

# Junior Journal

February 27-March 3

Week 29 Theme: Ocean

Introduce: Qq and Rr

Vocabulary: Variety—a number of different things

Bits of Intelligence: Musical Instruments



**Language Arts:** Mrs. Christine will explore many of the animals that live in the ocean. She has many books to share relating to this theme: The children will play the Riddle Game and will practice using different musical instruments.

Please enjoy one of our favorite ocean songs.

## Take Me Out To The Ocean

*Take me out to the ocean, take me out to the sea. There goes a starfish and sand dollar., I've just got to holler. Oh it's swim, swim, swim underwater, catch a nice ride on a whale. For the sea animals are our friends, give a great, big CHEER!*

**Craft and Writing:** Splash...right into the Junior room this week. We will have many fun-filled ocean papers to do this week. Ms. Melissa will reinforce the letters Qq and Rr. Our focus for the week will be lacing and cutting practice.

**Concept:** We will explore our oceans, learning all about various fish and sea creatures. The children will use shells for counting, sorting and seriation. Ms. Kim will continue to discuss the Five Senses with the children.

**Motor:** Ms. Hollie will have the children swimming like fish and crawling like crabs through her room this week. Basketball, hopscotch and a fishing game are a few favorites on the agenda. The children will be introduced to yoga with fun animal poses.

## **Spring Color Days**

March 20th and 21st

Help the Junior room celebrate Spring by wearing the colors **PINK** or **GREEN** on these days.

Don't forget to wear your **GREEN** on Friday, March 17th. Happy St. Patrick's Day!

**Spring Break**

**March 27-31**

**No pre-school  
(9:00-12:00)  
classes.**



A big Happy  
Birthday to  
Ava Augle on  
March 1st.



Please refrain from bringing toys or stuffed animals from home. Thank you.