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Holly Springs School for Early Education

“What we learn to do we learn by doing” Piaget



The Pre-K Class check the Leprechaun Trap!



BEYOND School Age Care

Parents of rising Kindergarten students, please join us for our open house to learn all about BEYOND School Age Care and what we offer for your child! We will hold two Open House dates on March 13 and March 14 from 5:00-7:00. Registration Packets will be available. There are limited slots for next year. Your deposit of \$50 will hold your place for next school year.

To get a sneak peak at the camps and programs visit their Facebook Page or Website at www.BeyondSchoolAgeCare.com

March Madness!

Happy St. Patrick's Day everyone! Make sure you wear your green on 17th but if you are student in our school make sure you wear your green on Friday March 15th as we celebrate St. Patrick's Day in our classrooms. Classes will set Leprechaun traps to try and catch that sneaky Leprechaun as he plays tricks on the children and messes up their rooms. He leaves gold and green glitter to let you know he's been there and Gold Coins as special treats. Classes will also celebrate the day with water play in the sensory tables with Green Water, fun playdough play with you guessed it...Green Playdough. Lot's of classes will make special treats and celebrate that day. Goodies are in store for parents as well! Fill out the Trivia Form 3/11 and place it in the box on the front counter. The first parent picked who gets all the answers correct wins a \$50 Visa Gift Card! Drawing held on 3/14

Save the Date!

Holiday Closing

3/29 and 4/1

We will be closed for the Easter Holiday!

Easter Parade

3/28

Join us at 9:15 am
Wagons Needed for Toddlers and Twos

Open House

3/13 and 3/14

BEYOND School
5:00-7:00
2100 Crossway Lane



Easter Parade and Egg Hunt

**You do not want to miss this annual event on
Thursday March 28 9:15 am.**

For those families new to our school this is a fun filled event for the entire school. Every class participates in our Annual Easter Parade starting at 9:15 as we parade around the neighborhood. After the parade the children go onto their playground and hunt for treat filled eggs. We even get a special visit from the Easter Bunny!

We need parent volunteers to help hide eggs while the children are on the parade. Each child toddler-PreK will need to bring in 12 prefilled plastic eggs for the hunt. Candy with nuts is not allowed due to nut allergies. Younger classes can fill eggs with stickers or age appropriate candy.

The toddler class will need wagons for their class and parents to help with hand holding in our Toddlers and Twos Classes.

There are also 2 special eggs per class to win. 1 egg will hold a “free week of childcare” and the other a “Chocolate Bunny”



Meet Ms. Vicki our March Teacher of the Month!

Ms. Vicki is one of our Lead Two Year Old Teachers. She began teaching here a few years ago and has taught in our Pre-K class in the afternoons before moving to the two year old class. Her fun and creative side is what makes her a wonderful twos teacher. She enjoys working with the children in the centers and doing art projects with them. Ms. Her co-teachers feel she is an asset to the school because she is always willing to do whatever is needed. She comes in early, stays late, assists in other classrooms when needed and is always available to help any teacher out. Ms. Vicki teachers from 9-6 each day and keeps the twos engaged all the way until 6:00. That's not always easy and it takes a special person.





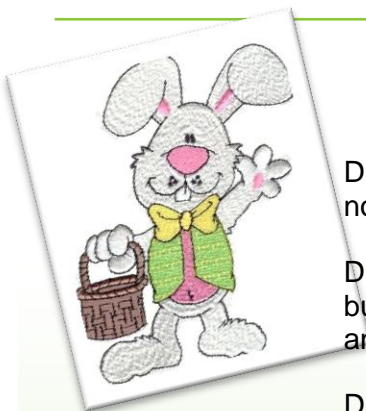
The infant class would like to welcome Liam and Tanner to the class. They have been busy working on different developmental skills in the class and the older class made St. Patrick's Day art.

The toddler class will get a few new friends and say goodbye to some as they move up to the two year old class this month. They are enjoying the rainy day room on the cold days playing with the balls and parachute. They will be busy with lots of green art projects this month with paint, bubble wrap and more.

The two year old class is working on the colors green and yellow this month. They are working with puzzles large and small, sorting and matching skills.

The three year old class would like to welcome Tyler, Meredith, and Claire to the class this month. They are continuing with the letters and phonics each week and are working on scissor skills along with sequencing objects. Ms. Erika who was teaching in the afternoon made her school softball team and will no longer be able to teach in the afternoons with us. She would like to return in the summer. We have hired Ms. Marion from NC State who will start in two weeks. Ms. Marion is a second year Agriculture Major who loves to teach children about animals and farming. What a great time of the year to join our team.

The Pre-K Class along with language and math has been extremely busy with clay work this month. They are learning about imprinting on clay, and also doing mixed art with ink. All of this will be displayed at the Annual Art Show in April during The Week of Young Child 4/18



“Did You Ever See a Bunny”

Sung to “Did you ever see a Lassie”

Did you ever see a bunny, a bunny, a bunny. Did you ever see a bunny, wiggle his nose He wiggles and giggles, and wiggles and giggles

Did you ever see a bunny, wiggle his nose Did you ever see a bunny, a bunny, a bunny. Did you ever see a bunny, flap his big ears He flips them and flaps them, and flips them and flaps them, Did you ever see a bunny, Flap his big ears.

Did you ever see a bunny, a bunny, a bunny. Did you ever see a bunny, munch on his lunch! He munches and crunches, and munches and crunches, Did you ever see a bunny, munch on his lunch.

Did you ever see a bunny, a bunny, a bunny. Did you ever see a bunny, fluff his tail He fluffs and flaps and fluffs and flaps Did you ever see a bunny, fluff his tail

READ ACROSS AMERICA

March 4-8

"You're never too old, too wacky, too wild, to pick up a book and read to a child."

What better way to celebrate Dr. Seuss's birthday than reading to a child? On the evening of March 2nd (Dr. Seuss's birthday), Random House and the National Education Association (NEA) urge you to participate in the second annual Read Across America and read to a child.

WHY CELEBRATE DR. SEUSS?

Dr. Seuss epitomizes a love of children and learning. Also, his use of rhyme makes his books an effective tool for teaching young children the basic skills they need to be successful. When we celebrate Dr. Seuss and reading, we send a clear message to America's children that reading is fun and important.

We will celebrate Dr. Seuss all week at the school to promote Read Across America. You can also register to win a basket of books!

