# Pre-K Press

# Week 33: April 1-5, 2024 Theme: Reptiles

#### Language Arts:

We're going to the zoo, zoo, zoo, how about you, you, you? Our animal discussion will focus on reptiles. We'll discuss how they are similar and different from the mammals we discussed previously. We have reptile songs, finger plays, and stories to enjoy!

## Concept:

Our trip to the zoo will continue, with focus on reptiles. The children are doing wonderfully with their number recognition and counting skills. We will continue counting by 2's, 5's, and 10's on a daily basis. In addition, the children will also enjoy more science experiments.

#### Notes to Parents:

- Soccer Shots will start for those enrolled on Tuesdays and Fridays the week of March 18. If your child attends both days, we will let you know which day they're assigned to.
- Hope you had a wonderful spring break and Easter!
- We will be hatching chicks at our school! The children will visit the incubator, and learn about the process.
- Spring Pictures will be on Thursday and Friday, April 11 and 12. Proof sheets and ordering information will be sent home after pictures are taken. If your child attends both days, their picture will be taken on Thursday. If your child doesn't attend either day,

#### Motor:

The children will be participating in our path activities and hopscotch on the playground, as we celebrate and welcome spring. Indoors, we'll have fun hopping like frogs, slithering like snakes, and enjoy other reptile themed games.

Craft and Writing:

Our readiness papers will help us learn several new reptile animals including: turtles and alligators. We will also be creating several reptile projects.

## Class Mascots:

Ben

Happy Birthday! Rory 4/7

> they may come in at 9 AM to be photographed. Say cheese!

- Thursday, May 30...The Pre-K and Kindergarten Spring Music Program. Please see the note above for details.
- Have you enrolled for Tuition Express online payments? Many have found this convenient, but we still of course, accept check and cash payments.
- Have you enrolled for Remind Messaging? Text the message @homergle to the number 81010

Mrs. Patti and Ms. Erina's Pre-K and Ms. Tara's Pre-K and Kindergarten will be having their outdoor (if weather permits, otherwise indoors) spring music programs on Thursday, May 30 at 6 PM in our school parking lot. 13230 Cedar Creek Court, Homer Glen. Please arrive 15 minutes before your child's scheduled show time, and bring your own chairs. The kindergarten children will be having their graduation ceremony right after the program. Please let us know as soon as possible if your child will not be able to attend.

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Introduction:

Bits: Musical Instruments

Proverb: April showers bring May flowers

Author: Lionni/Muench

Review:

Letters: Aa-Ff

Numbers: 1-5

Colors: red, blue, yellow, green, orange, black, brown purple, pink, and white

Shapes: circle, square, triangle, rectangle, oval, rhombus, pentagon, trapezoid, octagon, and hexagon

Have a great week! Mrs. Patti Ms. Erina