## Happy Minds Kids Academy **April Newsletter**



Dear Parents,

Welcome Spring! We at Happy Minds Kids Academy are looking forward to warmer weather, so that we will be able to start enjoying nice warm days and enjoy all the wonders of nature that spring brings!

he last month has indeed been a very busy and fun month for all of us here at Happy Minds Kids Academy. Read Across America/Dr. Seuss week was so much fun...it was so cute to see everyone participate and have a blast, and our anniversary celebrations and Green Snack Day, too, were a great success. We love celebrating and having a great time! We would like to thank all our wonderful

brings.

Ms. Fas-hana & Ms. Yvonne



Hours

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## **Birthday Corner**

Abbigail - April 5th Damian - April 12<sup>th</sup> Abbas - April 13<sup>th</sup> Jaycob - April 14th Ollie - April 16<sup>th</sup> Ryder M - April 18th Camden - April 22nd Connor - April 20th Juniper - April 28th

Ms. Niema - April 4th Ms. Jackie - April 12th Ms. Crystal - April 25th

Norah - April 30th

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

#### Welcome!

We warmly welcome baby Sofia and Lily to our Happy Minds family.

## Congratulations



Our heartiest congratulations go out to Dayton and family & Molly and family on the arrival of their newest family members!!

## Important Dates

April 6th (Thu) -Spring Egg Hunt.

April 7th (Fri) -No School - Good Friday Holiday

April 28th (Fri) -National Superhero Day

April 26th & 27th & 28th-Spring Photos

parents for readily providing items for our fun events.

As always, this month too, we have a lot happening, and we are super excited to start off April with a bang and look forward to all the fun activities April

## **Spring Egg Hunt**

April 6th (Thursday)



Our Spring Egg Hunt is scheduled for Thursday, April 6th. Please have your child bring in 24 stuffed plastic eggs (taped shut) by Tuesday the 4th. Each child also needs to bring in a basket/pail for the event.

Please avoid stuffing the eggs with loose food items. You can use wrapped candy, stickers or other small alternatives.



Theme: 'Spring has Sprung'

Color: White

Shape: Oval

Nursery Rhyme: "Humpty Dumpty"

# National Super Hero Day

April 28th (Fri )



## Calling All SUPERHEROES!!

April 28<sup>th</sup> is National Superhero Day! So let us celebrate all the fictional and real-life heroes that give it their all.

Come to school dressed up as your favorite superhero on Friday April 28<sup>th</sup> and join Happy Minds Kids Academy in honoring all those people that risk their lives every day to keep us safe.

#### Infant Room 1

April is here, and flowers are blooming and so are the babies! We are enjoying watching the babies learn to sit, crawl, and stand on there own. The weather is also getting warmer and we are looking forward to spending more outside time in the playground and observe all the beautiful things spring will bring. Please bring shoes and socks and continue labeling all food containers and bottles with name and date!

#### - Ms. Manuela, Ms. Sally & Ms. Sahar Infant Room 2

Happy spring families We are looking forward to some more sunshine and warm weather. Wait.. do you hear that? Hop hop hop ... here comes our little bunnies! I can't believe it's finally April. It's been a great year so far showing our little ones fun art activities to further their sensory skills. We can't wait to have fun this month with our little wobblers!

## -Ms. Kathryn, Ms. Elliott & Ms. Zohreh Toddler Room 1

Spring is here! and we are loving seeing your little ones bloom! We are excited to talk about ovals, eggs, and all things spring. We are excited to have our annual egg hunt. The kiddos have so much fun gathering eggs and putting in their basket. We wish everybody a happy spring!

#### - Ms. Terri, Ms. Zohreh & Ms. Israa Toddler Room 2

Hello to all our fabulous toddler parents! Happy Spring! Now that we have leaped into April, we will be learning about Spring and the changes it brings. We will continue incorporating art, story times, and fun block play into our everyday schedule. We are anticipating nicer, sunny days in the upcoming weeks which will allow us more outdoor play! The kiddos love being in nature and exploring their surroundings. We look forward to planning more outdoor activities and new art projects!

- Ms. Rajaa, Ms. Aziza & Ms. Solana

## **Rainbow Express**

Spring is in the air Express friends! We're so excited for this month as we get to learn about a furry friend that hops around everywhere and he comes to deliver a fun egg hunt game for your little ones to participate in. We are also looking forward to continuing with the monthly theme as it's tied into many crafts we have planned.

#### Ms. Maddy & Ms. Fowzieh Rainbow Room

Spring is in the air and we are finally enjoying some warm weather! Our Rainbow Room friends have learned a lot these past few months. We have enjoyed working with your little ones and watching them grow.

This month we will celebrate spring by having an egg hunt and doing lots of arts and crafts. We wish all of our families a Happy Spring.

- Ms. Rozie, Ms. Crystal, Ms. Maria & Ms. Zena

#### **Sunshine Room**

March held the experience of many wonderful celebrations. Now spring has sprung! Bunnies hopping, chicks chirping, insects crawling, we will learn about these and more. We excitedly await all the new things we will explore and work through like our new nursery rhyme, continuation of writing, alphabet, colors, science experiments, and counting challenges, with our little superheroes sharing acts of kindness. Lovingly,

- Ms. Diane

#### Star Room

March had a lot of Rainy days, but the children had a blast with indoor activities like: colored water in the sensory table (in which they could pour and measure volume), developed their fine motor skills by "rescuing" taped bears, painting with shaving cream foam, and going through obstacle courses (large motor skills).

This month, we will focus on letters U, V, W, and X. We will keep adding (+0, +1, and doubles) and we will start basic subtraction (-1). Most of the students are dominating their tracing skills and we'll keep working on it. In Science we'll keep discussing Spring and the changes it brings and in Social Studies we will talk about caring for others and for our Planet as we celebrate Earth Day!

- Ms. Ita & Ms. Jackie

#### Pre- K

March was a thrilling month for children with Dr. Seuss activities and the visit from the tricky Leprechaun!:)

As we Spring forward into the bright and glorious month of April, children will actively engage in science and sensory activities of planting seeds, learning parts of the plant and observe the transformation of the caterpillar into a butterfly. They will learn the life cycles of other animals too. As Earth Day approaches, children will learn the importance of reducing, reusing and recycling. Please don't be surprised if a clean Ziploc bag comes home for reuse!:)

We will continue learning letters with vocabulary and numbers and playing related games to enhance learning. We continue with position and rhyming words in language arts. In Math we continue with sequencing and seriating skills.

As always, your cooperation and support is greatly appreciated.

#### - Ms. Rashmi & Ms. Stephanie

