

# March 2019

SUN.	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.	Sat.
<b>Units:</b> St Patrick's Day Wind Book Reports	<b>Authors:</b> Dr. Seuss Doreen Cronin  <b>Colors:</b> Green & Yellow	<b>Helpers:</b> Diek Family Lew Family  <b>Science:</b> Human Body	<b>Letters:</b> L, G, K, Y, T  <b>Number:</b> 11 & 12		<b>1</b> Wear Stripes (To celebrate Dr. Seuss' birthday!)  Dr. Seuss snack!  (parents visit)	<b>2</b>
<b>3</b> Human Body) St. Patrick's Day	<b>4</b> Book Reports Start	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b> Wear green  Green snack  (parents visit)	<b>8</b> Manners Day	<b>9</b>
<b>10</b> St. Patrick's Day Human Body Wind	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b> Green Eggs and Ham Day (no lunch needed)  Wear green	<b>16</b>
<b>17</b> Human Body Wind	<b>18</b>  Start Yellow	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>  Wear yellow	<b>22</b> Student Evaluations (No school)	<b>23</b>
<b>24</b> Finish Human Body Wind  <b>31</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>26</b>	<u><b>27</b></u>	<u><b>28</b></u>	<u><b>29</b></u>  Wear yellow	<u><b>30</b></u>

## **Special Announcements**

With March here, anyone even thinking about snow will be in BIG trouble. We are going to THINK SPRING instead!! Vivid imaginations and mischief are a must in March as we attempt to catch a leprechaun and make number ladders for the wee people to play on. We will celebrate St. Patrick's Day in a big way by wearing green, reading that wonderful Dr. Seuss story Green Eggs and Ham and enjoying a green lunch.

**Reports on Books** - We will start our "reports on books" Monday, March 4. They are very low key. The children get to share their thoughts on a special book that they have selected. Parents, we ask that you read the book to your child the night that their special book comes home (there will be a note inside their book). Return the book to school the next day and your child will do the rest. Some children are already sharing daily about their library books. The children also will make a book jacket at school depicting their book. It is always fun to watch the children be the teacher!

**Monthly Helpers** -The family helpers for March are the Lew family (Byron), and the Diek family (Giselle). A big, big thank you to the Russell family (Griffin) and the Brouwer family (Willia) for all their help throughout the very busy month of February. Thank you for all of the creative snacks you sent in for us, and for being prepared to help out whenever we needed you. You made Stone Soup lots of fun!

**Getting Ready for Conferences** - Before the parent/teacher conferences we evaluate each child in different areas. In recent years we have decided not to do this during class time because many children are distracted by activities going on in the classroom. We would like to meet with each child **alone** for 45 minutes on March 22nd. A signup sheet will be posted outside our door Thursday, March 7 for the times available. **Please note that this is NOT a parent/teacher conference. This is a chance for us to evaluate your child before meeting with you in April.\***

**Science** - We are just starting to learn about our bodies. The children already know a lot, but are eager to learn more. Their interest in learning is exciting to watch. We will finish the study of the human body in March. A big thank you to Byron's mom for coming to talk to us about being a dentist !

**Home Addresses** - We are really working on home addresses. Once everyone knows their address we will begin working on phone numbers.

### **Looking Ahead:**

**April 5-Manners Day**

**April 12- Parent/Teacher Conferences**

**April 17-22- Spring Break**