits, splatter art, and block art. To delve into self-portraits, the children will create self-portraits, incorporatingmany ideas and skills they have learned about.

April will be a very exciting month for the children, as they will have many opportunities to exercise their creativity in conjunction with the topics that we will be covering!

#### LETTER/WORD/NUMBER

Week One: DR-/WATCH/38

Week Two: FR-/COUCH/39

Week Three: SPRING

BREAK Week Four: GR-

/BLACK/40 Week Five: TR-

/CLOCK/41

## **Birthdays**



Xavier: April 11<sup>th</sup> Elina: April 21<sup>st</sup> Jingyuan: April 23<sup>rd</sup>

#### REMINDERS

04/10 & 04/11:

Parent Conferences 04/25 & 04/26:

Picture Days

The Academy will be closed from 04/15-04/19 for Spring Break