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Dear Parents,

March is a month of birthdays and celebrations! We start off the month paying tribute to Dr. Seuss and all his great books. Happy Minds Kids Academy turns SIX on the 15th of March. How time has flown. The last six years have indeed been fun and exciting for all of us here at Happy Minds. It's amazing to see how we have grown steadily over the years. I would like to take this opportunity to thank all our wonderful parents for the loving support extended to myself and my amazing staff at all times.

I would also like to take this opportunity to thank my wonderful and dedicated staff Ms. Yvonne, Ms. Manuela, Ms. Rashmi, Ms. Keri, Ms. Diane, Ms. Terri, Ms. Clarissa, Ms. Sally, Ms. Jodie, Ms. Geeta, Ms. Rozie, Ms. Jaymie, Ms. Ciara, Ms. Nicole, Ms. Jennifer, Ms. Feri, Ms. Crystal and Ms. Ebby for all their hard work and support extended to myself and Afaz at all times! We couldn't have done it without all of your help. I am truly blessed to have such an awesome team!!!

We at Happy Minds Kids Academy are so glad that you have chosen us to be your child's home away from home! Our teachers are committed to making sure that your child has the best experience possible in their formative years!

Ms. Fas-hana Afaz

Important Dates

Feb 26th - March 2nd

Dr. Seuss Week - Read Across America

March 6th - 8th

FREE Health Screening (3 years and above)

March 15th (Thu)

Happy Minds Kids Academy 6th Anniversary

March 16th (Fri)

- St. Patrick's Day "Green" Snack Party.
- Chuck E Cheese Restaurant Fundraiser Night! 3-6pm

March 19th (Mon)

Very Hungry Caterpillar Day (In lieu of Mar 18th)

happy birthday!



Birthday Corner

Brandon C - March 1st

Brody - March 8th

Annie & Mia - March 14th

Abcde - March 16th

Michael (MJ) - March 18th

Isaac - March 24th

Carter P - March 25th

Zahid - March 28th

Ms. Manuela - March 10th

Ms. Regina - March 28th

We at Happy Minds Kids Academy wish them all a very Happy Birthday!!!

Welcome!

We warmly welcome Hazel, Luna, Aaron, baby Trevor and baby Steven to our Happy Minds family. A warm welcome back to Jake.

**Chuck E. Cheese's
Fundraising Night!**

Friday March 16th 3pm - 9 pm



Come celebrate Happy Minds Kids Academy's 6th birthday at Chuck E Cheese's!!

Location: Chuck E. Cheese's Foothill Ranch Location

Time: 3 pm - 9 pm

HMKA will receive 15%-20% of proceeds. Please notify cashier that your participating in Happy Minds Kids Academy's Fundraising Night!



Class News



Infant Room

Our little ones are having a great time in the Infant Room. We too are gearing up for the fun birthday celebrations and activities that March brings.

As we approach spring, we are starting to enjoy more outside time with our little ones.

We enjoy reading to and singing with our little ones and are amazed at how fast they are growing.

- Ms. Manuela, Ms. Feri & Ms. Crystal

Toddler Room

We are super excited for March!!! We are springing into this month with lots of fun, new sensory art projects for Dr. Seuss's birthday and St. Patrick's Day and Spring.

Our students will be learning a bright new color and a new shape. We will be singing and dancing, and having a great time learning together. We will keep exploring many sensory materials for our children to explore such as texture, taste and smell.

We are excited to start off the new month!

- Ms. Terri, Ms. Diane & Ms. Ciara

Rainbow Express

With the days getting longer and Spring time approaching quickly we leap into March with excitement! We are March ready to welcome Green Leprechauns, shamrocks and Dr. Seuss Activities.

We will be exploring all shades of green through nature, paints, and crafts.

Be on the look out for tiny leprechaun footprints marching through our classroom! The children will be exploring rainbows, shamrocks and gold this month!

- Ms. Nicole & Ms. Jaymie

Rainbow Room

We are excited to get into the month of March. Lots of things to look forward to, especially the color green!

This month we have Dr. Seuss week coming up and we have many fun activities planned to celebrate his birthday. Our students have been fantastic learners as we continue to express our way through colors, shapes, songs and rhymes each month.

We want to welcome our new friends and Ms. Ebby to our classroom.

- Ms. Keri, Ms. Regina & Ms. Ebby

Star Room

Dear Star Room Families,

It's March Madness Time! What an exciting month we just had! As we welcome March, our class will begin to discuss the changes happening all around. We will be using all of our senses as we talk about the different weather changes, the change in scenery, our change in clothes, and some of our favorite foods that come with Spring. March guarantee's to bring lots of fun!! We will also be celebrating Dr. Seuss' birthday along with our school's birthday. We can hardly wait for all "the places we'll go!" ☺

With that in mind, we will be doing a lot of fun sensory activities, and also continue working on our writing. This month we will be focusing on the letters "Mm, Nn, and Oo". Lastly, please make sure to check your child's folders weekly, and their cubbies for enough extra change of clothes. Thank you!

- Ms. Yvonne & Ms. Clarissa

Pre- Kindergarten

March is the month of celebrations!! We will continue celebrating Dr. Seuss's 116th birthday. Children have been learning new rhyming words as we read his books. Happy Minds celebrates its 6th birthday this month as well! We have St. Patrick's Day coming up and we will enjoy some fun activities and green snacks.

Along with rhyming words, children will learn position words in language arts. We move on to letters **Tt, Uu, Vv** and **Ww** and numbers 14, 15, 16 and 17. Children have been doing so well with their letters and numbers! They love singing the Alphabet Phonic Songs and all other songs related to each alphabet. They are having a great time playing board games and it's so wonderful to see them work as a team!

We will begin yoga exercises. Children will learn names of poses as they practice concentrating on their breathing.

- Ms. Rashmi & Ms. Sally

Junior Kindergarten

It's March! Yet another busy month in J.K. with quite a lot to celebrate!! We will be celebrating Dr. Seuss by reading his books and creating many artwork and snack activities. Celebrations will continue with St Patrick's Day activities and Happy Minds' 6th year anniversary! Yeah!!

The children have done great with their alphabets, nursery rhymes, numbers and sight words too. They are having a great time expanding their vocabulary through the letter of the week!

Your children will be learning about the rain cycle, along with other various science projects. We will continue to be building on good education, good character traits and manners. A great big thank you to all our parents for your support!

- Ms. Diane

Theme: Rainbows & Shamrocks

Color: Green

Shape: Crescent

Nursery Rhyme:
"Hey Diddle Diddle"

Dr. Seuss Week

Feb 26th - Mar 2nd

The MORE
that you read,
the MORE things
you will know.
The MORE that you
LEARN,
the MORE places you'll go.



This week, Happy Minds Kids Academy will be celebrating Dr. Seuss' 114th Birthday!

Throughout this week we will have fun as we read many of his great books.

- **Monday** "The Cat in the Hat" - Crazy Hat Day!
- **Tuesday** - "Fox in Socks" - Crazy Socks Day!
- **Wednesday** - "Wacky Wednesday" - Wacky Dress Up Day/ Dress up as your favorite Dr. Seuss Character!
- **Thursday** - "Green Eggs and Ham" - Pajama Day
- **Friday** - "Happy Birthday To You" - Make/Decorate Birthday Hats!