



Week 32  
April 5-9, 2021  
Mrs. Kris

# Kindergarten Newsletter

**Theme-** Insects

**Expressive Vocabulary-**

**elite-** choice or most carefully selected of the group

**foolish-** without good sense, an unwise act or action

**generous-** willing and happy to share

**honor-** a sense of what's right and honest

**Bits of Intelligence-** Insects

**Fable-** The Hare and the Tortoise

**Review-** Letters Ee, Ff, Gg, and Hh, subtraction, telling time, money, and measurement

**Language Arts:** Over the next few weeks, we will continue to work on our reading skills. What a great group of readers we have in Kindergarten! We will also work on word blends, diagraphs, and vowels. Our class will discuss insects and we will learn this fun song:

(Sung to Head, Shoulders, Knees, and Toes)

Head, thorax, abdomen, abdomen!

Head, thorax, abdomen, abdomen!

Eyes, six legs, antennae, too

Head, thorax, abdomen, abdomen!

## SPELLING WORDS

rain            mail

hair            fair

sail            gain

maid           said

pair            tail

**Science:** We will learn about insects and how to tell the difference between bugs and insects. Our carpet time will deal with fun activities that will teach the children facts about insects. Now that spring has arrived, we will be studying life cycles, and learning how animals can change from one thing to another, like caterpillars to butterflies and tadpoles to frogs.

**Social Studies:** We will spend the next few weeks learning about different land forms and the insects that live there.

**Art:**

Look for many interesting insects to be climbing out of your child's folder...just pretend ones though!

**Math:** The children are doing a wonderful job with adding and subtracting. We will work on telling time, money, greater than and less than, and our number facts. Please help your child count to 100 by 1's, 5's, 10's, and 2's.

## NOTES TO PAREBNTS:

Hope everyone had a great spring break and a happy Easter!

School resumes for all on April 5.

Fire Drills on Thursday and Friday, April 8 and 9.

Tuesday, April 13. Our chick eggs arrive. The incubator will be in our kindergarten classroom, but we look forward to hatching baby chicks!

Wednesday and Thursday, April 14 and 15. Photo Monkyee Photography will be here to take spring pictures. If your child attends both days, their picture will be taken on Wednesday. If your child doesn't attend either day, they may come in at 10AM to be photographed. Picture proofs and order forms will be sent home after pictures are taken. Say cheese!

Friday, April 30...Vision and Hearing Screenings for children 3 years and older. There is an \$8 charge per kindergarten test. A permission slip will be sent home shortly. If your child doesn't normally attend On Friday, they may come in a 9:30AM to be tested.

Saturday, June 5...Kindergarten Graduation and Play at our school at 11:30 AM. Please let us know as soon as possible if your child is unable to attend.