



*****Pre-Kindergarten News****

for the weeks of 4/8 & 4/15

- **Theme:** Ocean Animals
- **Expressive Vocabulary:** exaggerate-make bigger than it seems
zig zag-sharp side to side turns
- **Bits of Intelligence:** Musical Instruments
- **Fable:** The Grasshopper and the Ants

Language Arts: We will learn that our oceans are home to a variety of sea creatures. We'll talk about fish and how they have bodies covered in scales as well as gills that help them breathe. We will also learn about ocean zones and what fish live where. Some of our featured books for story time will be *Commotion In the Ocean* and *Rainbow Fish*. We 'll also play ocean bingo, fish race, ocean stomp, and four corners. Some fun ocean facts will also be discussed.



I'm A Little Fishy

*I'm a little fishy, watch me swim
Here is my tail and here is my fin.
When I want to have fun with my friends
I wiggle my tail and dive right in!!
Splash!*

Concept: The class will continue counting by 2's, 5's and 10's. The girls and boys will have fun playing what ocean animal is missing game. Later in the week Mrs. Tiffany will also introduce the "What Doesn't Belong?" game. We will get our bodies moving by walking the pier and fishing in the deep blue sea.

Craft & Writing: We will be reviewing some of the concepts introduced thus far. Some papers will include printing letters Ee – Ll, and connect the dots 1 – 15. Look for some very creative projects to come home as we explore the sea.

Friday, April 26.....Spring Picture Day