



MARCH NEWS

Meadowdale Preschool Monthly Newsletter

THIS MONTH'S CURRICULUM

Themes: Weather, Transportation, and Mathematics

Letters: Dd, Jj, Xx

Numbers: 9, 10

Events

MATH BAGS

Your child's math bag and instructions will be sent home soon.

Your child will explore concepts of math based on simple materials brought from home. During class we will sort their items based on attributes, and begin learning about comparisons, estimation, graphing, weighing, measuring, and addition and subtraction.

CLASSROOM VISITS

Dentist: 3/5 PM class, 3/6 AM class

Librarian Natalie: 3/11

Reminders

MAPLEWOOD FIRE STATION

In previous years we've been able to have local firefighters visit the preschool; however, they no longer provide this service. South County Fire is hosting a Neighborhood Night at the Maplewood Fire Station on March 14. If you're interested taking your child to this event, [click here for further information](#).

SPRING BREAK

Meadowdale Preschool will be closed for Spring Break April 1-5 (the same as ESD).

From the Teachers

STORY WRITING

You may have seen your child's pictures and dictated stories come home. Storytelling is critical in early literacy as they begin to tell stories of their own. Please don't worry if you haven't seen anything yet...they will all eventually get there! We are excited to see where their stories lead us. Fuel those imaginations by reading to them, listening to their made-up stories, and asking plenty of who, what, why, and when questions!

PARENTS, PLEASE CONTINUE TO ...

- provide challenges for your child, and have patience when they struggle
- practice their early literacy by writing stories
- allow them to do what they are capable of doing
- ask for their help to build independence and confidence
- show support and guidance, and tell them you are proud of and love them

