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Junior Journal

Week 37: May 6-10, 2024 Theme: Plants

Language Arts:

The Juniors will be discussing plants, what they look like, how to take care of them, and their importance in nature. In addition to our theme, we will be playing out phonics games to help us learn our new letters Ww and Xx. We will also review previously introduced letters. I will continue to work individually with the children, as well as a group with our reading stories.

Concept:

The children will learn how to take care of plants, as we continue to water the plant in our classroom. Several plant themed jobs will be added to the shelf. We will also be

taking nature walks to observe the plants we see outside.

Motor:

We will be moving our bodies as we pretend to be flowers in the wind! Look at our stems sway. We will also be looking at the environment as we play outdoors.

Craft and Writing:

Look for several plant themed projects to be coming home this week. The children will also be working on several papers to help them learn the letters Ww and Xx.

The Juniors will be having their outdoor (if weather permits, otherwise indoors) spring music programs on Wednesday, May 29 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. Please let us know as soon as possible if your child will not be able to attend.

Class Mascots: Emily

Happy Birthday! Sophie Mellone 5/10

Notes to Parents:

- We had a great hatch! We had 17 chicks that the children got to see. What an awesome experience.
- The week of May 6-10 is Teacher Appreciation Week. Please have your child write a note or draw a picture for their teacher.
- Happy Mother's Day to all of the wonderful moms...May 12.
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- The last week of school 5/28-5/31.
- The last day of school is May 31.
- We will be open for

daycare children enrolled for summer camp, the week of June 3-7.

- Summer Camp begins June 10. Packets will be sent home the end of May for those enrolled.
- 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

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Review Letters: Aa-Vv

Numbers: 1-12

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

Shapes: circle, square, triangle, rectangle, oval, rhombus, heart, star, and pentagon

Happy Mother's Day Weekend!!! Mrs. Jeanie, Ms. Amy Mrs. Sara Ms. Bella